Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the product was in package form, and it failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (The cartons contained less than the declared weight of five pounds.)

DISPOSITION: May 23, 1949. The Atalanta Trading Corp., New York, N. Y., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered. The court ordered that the product be released under bond to be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

14996. Adulteration of rabbits. U. S. v. 29 Barrels * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26951. Sample No. 8626–K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 28, 1949, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 8, 1949, by C. Hansen & Co., from Preston, Kans.

PRODUCT: 29 barrels, each containing approximately 200 pounds, of rabbits at New York, N. Y.

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 rabbits.

DISPOSITION: April 19, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

i4997. Adulteration of dried sea snails. U. S. v. 32 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27061. Sample No. 31011-K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 22, 1949, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 5, 1946, from Ensenada, Mexico.

PRODUCT: 32 73-pound bags of dried sea snails 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 insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: May 19, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

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14998. Adulteration of shelled pecans. U. S. v. 16 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26999. Sample No. 3786–K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 14, 1949, Eastern District of Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 27, 1949, by the Consolidated Pecan Sales Co., from Albany, Ga.

PRODUCT: 16 30-pound cases of shelled pecans at Norfolk, Va.

LABEL, IN PART: "Selected Pecan Meats Cream of the Crop."

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.

DISPOSITION: May 23, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14999. Adulteration of shelled pecans. U. S. v. 12 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26964. Sample No. 3790–K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 31, 1949, Eastern District of Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 21, 1949, by the Consolidated Pecan Sales Co., from Albany, Ga.