NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy animal substance.

DISPOSITION: October 22, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to the National Zoological Park for its use and not for sale.

20874. Adulteration of canned shrimp. U. S. v. 98 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35421. Sample No. 47649–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 9, 1953, District of Puerto Rico.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 26, 1953, by the American Sun Dried Shrimp Co., from Houma, La.

PRODUCT: 98 cases, each containing 24 cans, of shrimp at San Juan, P. R.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Helen Ann Brand Wet Pack Small Shrimp Drained Weight 5 Ozs."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of decomposed shrimp, and it was otherwise unfit for food by reason of the presence of badly discolored shrimp.

DISPOSITION: October 20, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

20875. Adulteration of canned shrimp. U. S. v. 69 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35470. Sample No. 67904–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 14, 1953, Northern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 14 and August 3, 1953, by the Deepsouth Packing Co., from New Orleans, La.

PRODUCT: 69 cases, each containing 24 cans, of shrimp at Dallas, Tex.

LABEL, IN PART: (Can) "Shady River Brand Wet Pack Small Shrimp Drained Weight 5 Oz."

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

DISPOSITION: October 17, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a Federal institution. Thereafter, the product was segregated by the United States marshal and inspectors of the Food and Drug Administration, and, as a result, 19 cases of the product were found fit for human consumption and 37 cases were found unfit. The 19 cases which were found good were stored at an institution for subsequent consumption by the inmates, and the remainder of the product was fed to hogs.

20876. Adulteration of frozen breaded shrimp. U. S. v. 20 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35636. Sample No. 50129–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 21, 1953, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 9, 1953, from St. Simons Island, Ga.

PRODUCT: 20 cartons, each containing 12 2-pound packages, of frozen breaded shrimp at New York, N. Y.

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