LIBELED: 10–24–61, E. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects and insect excreta; and 402(a)(4)—prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 11–29–61. Default—delivered to a public institution for use as animal feed.

27676. Puffed rice and puffed wheat. (F.D.C. No. 46795. S. Nos. 51–399/408 T, 52–518/9 T.)

QUANTITY: 103 cases, 24 6-oz. pkgs. each, and 88 cases, 12 1-lb. pkgs. each, of puffed wheat; and 117 cases, 24 6-oz. pkgs. each, of puffed rice, at Bellevue, Wash.

SHIPPED: Between 9–7–61 and 11–7–61, from Stockton, Calif., by Poph-Itt Cereals, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Toasted Whiffs Rice Puffs [or "Wheat Puffs"] * * * Poph-Itt Cereals, Inc. Stockton, Calif.—Minneapolis, Minn.—St. Louis, Mo."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the articles contained lead.

LIBELED: On or about 12–21–61, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 402(a)(2)(C)—when shipped, the articles contained a food additive, namely, lead, which is unsafe within the meaning of 409, since it and its use or intended use were not in conformity with a regulation or exemption in effect.

DISPOSITION: 2–12–62. Default—destruction.

27677. Puffed rice and puffed wheat. (F.D.C. No. 46796. S. Nos. 52–521/6 T, 52–591/2 T.)

QUANTITY: 219 cases, 24 6-oz. pkgs. each, and 14 cases, 12 16-oz. pkgs. each, of puffed rice; and 31 cases, 24 6-oz. pkgs. each, 54 cases, 12 16-oz. pkgs. each, and 46 cases, 24 6-oz. pkgs. each, of puffed wheat, at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: Between 9–29–61 and 11–10–61, from Stockton, Calif., by Poph-Itt Cereals, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Shurfine Rice Tempties [or "Wheat Tempties"] National Retailer-Owned Grocers, Inc. Distributors—General Offices—Chicago, Ill." and (46-case lot) "Shur-fresh Wheat Tempties Packed For Associated Grocers, Inc., Seattle."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the articles contained lead.

LIBELED: On or about 12–21–61, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: 402(a)(2)(C)—when shipped, the articles contained a food additive, namely, lead, which is unsafe within the meaning of 409 since it and its use or intended use were not in conformity with a regulation or exemption in effect.

DISPOSITION: 2–5–62. Default—destruction.

27678. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 46841. S. Nos. 38–417/8 T.)

QUANTITY: 2,400 100-lb. bags at Mobile, Ala.

SHIPPED: 11–8–61 and 11–15–61, from Gueydan, La., by Republic Rice Mill, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Bag) "Vitamin and Mineral Fortified Rice * * * Packed by Republic Rice Mill, Inc. Gueydan, La."