MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS

23208. Unpopped popcorn. (F. D. C. No. 38141. S. Nos. 855 M, 2-221 M, 2-224 M, 2-226 M.)

INDICTMENT RETURNED: 12-14-55, S. Dist. Ohio, against Joe F. Johnson, president of Popcorn Growers Exchange, Columbus, Ohio.

SHIPPED: Between 12-3-54 and 2-19-55, from Ohio to Florida and West Virginia.

LABEL IN PART: (Bag) "50 Lbs Net Wt. Tastee Popcorn Popcorn Growers Exchg. Inc. 664 Stelzer Rd. Columbus, Ohio" or "Tastee Popcorn Net Weight 2 Lbs. [or "16 ounces Net Weight"] Popcorn Growers Exchange Columbus, Ohio."

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects, insect parts, rodent hairs, rodent excreta, and rodent- and insect-damaged kernels; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 6-21-56. $500 fine and sentence of 16 months in jail; jail sentence suspended and probation for 5 years.

23209. Wheat. (F. D. C. No. 36974. S. No. 75-895 L.)

QUANTITY: 113,400 lbs. at Cut Bank, Mont.

SHIPPED: 9-24-54, from Seattle, Wash., by Greeley Elevator Co.

LIBELED: 9-29-54, Dist. Mont.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (2)—when shipped, contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, a mercurial compound, which is unsafe within the meaning of the law since it is a substance not required in the production of the article and can be avoided by good manufacturing practice.

DISPOSITION: 12-7-54. Consent—claimed by Greeley Elevator Co., Great Falls, Mont., and converted to seed wheat.

CONFECTIONERY

23210. Candy. (F. D. C. No. 39038. S. Nos. 15-153/6 M.)

QUANTITY: 16 cases, 12 boxes each, at Fresno, Calif.

SHIPPED: 3-12-56, from Brooklyn, N. Y., by Phoenix Candy Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Box) "240 Count Slim Jim Chocolate [or "Toffee," "Banana," or "Licorice"] Flavored Slim Jims 2 for 1¢."

LIBELED: 4-17-56, S. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent hairs; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 5-15-56. Default—destruction.

23211. Candy. (F. D. C. No. 39070. S. No. 2-121 M.)

QUANTITY: 7 cases, 12 boxes each, at Roanoke, Va.

SHIPPED: 1-24-56, from Dunn, N. C., by Wellons Candy Co. (Supreme Candy Co.).

LABEL IN PART: (Bar) "Two-Tone," "Big Man," "Cabbage Bar," "Rainbow Bar," "Cream Cocoanut," "Supreme Cornbread Candy Bar," "Hunnie Bun," "Supreme Tic Tic Tic Nut Roll," and "Jazz Bar."

LIBELED: On or about 5-14-56, W. Dist. Va.