DISPOSITION: June 10, 1946. The defendant having entered a plea of guilty, the court imposed a fine of $200 on each count, a total fine of $400.

10764. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 10 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18449. Sample No. 13688–H.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about September 6, 1945, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 27, 1945, by Rising Sun Creamery, Inc., from Rising Sun, Ind.

PRODUCT: 9 30-pound cases and 1 25-pound case of butter at Cincinnati, Ohio. Samples of the product were found to contain rodent hair fragments, vegetable fibers, insects and insect fragments, metal fragments, and a small amount of nondescript dirt.

LABEL, IN PART: "Indiana's Ideal Creamery Butter."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: September 7, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, conditioned that it be denatured so that it could not be disposed of for human consumption.

10765. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 200 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18670. Sample No. 14015–H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 17, 1945, Southern District of West Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 10, 1945, by the Merchants Creamery Co., from Cincinnati, Ohio.

PRODUCT: 200 cases, each containing 20 1-pound rolls, of butter at Charleston, W. Va. The product contained mold.

LABEL, IN PART: "Kroger's Country Club Quality Brand Roll Creamery Butter * * * Packed for The Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. * * * Cincinnati, Ohio."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: November 7, 1945. The Merchants Creamery Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered. It was ordered that the product be released under bond for the purpose of conversion into animal feed or utilization in the manufacture of inedible fats, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

10766. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 28 Cartons (1,764 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 18673. Sample No. 4568–H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 30, 1945, Middle District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 20, 1945, by Orange Creamery, from Orange, Va.

PRODUCT: 28 cartons, each containing 63 pounds, of butter at Harrisburg, Pa. Analysis showed that the product contained mold.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: December 19, 1945. The sole intervener having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, conditioned that it be melted and mixed with other greases, under the supervision of the United States Marshal, so that it could not be used as butter.

10767. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Farmers Union Co-operative Creamery and Herman A. Haugen. Pleas of guilty. Fines of $150 against each defendant. (F. D. C. No. 19038. Sample No. 19721–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 5, 1946, District of North Dakota, against Farmers Union Co-operative Creamery, a corporation, Portland, N. Dak., and Herman A. Haugen, manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 28, 1945, from the State of North Dakota into the State of New York.

LABEL, IN PART: "J. R. Kramer, Inc. New York."