SIRUP

17654. Adulteration and misbranding of sorghum sirup. U. S. v. 25 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 30963. Sample No. 11102–L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 29, 1951, Western District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 26, 1951, by Charles Owen, from Joplin, Mo.

PRODUCT: 25 cases, each containing 12 unlabeled 5-pound cans, of sirup represented as sorghum at Henderson, Ky.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), sorghum with added sugar had been substituted in whole or in part for sorghum.

Misbranding, Section 403 (b), the product was offered for sale under the name of another food; Sections 403 (e) (1) and (2), it was a food in package form and failed to bear a label containing the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor, and an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents; and, Section 403 (i) (2), the product was fabricated from two or more ingredients, and it failed to bear a label containing the common or usual name of each ingredient.

DISPOSITION: August 30, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

SUGAR

17655. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 185 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 30983. Sample No. 30033–L.)

LIBEL FILED: June 6, 1951, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 8, 1950, from Granada, Nicaragua.

PRODUCT: 185 100-pound bags of sugar at Tacoma, Wash., in the possession of the Hamilton Candy 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 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 stored under insanitary conditions while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 3, 1951. The Hamilton Candy Co., a Washington corporation, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for segregation and re-refinement of all contaminated sugar, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

BAKERY PRODUCTS

17656. Adulteration of cookies. U. S. v. Independent Biscuit Co. Fine, $200, together with costs. (F. D. C. No. 30069. Sample Nos. 89826–K, 89831–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 26, 1950, District of Nebraska, against the Independent Biscuit Co., a corporation, Omaha, Nebr.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 18 and 22, 1950, from the State of Nebraska into the State of Iowa.