decomposition. The inside of some of the cans was badly corroded, and the contents had an unpleasant metallic and astringent taste.

LABEL, IN PART: "Shenvalley Apple Butter."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance and was otherwise unfit for food.

DISPOSITION: June 11, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

8243. Adulteration of guava paste and guava jelly. U. S. v. 65 Boxes of Guava Paste and 66 Boxes of Guava Jelly. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 16218. Sample Nos. 29572–H, 29573–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 22, 1945, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 19, 1944, by Longino and Collins, Inc., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 65 14-ounce boxes of guava paste and 66 14-ounce boxes of guava jelly at San Francisco, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "La Teresita * * * Guava Paste [or "Jelly"]."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, and insect excreta.

DISPOSITION: August 11, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

8244. Adulteration of orange marmalade base. U. S. v. 112 Cans of Orange Marmalade Base. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 16449. Sample Nos. 22074–H, 22075–H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 14, 1945, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 30, 1945, by Mann Brothers, from Lakeland, Fla.

PRODUCT: 16 1-gallon cans and 96 5-gallon cans of orange marmalade base at St. Louis, Mo.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: July 10, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, conditioned upon the adoption of safeguards to insure that it would not be disposed of for human consumption.

8245. Adulteration of peach paste. U. S. v. 50 Cartons of Peach Paste. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 15934. Sample Nos. 10032–H, 10248–H.)

LIBEL FILED: April 19, 1945, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 16, 1943, by Kramer Brothers, from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 50 35-pound cartons of peach paste at Pittsburgh, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: "Skyline Brand Peach Paste Packed By North Ontario Dried Fruit Co. Los Angeles, California."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of beetles and larvae and of sour and fermented peach paste.

DISPOSITION: May 24, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

VEGETABLES

8246. Adulteration of frozen green beans. U. S. v. 290 Cases of Frozen Green Beans. Default decree of condemnation. Unfit portion ordered destroyed. Edible portion ordered delivered to a public institution. (F. D. C. No. 16854. Sample No. 31634–H.)

LIBEL FILED: July 13, 1945, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 31, 1944, by the Dixie Frosted Foods Co., from Georgiana, Ala.

PRODUCT: 290 cases, each containing 10 4-pound packages, of frozen green beans at Los Angeles, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Brakeley's 'Little Darling' Fresh Frozen Green Beans."