

11869. Adulteration and misbranding of enriched flour. U. S. v. 147 Bags * * *.
(F. D. C. No. 21718. Sample No. 50068-H.)**LIBEL FILED:** November 27, 1946, Middle District of Alabama.**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 26, 1946, by the Hanover Star Milling Co., from Germantown, Ill.**PRODUCT:** 147 10-pound bags of enriched flour at Ozark, Ala.**LABEL, IN PART:** "Leonora Extra High Grade Pastry Flour Enriched * * * Bleached."**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, thiamine and iron, had been in part omitted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the article failed to conform to the definition and standard for enriched flour, since it contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine and less than 13.0 milligrams of iron per pound.

DISPOSITION: January 23, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a State agency, for the use of State institutions.**11870. Adulteration and misbranding of enriched flour. U. S. v. 21 Bags * * *.**
(F. D. C. No. 22991. Sample No. 76850-H.)**LIBEL FILED:** April 29, 1947, District of South Dakota.**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about November 18 and December 17, 1946, by the Norfolk Cereal & Flour Mills Co., from Norfolk, Nebr.**PRODUCT:** 21 50-pound bags of enriched flour at Plankinton, S. Dak.**LABEL, IN PART:** "Bon-Ton Vitamin Enriched All Purpose Bleached Flour."**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, thiamine (vitamin B₁), had been in part omitted from the article.Misbranding, Section 403 (b) (1), the article purported to be and was represented as enriched flour, and it failed to conform to the definition and standard for enriched flour since it contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine (vitamin B₁) per pound.**DISPOSITION:** June 3, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a public institution.**MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS****11871. Adulteration of wheat cereal and pancake flour. U. S. v. Hubbard Milling Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 22034. Sample Nos. 51390-H to 51392-H, incl.)****INFORMATION FILED:** April 17, 1947, District of Minnesota, against the Hubbard Milling Co., a corporation, Mankato, Minn.**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 3, 1946, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Wisconsin.**LABEL, IN PART:** "Mother Hubbard Wheat Cereal [or "Whole Wheat Energy Cereal," or "Self-Raising Pancake Flour With Buckwheat"]."**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.**DISPOSITION:** June 2, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$100.**11872. Adulteration of wheat cereal. U. S. v. 53 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21839. Sample No. 48157-H.)****LIBEL FILED:** December 6, 1946, District of Utah.**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about June 1 and 27 and July 9, 1946, by the Pophitt Cereal Co., from Denver, Colo.**PRODUCT:** 53 cases, each containing 24 6-ounce packages, of toasted wheat cereal at Provo, Utah.**LABEL, IN PART:** "Toasted Whiffs O-Whole Wheat."**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 larvae.

DISPOSITION: February 14, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment was entered ordering that the product be destroyed by utilizing it for animal feed.

11873. Adulteration of corn bread mix. U. S. v. 7 Cases * * * (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 21760, 21789, 21852. Sample Nos. 49848-H, 49849-H, 50220-H.)

LIBELS FILED: November 29 and on or about December 11 and 13, 1946, Southern District of Mississippi and Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of August 9 and October 28, 1946, by the In-A-Minit Food Co., from Hutchins, Tex.

PRODUCT: Corn bread mix. 7 cases at Gulfport and 17 cases at Pascagoula, Miss., and 23 cases at Baton Rouge, La. Each case contained 24 1-pound packages of the product.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mrs. Johnson's In-A-Minit Corn Bread Mix."

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 rodent excreta, rodent hairs, insects, beetles, and larvae; and, Section 402 (a) (4), (1 lot) it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 23 and February 21, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

11874. Adulteration of oatmeal. U. S. v. 19 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21951. Sample No. 54333-H.)

LIBEL FILED: December 5, 1946, Middle District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 5, 1946, by the Northern Illinois Cereal Co., from Lockport, Ill.

PRODUCT: 19 100-pound bags of oatmeal at Greensboro, N. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "Gold Medal Quick Cook Oats."

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 rodent excreta and urine.

DISPOSITION: December 11, 1946. The Jones Brothers Bakery, Inc., Greensboro, N. C., claimant, having admitted that the product was adulterated, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution, for use as stock feed.

11875. Adulteration of popcorn. U. S. v. Valentine Tidswell & Sons. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 21562. Sample Nos. 9941-H, 60151-H, 60156-H.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 6, 1947, Northern District of Ohio, against Valentine Tidswell & Sons, a partnership, North Fairfield, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of April 15 and June 6, 1946, from the State of Ohio into the States of Pennsylvania and New York.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hair fragments.

DISPOSITION: March 7, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$100, plus costs.

11876. Adulteration of popcorn. U. S. v. 19 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21707. Sample No. 61766-H.)

LIBEL FILED: November 18, 1946, District of Oregon.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 1, 1945, by the Golden Grain Cereal Co., from Minneapolis, Minn.

PRODUCT: 19 cases, each containing 30 8-ounce packages, of popcorn at Baker, Oreg.

LABEL, IN PART: "All American Selected Pop Corn."

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 rodent excreta and hairs.

DISPOSITION: January 14, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.