

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3); the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent excreta, rodent hairs, and insect fragments; 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, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$1,300, plus costs.

15704. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. Riggi Candy Co. Plea of guilty. Fine of \$2,400 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 28164. Sample Nos. 7722-K, 7935-K, 16985-K, 44749-K, 44750-K, 58682-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: October 27, 1949, Northern District of Illinois, against the Riggi Candy Co., a corporation, Chicago, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 11, 15, 16, 21, and 23, 1949, from the State of Illinois into the States of New York, Pennsylvania, Wisconsin, and Minnesota.

LABEL, IN PART: "Black Jelly Beans," "Riggi Chocolate Cherries," "Chocolate Pecan Treats," and "Chocolate Fruit and Nut Egg."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 27, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$2,400, plus costs.

15705. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 9 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28280. Sample No. 63089-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 8, 1949, District of New Hampshire.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 22, 1949, from Boston, Mass.

PRODUCT: 9 cases, each containing 48 half-pound boxes, of candy at Manchester, N. H.

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

DISPOSITION: December 19, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

BAKERY PRODUCTS

15706. Adulteration of ice cream cones. U. S. v. Woolwine Cone Co., Lafayette M. Woolwine, Sr., and Lafayette M. Woolwine, Jr. Pleas of nolo contendere. Fine of \$250 against company and \$50 against each individual. (F. D. C. No. 28177. Sample Nos. 60685-K, 60698-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 1, 1949, Western District of Tennessee, against the Woolwine Cone Co., a partnership, Memphis, Tenn., and Lafayette M. Woolwine, Sr., and Lafayette M. Woolwine, Jr., partners in the partnership.