FLOUR*

Nos. 13369 to 13393 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.)

13369. Adulteration of flour and corn meal. U. S. v. 1,245 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25475. Sample Nos. 23801–K to 23819–K, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: August 24, 1948, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between October 23, 1947, and April 6, 1948, from Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: 1,245 bags and 224 cases of flour and 137 bags and 236 cases of corn meal at New Orleans, La.

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. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: September 14, 1948. The Russell-Miller Milling Co., Dallas, Tex., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered released under bond for conversion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

13370. Adulteration of corn flour and corn meal. U. S. v. 18 Bags * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. No. 24999. Sample Nos. 22314–K, 22315–K.)

LIBELS FILED: July 6, 1948, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 2, 1948, from Crete, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 18 100-pound bags of white corn flour and 53 100-pound bags of yellow corn meal at Baton Rouge and New Orleans, La.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 12, 1948. Consolidated Companies, Inc., New Orleans, La., claimant, having consented to the entry of decrees, judgments of condemnation were entered and the products were ordered released under bond for conversion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

13371. Adulteration of corn flour. U. S. v. 33 Sacks * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25168. Sample Nos. 22316–K, 22317–K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 16, 1948, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 28 and June 15, 1948, from Lincoln, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 33 100-pound sacks of corn flour at New Orleans, La.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance. (The product was insect-infested.) The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 13, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13372. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Camden Flour Mill and John A. Vance. Pleas of guilty. Fine of $250 against each defendant. (F. D. C. No. 24546. Sample No. 83444–H.)

LIBEL FILED: April 20, 1948, Southern District of Ohio, against Camden Flour Mill, a partnership, Camden, Ohio, and John A. Vance, a partner.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 15, 1947, from the State of Ohio into the State of Indiana.

LABEL, IN PART: "Pride of Camden Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of a larva, 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.

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*See also No. 13368.