ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 13, 1947, by the Hopkinsville Milling Co., from Hopkinsville, Ky.

PRODUCT: 6 100-pound bags of corn meal at Nashville, Tenn.

LABEL, IN PART: "Enriched * * * Cream Meal."

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 rodent excreta, rodent hair fragments, insect fragments, and larvae.

DISPOSITION: January 9, 1948. Default decree ordering product delivered to an institution, for use as hog feed.

FLOUR

Nos. 13028 to 13034 report actions involving flour that was insect- or rodent-infested, or both. (In those cases in which the time of contamination was known, that fact is stated in the notice of judgment.) The flour reported in **No. 13035** failed to meet the standard for enriched flour.

13028. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Crowther Bros. Milling Co., Edward N. Crowther, and Norman W. Crowther. Pleas of nolo contendere. Fine, $100. (F. D. C. No. 20931. Sample Nos. 25577–H to 25579–H, incl., 25594–H, 25595–H, 47244–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: January 6, 1947, District of Idaho, against the Crowther Bros. Milling Co., a corporation, Malad City, Idaho, and Edward N. Crowther and Norman W. Crowther.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of March 22 and May 20, 1946, from the State of Idaho into the State of Utah.

LABEL, IN PART: "Big C Special Patent," "Golden Rod Hard Wheat [or "Unbleached Macaroni"] Flour," or "White Swan."

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

DISPOSITION: October 13, 1947. Pleas of nolo contendere having been entered, a fine of $100 was imposed collectively against the defendants.

13029. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Minot Flour Mill Co., a corporation, and William H. Dunnell. Plea of guilty on behalf of the corporation; fine, $900. Plea of nolo contendere by William H. Dunnell; fine, $100. (F. D. C. No. 24055. Sample Nos. 87578–H, 87616–H to 87619–H, incl., 87723–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 8, 1947, District of North Dakota, against the Minot Flour Mill Co., Minot, N. Dak., and William H. Dunnell, president.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 18, 19, and 21, 1947, from the State of North Dakota into the State of New York, Connecticut, and New Jersey.

LABEL, IN PART: "White Cross Patent Flour Glasgow Flour Mill Co. Glasgow, Mont.," "'Snow White,'" "Wizard Extra High Protein," "Spring Wheat Patent," "Expander * * * Minot Flour Mill Co.," or "Walker's * * * Locomotive Patent Flour * * * Milled Expressly for H. R. Walker & Sons, Passaic, N. J."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, rodent hairs, rodent hair fragments, feather fragments, and cat hair; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: June 15, 1948. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the corporation, and a plea of nolo contendere having been entered by William H. Dunnell, the court imposed fines of $900 against the corporation and $100 against Mr. Dunnell.

13030. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Van Dusen Harrington Co. (King Midas Flour Mills), and Andrew N. Henjum. Pleas of guilty. Fine, $450. (F. D. C. No. 21535. Sample Nos. 19785–H, 50995–H, 51269–H, 51270–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: February 4, 1947, District of Minnesota, against the Van Dusen Harrington Co., a corporation, trading as the King Midas Flour Mills, at Minneapolis, Minn., and Andrew N. Henjum, superintendent of the Minneapolis plant.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 22 and 25, 1946, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Wisconsin.

LABEL, IN PART: "Enriched King Midas Flour."

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

DISPOSITION: September 22, 1947. Pleas of guilty having been entered, a fine of $450 was imposed against the defendants jointly.

13031. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Montana Flour Mills Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $2,500 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 24538. Sample Nos. 2613–K, 19023–K, 19024–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 9, 1948, Northern District of Ohio, against the Montana Flour Mills Co., Cleveland, Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 5, 10, and 16, 1947, from the State of Ohio into the State of West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

LABEL, IN PART: "Isis Flour," or "Sapphire Short Patent Flour."

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

DISPOSITION: April 30, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of $2,500 and costs.

13032. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Shawnee Milling Co. (Okeene Milling Co.). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $150. (F. D. C. No. 23620. Sample Nos. 50516–H, 86601–H, 86603–H.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 10, 1947, Western District of Oklahoma, against the Shawnee Milling Co., a corporation, trading as the Okeene Milling Co., Okeene, Okla.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of February 17 and March 29, 1947, from the State of Oklahoma into the States of Texas and Arkansas.

LABEL, IN PART: "Okeene Bakers," or "Golden Sheaf * * * Phosphated Okeene Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insect fragments and insects; and (portion), Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: December 17, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, a fine of $150 was imposed.

13033. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 49 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24657. Sample No. 18559–K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 28, 1948, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 2, 1948, by the Eagle Roller Mill Co., from New Ulm, Minn.

PRODUCT: 49 100-pound bags of flour at Mt. Healthy, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Challenger Flour Bleached."

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 insect parts; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: June 23, 1948. The C. C. Groff Milling Co., Mt. Healthy, Ohio, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be denatured for use as stock feed. under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

13034. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 10 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 24490. Sample Nos. 30836–K, 30837–K.)

LIBEL FILED: March 17, 1948, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 30, 1948, by the Sheridan Flouring Mills, Inc., from Sheridan, Wyo.