LIBELED: 2–18–57, W. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine and mouse excreta pellets; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 4–4–57. Default—consumption by animals.

23803. Dried pinto beans. (F. D. C. No. 39723. S. No. 61–688 M.)

QUANTITY: 41 100-lb. bags at Mabscott, W. Va., in possession of Raleigh Grocery Co.

SHIPPED: 9–12–56, from North Kansas City, Mo.

LIBELED: 1–7–57, S. Dist. W. Va.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta and rodent urine; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 1–15–57. Default—consumption by animals.

23804. Celery. (F. D. C. No. 39922. S. No. 24–145 M.)

QUANTITY: 333 ctns. at Bluefield, W. Va.

SHIPPED: 1–8–57, from Chula Vista, Calif., by Ken W. Baird Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Pascal Celery–16 Stalks–First Pack Brand–Ken W. Baird Company, San Ysidro, California."

LIBELED: 1–25–57, S. Dist. W. Va.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (2)—the article was a raw agricultural commodity, and, when shipped, contained a pesticide chemical, parathion, which is unsafe within the meaning of the law since the quantity of such pesticide chemical on the article was not within the limits of the tolerance prescribed by regulations.

DISPOSITION: 1–29–57. Default—destruction.

23805. Celery. (F. D. C. No. 39921. S. No. 24–145 M.)

QUANTITY: 333 30-lb. ctns. at Salem, Va.

SHIPPED: 1–8–57, from Chula Vista, Calif.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained a residue of parathion, a pesticide chemical, in excess of the established tolerance.

LIBELED: 1–18–57, W. Dist. Va.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (2)—the article contained spray residue in excess of the tolerance while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 2–25–57. Default—destruction.

23806. Canned mushrooms. (F. D. C. No. 40086. S. No. 53–263 M.)

QUANTITY: 120 cases, 24 8-oz. cans each, at Houston, Tex.

SHIPPED: 2–12–57, from Chace, France, by Establissements Blanchaud.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Royalty Brand Mushrooms * * * Pieces and Stems Product of France."

LIBELED: 4–12–57, S. Dist. Tex.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained a decomposed substance when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 6–25–57. Default—destruction.