CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects and rodent excreta pellets while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 8-16-61. Default—destruction.

27439. Dried beef. (F.D.C. No. 46031. S. No. 32-287 R.)

QUANTITY: 68,500 lbs. at Carolina, P.R.

SHIPPED: On unknown dates, from Buenos Aires, Argentina.

LIBELED: 6-22-61, Dist. P.R.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects, insect-chewed pieces of meat, rodent excreta pellets, and moldy meat while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 7-11-61. Consent—destruction.

27440. Frozen rabbits. (F.D.C. No. 45823. S. No. 48-318 R.)

QUANTITY: 12 cases of frozen rabbits, plus 9 rabbits, each individually wrapped in cellophane, at Detroit, Mich.

SHIPPED: 1-9-61, from Pittsburgh, Pa., by Live Fish Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Case) "25 Skinned Rabbits 40 lbs. Nett Smorgons 21 Melbourne Victoria Australia" and (cellophane wrapper) "Smorgons Imported Australian Rabbits Packed by Norman Smorgon & Sons Pty. Ltd., * * Melbourne, Australia."

LIBELED: 6-6-61, E. Dist. Mich.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained decomposed rabbits when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 7-21-61. Default—destruction.

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27441. Shelled pecans. (F.D.C. No. 46136. S. No. 85-229 R.)

QUANTITY: 30 cases, 12 4-oz. pkgs. each, at Oklahoma City, Okla.

SHIPPED: 5-15-61 and 6-5-61, from San Antonio, Tex.

LIBELED: 7-25-61, W. Dist. Okla.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects, insect larvae, fragments, excreta pellets, and eggs while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 8-16-61. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

27442. Shelled Spanish peanuts (2 seizure actions). (F.D.C. Nos. 45925 and 45926. S. Nos. 87-881 R, 87-923 R.)

QUANTITY: 377 120-lb. bags at Saint Joseph, Mo.

SHIPPED: 12-5-60 and 12-9-60, from Fredericksburg, Tex.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Inspection showed that 77 bags of the article had been held under insanitary conditions at the Douglas Candy Co., Saint Joseph, Mo., and that 300 bags of the article had been held under insanitary conditions at the Artesian Ice & Cold Storage Co., Saint Joseph, Mo.

LIBELED: 6-6-61, W. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 6-9-61. Consent—claimed by Douglas Candy Co., and converted into seed peanuts and animal feed.