7062. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 42 Bags, 17 Bags, and 184 Bags of Cane Sugar. Consent decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 12948, 12949, 12993. Sample Nos. 72560-F, 72561-F, 80184-F.)

LIBELS FILED: July 19 and 25, 1944, Western District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 15 and 18, and June 1, 1944, from Franklin, Reserve, and Sterling, La.

PRODUCT: 243 bags, each containing 100 pounds, of sugar at Memphis, Tenn.,

in possession of Malone & Hyde, Inc.

The sugar was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed and contained urine stains and rodent excreta. Samples of the sugar were found to be contaminated with urine and rodent excreta.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: 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 held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

Disposition: August 25, 1944. Malone & Hyde, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libels, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated, re-refined, and resacked under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7063. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 15 Bags of Sugar. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12973. Sample No. 68468-F.)

LIBEL FILED: July 19, 1944, Southern District of Indiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 10, 1943, from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 15 100-pound bags of sugar, at Evansville, Ind., in possession of Mead Johnson Terminal Corporation.

The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Exami-

nation of samples showed that the sugar was contaminated with urine.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: 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 held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 12, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

7064. Adulteration of dextrose sugar. U. S. v. 12,770 Sacks of Dextrose Sugar. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 12994. Sample No. 11355-F.)

LIBEL FILED: July 20, 1944, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: From on or about January 15 to October 19, 1943, from North Kansas City, Mo.

PRODUCT: 12,770 bags, each containing 100 pounds, of dextrose sugar, at Sunny-

vale, Calif., in possession of Libby, McNeill & Libby.

The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. The premises were rodent-infested, and many of the bags were rodent-gnawed and urine-stained. Examination of samples showed that the product was contaminated with rodent excreta, rodent hairs, and urine.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: 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 held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 28, 1944. Libby, McNeill & Libby, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for segregation, repacking, and rerefining, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

7065. Adulteration and misbranding of sirup. U. S. v. 50 Cases and 349 Cases of Syrup. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 13710. Sample No. 34922–F.)

LIBEL FILED: September 22, 1944, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 15, 1944, by Dad's Quality Syrup Co., from Gainesville, Fla.

PRODUCT: 50 cases, each containing 24 22-ounce bottles, and 349 cases, each containing 6 64-ounce bottles, of sirup, at Albany, Ga.