ALLEGED SHIPMENT: July 26 and 28, 1944, from the State of Texas into the States of Oklahoma and New Mexico.

LABEL, IN PART: "Houck's Holsum Bread," "Holsum Rye," or "Holsum Wheat Blend."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect parts, mites, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: October 15, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of $200 on each count, a total fine of $800.

8518. Adulteration of bread, doughnuts, and hard and sweet rolls. U. S. v. Goldblatt Bros., Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $1,000 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 15532. Sample Nos. 78576-F, 78578-F, 78583-F, 78585-F, 78587-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 11, 1945, Northern District of Illinois, against Goldblatt Bros., Inc., a corporation, Chicago, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 12, 1944, from the State of Illinois into the State of Indiana.

LABEL, IN PART: (Portion of bread) "Goldblatt's Bond Bread Made in Goldblatt Bros.' Ultra Modern Bakery." The rolls and doughnuts were unlabeled, and the remainder of the bread was unlabeled, except for the statement "1 Lb."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, rodent hair fragments, and hair resembling rodent hair; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: October 12, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of $200 on each of 5 counts, plus costs.

8519. Adulteration of bread and rolls. U. S. v. Beaty Food Products, Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $250 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 15534. Sample Nos. 81357-F, 81358-F, 81360-F, 81569-F, 81570-F.)

INFORMATION FILED: On or about July 9, 1945, Western District of Missouri, against Beaty Food Products, Inc., St. Joseph, Mo.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 15 and October 16, 1944, from the State of Missouri into the State of Kansas.

LABEL, IN PART: "Hy-Klas Bread [or "Cinnamon Rolls," or "Pan Rolls"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of larvae and insects, larva and insect parts and fragments, rodent hairs and fragments, and a rodent excreta pellet; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: September 17, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of $50 on each count, a total fine of $250, plus costs.

8520. Adulteration of bread, buns, and rolls. U. S. v. Melvin Ottenberg (Ottenberg's Bakery). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $600. (F. D. C. No. 16497. Sample Nos. 79549-F, 79551-F to 79555-F, incl., 2845-H, 2847-H, 2848-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: August 10, 1945, District of Columbia, against Melvin Ottenberg, an individual trading as Ottenberg's Bakery, at Washington, D. C. It was charged that the defendant, on or about June 19 and 20, 1944, and March 21 and 23, 1945, manufactured in the District of Columbia quantities of bread, buns, and rolls that were adulterated; and that on or about June 20, 1944, he introduced into the commerce of the District of Columbia a quantity of bread that was adulterated.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bread) "Ottenberg's Original Rye [or "Pumpernickel"] Bread." The rolls and buns were unlabeled.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insect

fragments, larvae, larva cast skins, larva body parts and head capsules, an adult insect head, a fly, a thrip, mites, rodent hair fragments, and hairs resembling rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions whereby they might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 10, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined $600.

8521. Adulteration of potato bread, rye bread, white bread, and sweet rolls. U. S. v. Bell Bakeries, Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $500. (F. D. C. No. 15494. Sample Nos. 72425–F, 72427–F to 72429–F, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: May 1, 1945, Southern District of Illinois, against the Bell Bakeries, Inc., Quincy, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 11, 1944, from the State of Illinois into the State of Missouri.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of larvae, insect fragments, hairs resembling rodent hairs, and a rodent hair fragment; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 3, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of $500 was imposed.

8522. Adulteration of bread, cake, and rolls. U. S. v. The Kroger Grocery & Baking Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $750. (F. D. C. No. 15515. Sample Nos. 58961–F, 58963–F, 58965–F, 79750–F, 79757–F.)

INFORMATION FILED: July 3, 1945, Western District of Virginia, against the Kroger Grocery & Baking Co., a corporation, Roanoke, Va.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of July 7 and October 11, 1944, from the State of Virginia into the State of West Virginia.

LABEL, IN PART: "Kroger's Cheese [or "Clock"] Bread," "Yellow Layer," or "Cinnamin Rolls."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of larva head capsules, mites, insect fragments, rodent hair fragments, and a hair fragment resembling a rodent hair fragment; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 13, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of $150 on each of 5 counts, a total fine of $750, was imposed.

8523. Adulteration of bread. U. S. v. Fogelson Bros., Inc., and Nathan Fogelson. Pleas of guilty. Each defendant fined $150. (F. D. C. No. 15510. Sample Nos. 82567–F, 82570–F, 82572–F.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 16, 1945, District of New Jersey, against Fogelson Bros., Inc., Newton, N. J., and Nathan Fogelson, secretary-treasurer.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 8, 1944, from the State of New Jersey into the State of New York.

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 storage larvae, larva head capsules, insect fragments, whole insects, and a rodent hair fragment; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the product had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 2, 1945. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the corporation and the individual defendant, each defendant was fined $50 on each of 3 counts.

8524. Adulteration of cookies. U. S. v. United Biscuit Co. of America (Manchester Biscuit Co., division of United Biscuit Co. of America). Plea of guilty. Fine, $750. (F. D. C. No. 15495. Sample No. 87368–F.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 1, 1945, District of South Dakota, against the United Biscuit Co. of America, a corporation operating under the name of the Manchester Biscuit Co., division of United Biscuit Co. of America, at Sioux Falls, S. Dak.