NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (d), the product was confectionery and contained saccharin, a nonnutritive substance.

DISPOSITION: June 28, 1946. The shipper having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

9844. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 1,297 Boxes of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 20342. Sample No. 48951–H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 18, 1946, Northern District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 28, 1946, by the Stick Candy Company, from Shreveport, La.

PRODUCT: 1,297 boxes, each containing 36 sticks, of candy at Jasper, Ala.

LABEL, IN PART: "Barber Pole Stick Candy."

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 beetles, insect parts, insect excreta, and rodent hairs.

DISPOSITION: July 22, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

9845. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 69 Cases of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 19967. Sample No. 54517–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 31, 1946, Western District of South Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 23, 1946, by the Eason Candy Co., from Oklahoma City, Okla.

PRODUCT: 69 cases, each containing 25 pounds, of candy at Greenville, S. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "Toasted M. M. Squares * * * Manufactured by Norton Candy Co. Oklahoma City."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance, since it had undergone fermentation and was decomposed.

DISPOSITION: July 5, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

9846. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 56 Boxes of Candy. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 19917. Sample No. 63386–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 14, 1946, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 1, 1946, by the Federal Sweets and Biscuit Co., Inc., Clifton, N. J.

PRODUCT: 56 boxes, each containing 48 1½-ounce pieces, of candy at Bronx, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Dutch Maid Chocolate Caramel Peanut Rounders."

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 rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the product had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: June 10, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

9847. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 45 Gold Digger Punchboard Deals. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 19876. Sample No. 35094–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 17, 1946, Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 4, 1946, by the Star Candy Co., from Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: 45 boxes (punchboard deals), each containing 2 8-ounce bars, 1 1-pound bar, and 12 1-ounce bars, of candy at Jonesboro, Ark.

LABEL, IN PART: (Boxes) "Gold Digger Deal."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the candy consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hair fragments and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: June 17, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.