LIBELED: 10–2–56, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects, rodent hairs, and high bacteria counts; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 12–20–56. Default—destruction.

23497. Frozen breaded shrimp. (F. D. C. No. 39462. S. Nos. 25–234/5 M.)

QUANTITY: 6 cartons, 10 5-lb. boxes each, and 10 cases, 12 2½-lb. pkgs. each, at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: 7–27–56, from Los Angeles, Calif., by Fishking Processors, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Box and Pkg.) "Tropic Sea Frozen Breaded Fantail Shrimp" and "Mrs. Friday's Select Frozen Breaded Shrimp."

LIBELED: 9–14–56, W. Dist. Wash.; amended libel 9–21–56.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects, rodent hairs, and high bacteria counts; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 11–19–56. Default—destruction.

23498. Frozen fried shrimp. (F. D. C. No. 39445. S. Nos. 52–765/7 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,988 cases, each containing 12 boxes, at New York, N. Y.

SHIPPED: 7–30–56, from Tampa, Fla.

LABEL IN PART: (Box) "Net Wt. 6 Oz. Precooked Frosted Foods Red L French Fried Shrimp."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Frozen, peeled, deveined shrimp which was received from Tampa, Fla., by Red L New York Foods Corp. at Long Island City, N. Y., was coated with a batter, fried, packed, and frozen by that firm and delivered to a cold storage warehouse. Inspection of Red L New York Foods Corp. showed insanitary conditions which would result in contamination of the shrimp with filth.

LIBELED: 9–6–56, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent hairs while held for sale; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 10–11–56. Default—destruction.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

CANNED FRUIT

23499. Canned applesauce. (F. D. C. No. 39334. S. No. 23–275 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 9–26–56, W. Dist. N. Y., against Bert Richardson, t/a B. Richardson Canning Co., North Rose, N. Y.

SHIPPED: 1–16–56, from New York to Massachusetts.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Matchless Brand Apple Sauce Contents 1 lb. Webster-Thomas Co. Boston, Mass. Distributors."

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects, insect fragments, mites, and rodent hair fragments; and 402 (a) (4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 11–12–56. Fine, $200.