24401. Cheese. (F. D. C. No. 39400. S. Nos. 62-106/8 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 3-8-57, S. Dist. N. Y., against Brunetto Cheese Co., Inc., Hopewell Junction, N. Y., and Martin Strazdins, plant manager.

SHIPPED: 10-11-56, from New York to Connecticut.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained insects and insect fragments; and 402 (a)—prepared under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 12-27-57. Corporation and individual-\$50 fine, each.

24402. Cheddar cheese. (F. D. C. No. 39998. S. No. 44-000 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 9-9-57, W. Dist. Mo., against Charles F. Umland, t/a Pulaski Country Cheese Co., Dixon, Mo.

ADDED VIOLATION: On 9-1-54, the defendant gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping cheese in interstate commerce, a guaranty to the effect that cheese delivered by the defendant under the guaranty would not be adulterated or misbranded.

On 10-23-56, the defendant caused to be delivered to the holder of the guaranty at Springfield, Mo., a quantity of cheddar cheese which was adulterated.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—when shipped, contained a filthy substance by reason of the use of filth-contaminated milk in the preparation of the cheese.

PLEA: Nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 3-27-58. \$750 fine, plus costs.

24403. Cheese. (F. D. C. No. 40536. S. No. 61-439 M.)

QUANTITY: 109 2-lb. heads in 6 cartons at Manchester, N. H.

SHIPPED: Between 3-6-57 and 5-16-57, from Hinesburg, Vt.

LIBELED: 7-25-57, Dist. N. H.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained a decomposed substance while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 1-23-58. Consent—destruction.

EGGS

24404. Shell eggs. (F. D. C. No. 40607. S. No. 36-017 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 12-12-57, N. Dist. Ill., against Bauer Poultry Corp., Addison, Ill., against Carl Bauer, trading under the names of Square B Brand Egg Co., Wm. Bano, and Blue Top Turkey Co., Addison, Ill., and against Winfred M. Wright, d/b/a W. Wright, Kansas City, Mo.

SHIPPED: 4-12-56, from Iowa to Illinois.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—when shipped, contained decomposed eggs and was otherwise unfit for food because the eggs were incubator rejects.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 2-24-58. Corporation—\$200 fine, plus costs; individuals—each fined \$100, which fines were suspended for 1 year.

24405. Frozen eggs. (F. D. C. No. 40003. S. No. 50-345 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-1-57, Dist. N. H., against H. P. Hood & Sons, Inc., Walpole, N. H., and Bruce Mavor, manager of the corporation's Walpole plant.

Shipped: 9-17-56, from New Hampshire to Massachusetts.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Whole Frozen Eggs 30 Lbs. Net Packed by: H. P. Hood & Sons, Walpole, N. H. Egg Division."

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed eggs when shipped.

PLEA: Corporation—guilty; individual—nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 10-2-57. Corporation—\$700 fine; individual—placed on 30 days probation.

24406. Frozen eggs. (F. D. C. No. 40752. S. No. 72-938 M.)

QUANTITY: 414 30-lb. cans at Denver, Colo.

Shipped: Shell eggs were shipped from various points in Kansas and Nebraska.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The frozen eggs were prepared from the shell eggs, shipped as described above.

LIBELED: 9-27-57, Dist. Colo.

Charge: 402 (a) (3)—contained a decomposed substance while held for sale.

Disposition: 10-16-57. Consent—claimed by Safeway Stores, Inc., Oakland, Calif. 4 cans of the 150 cans of eggs actually seized were found unfit and denatured.

24407. Frozen eggs. (F. D. C. No. 41210. S. No. 88-143 M.)

QUANTITY: 152 cans at Rochester, N. Y.

Shipped: 11-15-57, from Chicago, Ill., by Armour Creameries.

LABEL IN PART: "Frozen Whole Eggs Armour Cloverbloom 30 Lbs. Net Weight."

LIBELED: 12-4-57, W. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained decomposed eggs when shipped.

DISPOSITION: 1-13-58. Consent—claimed by Armour & Co. Segregated; 6 30-lb. cans denatured.

FISH AND SHELLFISH*

24408. Codfish. (F. D. C. No. 39386. S. Nos. 44-905/6 M, 58-980 M.)

Information Filed: 6-5-57, Dist. Mass., against Collins-Lee Co., a corporation, Chelsea, Mass., and Wallace C. Lee, president and treasurer of the corporation.

SHIPPED: Between 7-16-56 and 8-7-56, from Massachusetts to Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia.

LABEL IN PART: (Ctn.) "5 Lbs. Net Pride Codfish," "5 Lbs. Fine Cut Salt Fish," and "10 Lbs. Cod Bits Collins & Lee."

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained maggots and insect parts, plus insect eggs (cod bits); and 402 (a) (4)—prepared under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

Disposition: 10-28-57. Corporation-\$1,000 fine; individual-\$100 fine.

24409. Dover sole fillets. (F. D. C. No. 40537. S. Nos. 51-364 M, 74-274 M, 74-278 M.)

QUANTITY: 100 cases, 12 5-lb. ctns. each, at Seattle, Wash.

^{*}See also No. 24449.