

was ordered released under bond for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

**7884. Adulteration of frozen, cooked turkey skin. U. S. v. 289 Cartons of Frozen Cooked Turkey Skins. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered for use in the production of fertilizer tankage. (F. D. C. No. 15021. Sample No. 31401-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** January 23, 1945, Southern District of California.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 16, 1943, by the Omaha Cold Storage Co., Omaha, Nebr.

**PRODUCT:** 289 25-pound cartons of frozen, cooked turkey skins, at Los Angeles, Calif. Examination showed that the product contained rancid, decomposed turkey skin.

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance or was otherwise unfit for food.

**DISPOSITION:** February 15, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered denatured and used in the production of fertilizer tankage.

### SPICES, FLAVORS, AND CONDIMENTS

**7885. Adulteration of chili powder. U. S. v. 3 Barrels of Chili Powder. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 15138. Sample No. 73899-F.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** February 3, 1944, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about November 3, 1944, by the C. B. Gentry Co., Los Angeles, Calif.

**PRODUCT:** 3 230-pound barrels of chili powder at New York, N. Y.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Barrels) "Gentry's cc Mexican Chili Powder."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of filthy and decomposed substances by reason of the presence of insect fragments and mold.

**DISPOSITION:** March 3, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**7886. Adulteration of chili powder. U. S. v. 11 Barrels of Chili Powder. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 14184. Sample No. 73859-F.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** November 3, 1944, Western District of Texas.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 15, 1944, by the C. B. Gentry Co., Los Angeles, Calif.

**PRODUCT:** 11 230-pound barrels of chili powder at Waco, Tex.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Gentry's CC Mexican Chili Powder."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** 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.

**DISPOSITION:** February 27, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**7887. Adulteration of chili powder, chili pepper, and paprika. U. S. v. James A. Knapp (J. A. Knapp). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$150. (F. D. C. No. 14256. Sample Nos. 43790-F, 43791-F, 53628-F, 54273-F.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** January 10, 1945, Southern District of California, against James A. Knapp, trading as J. A. Knapp, Garden Grove, Calif.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** Between the approximate dates of December 29, 1943, and May 27, 1944, from the State of California into the States of Kansas, Ohio, and Texas.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Mex. Type Chili Pepper," or "Domestic Paprika."

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insect fragments, rodent hairs, rodent hair fragments, a rodent excreta pellet fragment, sand, feather barbules, and a larva; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.