

PRODUCT: 100 100-pound bags of brazil nuts at Cincinnati, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Holly Brazil Nuts."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed nuts, and was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of empty shells.

DISPOSITION: December 10, 1948. Wm. A. Higgins & Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the fit portion be segregated from the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. Of the 9,000 pounds seized, 7,357 pounds were salvaged.

14666. Adulteration of brazil nuts. U. S. v. 18 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26010. Sample No. 1703-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about November 19, 1948, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 28, 1948, by Wm. A. Higgins & Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 18 100-pound bags of brazil nuts at Atlanta, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: "Holly New Crop Large Medium Brazil Nuts."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed brazil nuts.

DISPOSITION: December 20, 1948. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a Federal institution for its use, after the segregation of the good portion from the bad.

14667. Adulteration of cashews and filberts. U. S. v. 2 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26504. Sample Nos. 31495-K, 31496-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 21, 1949, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 12, 1949, by the Granton Nut Co., from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 2 25-pound cases of cashews and 4 25-pound cases of filberts at Oak Park, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Granton's Sliced Cashew [or "Granulated Filberts"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: June 14, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14668. Adulteration of filberts. U. S. v. 1 Container, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26625. Sample No. 40184-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 25, 1949, District of Maryland.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 7, 1949, by Wm. A. Camp Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 1 100-pound metal container and 1 50-pound bag of filberts at Baltimore, Md.

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-

infested nuts, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of rancid, moldy, and otherwise decomposed nuts.

DISPOSITION: April 4, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14669. Adulteration of peanuts. U. S. v. 59 Bags, etc. (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. No. 25757. Sample Nos. 15424-K, 15426-K, 15427-K.)

LIBELS FILED: September 15, 1948, Eastern District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 14 and 16 and June 25, 1948, from Severn and Roxobel, N. C., and Suffolk, Va.

PRODUCT: 537 110-pound bags of peanuts in the possession of Miller Food Products, Inc., Detroit, Mich.

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; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 12, 1949. Miller Food Products, Inc., Detroit, Mich., claimant, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond for the segregation and the denaturing of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The segregation operations resulted in the salvage of 49,000 pounds of good peanuts and the denaturing of 6,608 pounds.

14670. Adulteration of peanuts. U. S. v. 23 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26571. Sample No. 44723-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 25, 1949, District of North Dakota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 17, 1945, from Marianna, Fla.

PRODUCT: 23 120-pound bags of peanuts at Grand Forks, N. Dak., in possession of the Congress Candy & Distributing Co.

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 rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 7, 1949. The sole intervener having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

14671. Adulteration of Spanish peanuts. U. S. v. 168 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25875. Sample No. 32561-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 28, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 20, 1948, from Houston, Tex.

PRODUCT: 168 100-pound bags of Spanish peanuts at Oakland, Calif.

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

DISPOSITION: November 10, 1948. The Chiodo Candy Co., Oakland, Calif., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was