LABEL, IN PART: "Cuban Coconut Co., S. A. * * * Havana-Cuba."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a mixture of granulated sugar (approximately 70 percent), dried grated coconut, and salt had been substituted in whole or in part for coconut, which the product was represented to be.

Misbranding, Section 403 (b), a mixture of granulated sugar, dried grated coconut, and salt was offered for sale under the name of another food, coconut.

DISPOSITION: October 2 and 20, 1947, and August 16, 1948. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

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13688. Adulteration of frozen dressed poultry. U. S. v. Stork Brothers, a partnership, and Albrecht H. Stork. Pleas of guilty. Fine of $400 against Stork Brothers and $200 against Albrecht H. Stork. (F. D. C. No. 24527. Sample No. 15103–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: May 4, 1948, District of Minnesota, against Stork Brothers, New Ulm, Minn., and Albrecht H. Stork, partner.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 19, 1947, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product was in part unfit for food by reason of bruises, discoloration, undigested food material, and imperfectly bled poultry; and, Section 402 (a) (5), it was in part the product of a diseased animal, i. e., abscessed and emaciated poultry.

DISPOSITION: June 14, 1948. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendants, the court imposed a fine of $400 against Stork Brothers and $200 against Albrecht H. Stork.

13689. Adulteration of frozen dressed poultry. U. S. v. George J. Tagerman (Baldwin Park Poultry Farms), and Dell H. Bryson. Pleas of guilty. Fine of $50 against each defendant. (F. D. C. No. 20208. Sample No. 31466–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: On or about November 20, 1946, District of Utah, against George J. Tagerman, trading as Baldwin Park Poultry Farms, Salt Lake City, Utah, and Baldwin Park, Calif., and against Dell H. Bryson, manager of the Utah office of the business.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 11, 1945, from the State of Utah into the State of California.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (5), the article was in part the product of a diseased animal, in that it consisted in part of fowl that was diseased at the time of slaughter.

DISPOSITION: March 20, 1948. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of $50 against each defendant.

13690. Adulteration of frozen dressed poultry. U. S. v. 352 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23520. Sample No. 87512–H.)

LIBEL FILED: July 25, 1947, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 27 and 28, 1947, by R. S. Anderson, from Clinton, Mo.

PRODUCT: 352 boxes, each containing approximately 55 pounds, of poultry at Jersey City, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: "Glenaco Brand Well Fed Fowl."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed the presence of decomposed poultry.)

DISPOSITION: August 30, 1948. R. S. Anderson & Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the fit portion be segregated and canned, or quick frozen, and that the unfit portion be destroyed or denatured for nonedible purposes, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. Of the 19,344 pounds of poultry seized, 7,944 pounds were salvaged and frozen; the remainder was denatured.