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10104. Adulteration of chocolate coating. U. S. v. 3 Bags and 78 Cartons of Chocolate Coating. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 17753. Sample Nos. 14413-H, 14414-H.)

LIBEL FILED: October 9, 1945, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of January 3 and March 29, 1945, by the Hershey Chocolate Corporation, from Hershey, Pa.

PRODUCT: 3 200-pound bags and 78 50-pound cartons of chocolate coating at Mansfield, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Hershey's Dauphin Sweet Chocolate Coating."

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 rodent hairs, insect fragments, beetles, and larvae.

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SUGAR

10105. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 910 Bags and 348 Bags of Sugar. Consent decrees of condemnation. Product released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 16766, 16868. Sample Nos. 22976-H, 23015-H.)

LIBELS FILED: June 30 and July 19, 1945, Western District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 5, May 18, and June 7, 1945, from Pekin, Ill., and Gramercy, La.

PRODUCT: 1,258 100-pound bags of sugar at Memphis, Tenn., in the possession of the P & B Transfer and Storage Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent excreta and urine stains were observed on them. Examination showed that the product had been contaminated with urine and that it contained rodent excreta and rodent excreta pellets.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been stored under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 5 and July 21, 1945. The Colonial Baking Co. and T. C. Collas & Co., Memphis, Tenn., claimants, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond for segregation and conversion of the unfit portions for use other than human consumption, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

10106. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 900 Bags of Sugar. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 17221. Sample No. 469-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 28, 1945, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 26, 1945, from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 900 100-pound bags of sugar at Columbus, Ga., in the possession of Dexter and Willingham Warehouse. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent pellets and urine stains were observed on them. Examination of the sugar showed contamination by rodent urine.