18310. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 30 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32112. Sample No. 35531–L.)

LIBEL FILED: December 10, 1951, District of Minnesota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 14, 1951, from Mermentau, La.

PRODUCT: 30 100-pound bags of rice at Minneapolis, Minn.

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 insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 14, 1952. A default decree was entered ordering the product denatured for use as animal feed or destroyed.

18311. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 139 Bales * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32025. Sample No. 1721–L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 15, 1951, Eastern District of South Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 29, 1951, from Kaplan, La.

PRODUCT: 139 bales, each containing 20 3-pound packages, of rice at Florence, S. C.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 20, 1951. A default decree of condemnation was entered, and the court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution, for use as animal feed.

18312. Adulteration of brewers flakes. U. S. v. 106 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32059. Sample No. 29271–L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 6, 1951, District of Montana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 13 and July 30, 1951, from Milwaukee, Wis.

PRODUCT: 106 100-pound bags of brewers flakes at Billings, Mont., in possession of the Billings Brewing Co.

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 urine, rodent excreta, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: February 5, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

18313. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 225 Cartons (approx. 13,500 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32034. Sample No. 37572–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 27, 1951, District of New Jersey.