8342. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 42 Cases of Candy. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 14907. Sample No. 93660–F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 8, 1945, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 13, 1944, by the Jay-Dee Candy Co., Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: 42 cases, each containing 24 display packages of 18 pieces each, of candy at New York, N. Y. This product had become contaminated, during transit, with arsenic from a weed-killing substance.

LABEL, IN PART: "Jay-Dee's Famous Pecan Praline."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (1), the article was contaminated with a poisonous or deleterious substance, arsenic, which might have rendered it injurious to health.

DISPOSITION: April 24, 1945. The Springmeier Shipping Co., Inc., St. Louis, Mo., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion, under the supervison of the Food and Drug Administration.

8343. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 34 Boxes of Candy. Default decree of destruction. (F. D. C. No. 14913. Sample No. 97649–F.)

LIBEL FILED: December 30, 1944, District of Minnesota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 30, 1944, by the Bonita Candies, Inc., from Fond du Lac, Wis.

PRODUCT: 34 boxes, each containing 24 1¾-ounce bars, of candy at Minneapolis, Minn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bonita Leaping Lena Cherry Bar."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 14, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment was entered ordering the product destroyed.

8344. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 8 Cases of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 14943. Sample No. 84265–F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 2, 1945, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 3 and 7, 1944, by the Heller Candy Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 8 cases, each containing 6 10-pound cartons, of candy at San Francisco, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Orange [or "Raspberry," "Mint," or "Pistacio"] Patties."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product was unfit for food by reason of contamination with napthalene.

DISPOSITION: March 31, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

8345. Adulteration of candy pack. U. S. v. 96 Cartons of Candy Pack. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 14452. Sample No. 73291–F.)

LIBEL FILED: November 8, 1944, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 18 and May 15, 1944, by R. L. Albert and Sons, from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 96 1-pound, 12-ounce cartons of candy pack at Oakland, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Altray Roundtop Candy Pack."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of beetles and webbing.

DISPOSITION: February 13, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.