13586. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Denison Poultry & Egg Co. and Richard White, Jr. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined $500; fine of $250 against individual was suspended. (F. D. C. No. 24534. Sample Nos. 15022–K, 15113–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 14, 1948, Eastern District of Texas, against the Denison Poultry & Egg Co., a corporation, Denison, Tex., and Richard White, Jr., vice-president and general manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 5, 1947, from the State of Texas into the State of Illinois.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the article; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: August 27, 1948. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of $250 against the individual and $500 against the corporation. The fine against the individual was suspended for 1 year.

13587. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Enoch Schultz (Enoch Schultz Creamery). Plea of guilty. Fine, $300. (F. D. C. No. 24108. Sample No. 24814–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 1, 1948, District of North Dakota, against Enoch Schultz, trading as Enoch Schultz Creamery, Bismarck, N. Dak.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 4, 1947, from the State of North Dakota into the State of Minnesota.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the product; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product containing less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: March 17, 1948. A plea of guilty having been entered by the defendant, a fine of $300 was imposed.

13588. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Wilson & Co., Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $50. (F. D. C. No. 24524. Sample No. 12002–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 26, 1948, Western District of Oklahoma, against Wilson & Co., Inc., Oklahoma City, Okla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 16, 1947, from the State of Oklahoma into the State of Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Clear Brook Creamery Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the article; and, Section 402 (b) (2), a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat had been substituted for butter.

DISPOSITION: September 17, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of $50.

CHEESE

13589. Adulteration of Cheddar cheese. U. S. v. Rutherford County Cooperative Creamery, Inc., and Adolph Beernink. Pleas of nolo contendere. Fines of $1,000 against corporation and $100 against individual. (F. D. C. No. 24545. Sample No. 9501–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 29, 1948, Middle District of Tennessee, against the Rutherford County Cooperative Creamery, Inc., Murfreesboro, Tenn., and Adolph Beernink, treasurer and plant manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 23, 1947, from the State of Tennessee into the State of New York.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments, feather barbules, and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: October 6, 1948. Pleas of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed fines of $1,000 against the corporation and $100 against the individual.