29417. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 14 Boxes of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43065. Sample No. 23882–D.)

This product was insect-infested.

On or about July 13, 1938, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Texas, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 14 boxes of candy at Houston, Tex.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about April 15, 1937, by Specialty Candy Co., Inc., from New Orleans, La.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part: "Specialty Candy Co., Inc. N. O. La."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On September 2, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

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29418. Adulteration of pecan halves. U. S. v. 1 Barrel of Pecan Halves. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43018. Sample No. 22328–D.)

This product was in part worm-eaten and moldy.

On July 5, 1938, the United States attorney for the Eastern District of Michigan, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of one barrel of pecan halves at Detroit, Mich.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about June 15, 1938, by R. E. Funsten Co. from St. Louis, Mo.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part: "Funstens Sterilized Medium Pecan Halves * * * R. E. Funsten & Co., St. Louis, Crowley Milner Co. * * * Detroit, Michigan."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy and decomposed vegetable substance.

On September 7, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

29419. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 43 Cartons of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43078. Sample No. 23870–D.)

This product was moldy and insect-infested.

On July 16, 1938, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Texas, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 43 cartons of candy at Houston, Tex.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on various dates from July 23 to November 6, 1937, by Henry Heide, Inc., from New York, N. Y.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

The article was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On September 10, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

29420. Adulteration of blueberries. U. S. v. 10 Crates of Blueberries. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 43432. Sample No. 26530–D.)

This product was infested with maggots.

On August 16, 1938, the United States attorney for the Southern District of New York, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 10 crates of blueberries at New York, N. Y.; alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about August 14, 1938, by Spring Mountain Blueberry Association, Petrole Bros., from Tresckow, Pa.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

The article was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed, or putrid vegetable substance.

On September 9, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*