6251. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 45 Bags of Sugar. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 10260. Sample No. 35156-F.)

LIBEL FILED: July 15, 1943, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 14, 1943, from Montgomery, Ala.

PRODUCT: 45 100-pound bags of sugar at Atlanta, Ga., in possession of the Bonded Service Warehouse.

The product was stored under insanitary conditions. Mouse excreta and urine stains were found on the bags. Examination of samples confirmed the presence of urine.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance, urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

Disposition: August 10, 1943. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed. Destruction was effected by conversion into hog feed.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

6252. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 6 Cubes (420 pounds) of Butter. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold to be denatured. (F. D. C. No. 10489. Sample No. 25644–F.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about July 31, 1943, Middle District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 13, 1943, by the Carthage Creamery Co., Carthage, Mo.

Product: 6 70-pound cubes of butter at Montgomery, Ala.

Examination disclosed that this product contained mold.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: October 28, 1943. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold to be denatured.

6253. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 600 Boxes of Butter (and 2 other seizure actions against butter). Decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 10397, 10488, 10490. Sample Nos. 21889-F, 34218-F, 46175-F, 46176-F.)

LIBELS FILED: August 11 and 12, 1943, Western District of Pennsylvania and District of Columbia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: From on or about July 20 to August 1, 1943, by the Bowser Sales and Trading Corporation, Sistersville, W. Va.

PRODUCT: Butter: 600 60-pound boxes at Washington, D. C., and 1,200 60-pound crates at Pittsburgh, Pa,

Examination disclosed that this product contained mold.

LABEL, IN PART: (Boxes and crates) "Valley Creamery Sistersville, W. Va.," or "Whipple Creamery Marietta, Ohio."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), one lot at Washington consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance, and the other lot consisted in whole or in part of a filthy or decomposed animal substance.

Disposition: Between November 19, 1943, and January 26, 1944. The Bowser Sales and Trading Corporation having appeared as claimant, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated and sold as inedible grease or refined into butter oil, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6254. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 650 Cases of Butter (and 3 other seizure actions against butter). Decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 10772, 10977, 11933, 12201. Sample Nos. 22326-F, 38923-F, 38932-F, 59266-F, 72022-F.)

LIBELS FILED: Between August 21, 1943, and March 17, 1944, Northern District of Illinois, Western District of New York, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: From on or about July 7 to September 2, 1943, by the Dairy Products Marketing Assn., from Louisville, Ky., and Cincinnati, Ohio.