23117. Rice and unshelled walnuts. (F. D. C. No. 38742. S. Nos. 25-797 M, 40-340/1 M.)

QUANTITY: 17 100-lb. bags of rice and 12 25-lb. bags of unshelled walnuts at Stillwater, Minn., in possession of Minnesota Mercantile Co.

SHIPPED: Between 9-13-55 and 11-9-55, from Stuttgart, Ark., Los Angeles, Calif., and Memphis, Tenn.

LIBELED: 12-10-55, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine; and 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

Disposition: 2-3-56. Default—destruction.

23118. Wheat. (F. D. C. No. 39066. S. Nos. 37-365/6 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,066 bu. at Clifton, N. J.

SHIPPED: 4-21-56, from Caledonia, N. Y., by John Ball & Co.

Libeled: 5-4-56, Dist. N. J.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent and other excreta when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 5-16-56. Consent—claimed by John Ball & Co. and denatured for use as animal feed.

23119. Wheat. (F. D. C. No. 39112. S. No. 40-924 M.)

QUANTITY: 111,600 lbs. at Minneapolis, Minn.

SHIPPED: 3-28-56, from Zahl, N. Dak., by Zahl Farmers Union Elevator Co.

LIBELED: 4-18-56, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained musty wheat when shipped.

Disposition: 4-30-56. Consent—claimed by Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, St. Paul, Minn. Segregated, 47,290 lbs. denatured for use as animal feed.

23120. Wheat. (F. D. C. No. 39104. S. No. 26–540 M.)

QUANTITY: 102,590 lbs. at Minneapolis, Minn.

SHIPPED: 3-16-56, from Kenaston, N. Dak., by Peavey Elevators.

LIBELED: 4-4-56, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 4-17-56. Consent—claimed by F. H. Peavey & Co., Minneapolis, Minn., and denatured for use as animal feed.

23121. Wheat. (F. D. C. No. 39096. S. No. 41-061 M.)

QUANTITY: 91,800 lbs. at St. Louis Park, Minn.

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SHIPPED: 3-5-56, from Regent, N. Dak., by Regent Co-op. Equity Exchange.

LIBELED: 3-26-56, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (2)—the article was a raw agricultural commodity and contained, when shipped, a pesticide chemical, namely, a mercurial compound, which is unsafe within the meaning of 408 (a) since no tolerance or exemption from the requirement of a tolerance for such pesticide chemical on wheat has been prescribed by regulations.

Disposition: 4-5-56. Consent—claimed by Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, St. Paul, Minn., and denatured for use as seed wheat.