

**CHOCOLATE, CONFECTIONERY, AND MISCELLANEOUS
SACCHARINE PRODUCTS**

16715. Adulteration of chocolate. U. S. v. 50 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29555. Sample No. 76671-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1950, Eastern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 9, 16, and 17, 1950, from Milwaukee, Wis.

PRODUCT: 50 180-pound bags of chocolate at Centralia, Ill.

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

DISPOSITION: September 16, 1950. Hollywood Brands, Inc., Centralia, Ill., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for removal of such portion as was infested with insects, or otherwise objectionable and unfit for human consumption, under the direction and control of the Food and Drug Administration. In accordance with the decree, the product was trimmed in order to remove the unfit portion; a total of 580 pounds of trimmings resulted, and these subsequently were denatured and disposed of for use as animal feed.

16716. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. John L. McDonald. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$75. (F. D. C. No. 26729. Sample Nos. 5648-K, 5649-K, 5652-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 3, 1950, District of Massachusetts, against John L. McDonald, Winthrop, Mass.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On or about January 11 and 21 and February 8, 1949, the defendant caused various quantities of candy to be delivered for introduction into interstate commerce at Boston, Mass., for delivery to Providence, R. I.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (4), the product had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: April 6, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$75.

16717. Adulteration of honey. U. S. v. 10 Drums * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29311. Sample No. 80959-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 12, 1950, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 28, 1950, by Leoncio Benito, from Camaguey, Cuba.

PRODUCT: 10 drums, each containing 705 pounds, of honey at Philadelphia, Pa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product was unfit for food by reason of the presence of a creosote-type material.

DISPOSITION: November 9, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16718. Adulteration and misbranding of sorghum. U. S. v. 13 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29229. Sample No. 51485-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 24, 1950, Southern District of Indiana.