PRODUCT: Frozen tullibees. 30 boxes containing approximately 4,000 pounds at Motley, Minn., and 35 boxes, each containing 113 pounds, at Duluth, Minn.

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 parasitic worms.

DISPOSITION: June 9 and September 3, 1948. No claimant having appeared for the Duluth lot and the claimant for the Motley lot having consented to the entry of a decree, judgments were entered providing for the destruction of the product, unless denatured under the direction of the Food and Drug Administration and disposed of as animal feed.

13440. Adulteration of frozen whitefish. U. S. v. 125 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24746. Sample No. 8728-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 17, 1948, District of New Jersey; amended libel filed May 19, 1948.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 24, 1947, from Rouses Point, N. Y., by various shippers.

PRODUCT: 125 boxes containing approximately 15,676 pounds of frozen whitefish at Monmouth Beach, N. J.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of parasitic worms and putrid fish.

DISPOSITION: June 25, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13441. Adulteration of frozen whiting. U. S. v. 346 Cartons * * * (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 24585, 24586, 24606. Sample Nos. 10484-K, 18333-K, 18667-K, 19269-K.)

LIBELS FILED: April 1, 6, and 20, 1948, Middle District of Pennsylvania and Northern and Southern Districts of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 23 and 27, 1947, by the Provincetown Fisheries Co., Provincetown, Mass. On March 3, 1948, 1,000 boxes of the product were reshipped from Cleveland, Ohio, to Cincinnati, Ohio.

PRODUCT: Frozen whiting. 346 cartons, each containing 40 pounds, at Scranton, Pa., 1,000 10-pound boxes at Cincinnati, Ohio, and 60 10-pound boxes at Cleveland, Ohio.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a putrid and decomposed substance. (Examination showed the presence of decomposed and putrid fish.)

DISPOSITION: April 13, May 19, and June 23, 1948. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

13442. Adulteration of crab meat. U. S. v. 5 Barrels, etc. (and 3 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 25377, 25378, 25380, 25381. Sample Nos. 2053-K, 2057-K, 2058-K, 40132-K.)

LIBELS FILED: June 25 and July 2 and 6, 1948, District of Maryland and Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 22, 29, and 30, and July 1, 1948, by the Pamlico Packing Co., from Vandemere, N. C.

PRODUCT: Crab meat. 24 barrels, each containing 100 1-pound cans, and 1 barrel containing 117 1-pound cans at Baltimore, Md., and 1 barrel containing 100 1-pound cans and 1 barrel containing 72 1-pound cans at New York, N. Y. Analysis showed that the product was contaminated with *E. coli* of fecal origin.

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

DISPOSITION: July 28 and August 4 and 13, 1948. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.