24972. Chocolate-covered peanuts. (F.D.C. No. 41845. S. No. 39–841 P.)

QUANTITY: 68 cases, 120 ¾-oz. bags each, at San Francisco, Calif., in possession of Planters Nut & Chocolate Co.

SHIPPED: In 1957 and 1958, peanuts were shipped from Virginia, North Carolina, Texas, and Oklahoma.

LABEL IN PART: (Case) "Cello Item No. 27 Chocolate Peanuts"; (bag) "Planters Chocolate Peanuts."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The above-mentioned peanuts were used in the manufacture of the seized article.

LIBELED: 5–29–58, N. Dist. Calif.

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

DISPOSITION: 6–20–58. Default—destruction.

24973. Sorghum sirup. (F.D.C. No. 41695. S. No. 36–686 P.)

QUANTITY: 46 cases, 12 4½-lb. cans each, at St. Louis, Mo.

SHIPPED: 4–14–58, from Olmstead, Ill., by Jack Anderson.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Good Old Country Sorghum Made From Pure Cane Juice * * * 100 Per Cent Pure."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained approximately one-half sorghum sirup; the remainder was invert sugar sirup.

LIBELED: 5–5–58, E. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 402(b)(2)—when shipped, invert sugar sirup had been substituted in part for sorghum sirup; and 403(a)—the label statement "Country Sorghum * * * 100 Per Cent Pure" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 7–2–58. Default—delivered to a charitable institution.

EGGS

24974. Frozen eggs (2 seizure actions). (F.D.C. Nos. 41644, 41645. S. Nos. 9–022/3 P.)

QUANTITY: 81 30-lb. cans and 55 30-lb. cans at Pittsburgh, Pa.

SHIPPED: Between 1–8–58 and 2–12–58 (81 cans), from Somerset, Ohio, by Southeast Ohio Egg Producers; and between 1–10–58 and 2–7–58 (55 cans), from Wooster, Ohio, by Wooster Coop. Poultry Association.

LIBELED: 3–28–58, W. Dist. Pa.

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

DISPOSITION: 6–20–58. Consent—claimed by Federated Egg & Poultry Sales Co., Pittsburgh, Pa. Segregated; 17 cans denatured.

FISH AND SHELLFISH

24975. Canned mackerel. (F.D.C. No. 37296. S. No. 60–738 L.)

QUANTITY: 1,000 cases, 48 15-oz. cans each, at Jacksonville, Fla.

SHIPPED: 4–24–54, from Hamburg, Germany.

LIBELED: 10–11–54, S. Dist. Fla.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained decomposed fish while held for sale.