

statement of the quantity of the contents (the cans were labeled "10 Oz.," whereas the average weight was found to be 6 pounds, 7.47 ounces).

DISPOSITION: September 21, 1948. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution.

13680. Adulteration of tomato catsup. U. S. v. 132 Cases * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 24450, 24460. Sample Nos. 15035-K, 24075-K.)

LIBELS FILED: February 20 and March 1, 1948, Southern District of Iowa and Eastern District of Wisconsin.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 10 and December 30, 1947, by the Fettig Canning Corp., from Elwood, Ind.

PRODUCT: Tomato catsup. 132 cases at Burlington, Iowa, and 905 cases at Sheboygan, Wis. Each case contained 24 14-ounce bottles.

LABEL, IN PART: "Vine-Ripe Tomato Catsup" or "Schultz's Brand Finest Tomato Catsup."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

DISPOSITION: April 20 and 29, 1948. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

13681. Adulteration of tomato catsup. U. S. v. 648 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24481. Sample No. 25080-K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 13, 1948, District of Minnesota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 3, 1948, by the Fettig Canning Corp., from Elwood, Ind.

PRODUCT: 648 cases, each containing 24 14-ounce bottles, of tomato catsup at Duluth, Minn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Serv-well Tomato Catsup."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed tomato material.

DISPOSITION: October 6, 1948. Default decree of destruction.

NUTS AND NUT PRODUCTS

13682. Adulteration of brazil nuts. U. S. v. 10 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23965. Sample No. 2428-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about November 13, 1947, Southern District of West Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 17, 1947, by Wm. A. Higgins & Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 10 100-pound bags of brazil nuts at Huntington, W. Va.

LABEL, IN PART: "Holly New Crop Large Washed Brazil Nuts."

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 insect-infested nuts, and of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of moldy and rancid nuts; and the product was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of empty nut shells.

DISPOSITION: February 28, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13683. Adulteration of cashew nuts. U. S. v. 5 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 23424. Sample Nos. 71360-H, 71361-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 2, 1947, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 29, 1947, by Wm. A. Higgins & Co., from Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 10 cases, each containing 25 pounds, of cashew nuts at Los Angeles, Calif.

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 larvae and insect parts.

DISPOSITION: October 24, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.