EGGS

20624. Adulteration of frozen egg yolks. U. S. v. Oliver G. Harp. Plea of guilty. Fine, $1,000. (F. D. C. No. 34352. Sample No. 38020–L.)

INDICTMENT RETURNED: October 7, 1953, Western District of Oklahoma, against Oliver G. Harp, Shawnee, Okla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 7, 1951, from the State of Oklahoma into the State of New York.

LABEL, IN PART: "Frozen Egg Yolks 30 Lbs. Net Weight Packed by Harp Foods Mfg. Co. Shawnee, Okla."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed eggs.

DISPOSITION: The defendant filed motions to dismiss the indictment and to strike certain allegations therefrom and for a bill of particulars, and, on November 13, 1953, these motions were overruled. The defendant entered a plea of guilty, and on November 16, 1953, the court fined him $1,000.

20625. Adulteration of frozen eggs. U. S. v. 125 Cans, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35388. Sample Nos. 52726–L, 52727–L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 17, 1953, Eastern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 27, 1953, by C. E. Clarke & Sons, from Bloomsburg, Pa.

PRODUCT: 135 30-pound cans of frozen eggs at Brooklyn, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "C. E. Clarke & Sons, Bloomsburg, Pa. Frozen Whole Eggs."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed eggs, and a portion of the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of flies and fly parts.

DISPOSITION: October 16, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

FISH AND SHELLFISH

20626. Adulteration of canned jack mackerel. U. S. v. 748 Cases * * * (and 5 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 34776, 34994, 34999, 35041, 35082, 35093. Sample Nos. 39513–L, 47624–L, 47625–L, 62287–L, 62290–L, 62575–L, 62578–L.)

LIBELS FILED: March 26 and July 2, 1953, Western District of Tennessee, Southern District of Mississippi, and Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of January 23 and April 1, 1953, by Pan-Pacific Fisheries, Inc., from Terminal Island, Calif., and Memphis, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 3,400 cases, each containing 48 cans, of jack mackerel at Memphis, Tenn., Jackson, Miss., and Jonesboro and Earle, Ark.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Sweep Stakes Brand California Jack Mackerel * * * Contents 15 Oz. Avoir."