

less than six years old $\frac{2}{5}$; child six or more years old $\frac{1}{4}$; adult $\frac{1}{5}$ " was false and misleading since the article would provide smaller amounts of vitamin B₁ than represented.

DISPOSITION: February 2, 1949. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$2,000.

14357. Adulteration of breading meal. U. S. v. Qualified Products Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$300 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 26308. Sample Nos. 12866-K, 43131-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: On or about January 12, 1949, Northern District of Illinois, against the Qualified Products Co., a corporation, Chicago, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3 and 13, 1948, from the State of Illinois into the States of New Jersey and Michigan.

LABEL, IN PART: "Savory Brand Breading Meal."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, larvae, and insect parts; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 17, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$300 and costs.

CHOCOLATE AND CONFECTIONERY

14358. Adulteration of chocolate. U. S. v. 28 Bales, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26215. Sample Nos. 45861-K, 45862-K.)

LIBEL FILED: December 13, 1948, Western District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 27 and October 7, 1947, from Brooklyn, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 70 20-pound slabs of chocolate at Memphis, Tenn.

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 insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 13 and 18, 1949. The Oliver-Finnie Co., Memphis, Tenn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The product was reconditioned by the scraping off of the outer layers of chocolate. Of the 14,800 pounds seized, 10,122 pounds were salvaged and the remainder was destroyed.

14359. Adulteration of chocolate. U. S. v. 50 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25990. Sample No. 12877-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 29, 1948, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 5 and 23, 1948, from Beloit, Wis.

PRODUCT: 50 50-pound boxes of chocolate at Philadelphia, Pa.

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 insects. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 30, 1948. Samuel Zitner, Philadelphia, Pa., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. A total of 200 pounds was found unfit and was destroyed.

14360. Adulteration of chocolate coating. U. S. v. 15 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26225. Sample No. 25138-K.)

LABEL FILED: December 16, 1948, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 20, 1948, from Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 15 50-pound cases of chocolate coating at Burlington, Iowa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of being insect-infested. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 30, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14361. Adulteration of chocolate coating. U. S. v. 55 Slabs * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26895. Sample No. 44261-K.)

LABEL FILED: March 25, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 5, 1949, from the State of Pennsylvania.

PRODUCT: 55 10-pound slabs of chocolate coating at Cincinnati, Ohio.

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 insects. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: April 1, 1949. The Sauerston & Brown Co., Cincinnati, Ohio, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that the slabs of chocolate be scraped and brushed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency, so that all unfit material would be eliminated.

14362. Adulteration of Sprinklettes (chocolate topping). U. S. v. 4 Cases * * * (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 26406 to 26408, incl. Sample Nos. 9311-K to 9313-K, incl., 48205-K.)

LABELS FILED: January 13 and 14, 1949, Eastern District of Pennsylvania and Eastern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 11 and December 1, 8, and 14, 1948, by the Atlantic Chocolate Refining Co., from Boston, Mass.

PRODUCT: Sprinklettes. 4 cases, each containing 6 5-pound canisters, at Philadelphia, Pa., and 31 5-pound canisters and 6 265-pound barrels at Brooklyn, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sprinklettes Flavored Chocolate Topping."

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 insect fragments and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 15 and 18, 1949. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.