

DISPOSITION: January 17, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$5,000. Payment of the fine was suspended, and the defendant was placed on probation for 3 years.

14713. Adulteration of candy-coated peanuts. U. S. v. 4 Cases * * *
(F. D. C. No. 26230. Sample Nos. 40914-K, 40917-K.)

LABEL FILED: December 22, 1948, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 2, 1948, by Leon Hi Ho Silver, Inc. from San Francisco, Calif.

PRODUCT: 4 40-pound cases of candy-coated peanuts at Seattle, Wash.

LABEL, IN PART: "Rainbow Beans Sugar Corn Syrup Peanuts."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect excrement and insect-infested peanuts.

DISPOSITION: May 26, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a Federal institution, for use as animal feed.

14714. Misbranding of honey. U. S. v. 24 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23900
Sample No. 8818-K.)

LABEL FILED: November 10, 1947, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 20, 1947, by Coburn Farm Products Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 24 cartons, each containing 24 16-ounce cans, of honey at Hoboken, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sondra Brand pure imported table honey."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (d), the containers were so filled as to be misleading since the honey occupied only about 70 percent of the volume of the container.

DISPOSITION: March 21, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution, after destruction of the label.

14715. Adulteration and misbranding of sirup. U. S. v. 25 Cases * * *
(F. D. C. No. 23439. Sample No. 54433-H.)

LABEL FILED: September 4, 1947, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 31 and July 10, 1947, by Afsco Industries, from Tampa, Fla.

PRODUCT: 25 cases, each containing 24 16-ounce bottles, of sirup at Valdosta, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: "Southern Cane Brand Syrup Cane Sugar Syrup, Caramel Syrup, Caramel Coloring."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), a mixture of sugar sirup and cane sirup, containing more than 50 percent of sugar sirup, had been substituted for cane sirup, which the product was represented to be.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the prominent label designation "Southern Cane Syrup" was false and misleading since the mixture contained more than 50 percent of sugar sirup; and, Section 403 (b), the product was offered for sale under the name of another food, cane sirup.

DISPOSITION: November 6, 1947. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a Federal institution.