

On September 7, 1951, an amended decree was entered providing for the release of the product under bond to the claimant for conversion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

17811. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 12 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31168. Sample No. 24774-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 29, 1951, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 5, 1951, from Hastings, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 12 100-pound bags of flour at Bethlehem, Pa., in possession of Klein's Bakery.

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 urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 29, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MACARONI AND NOODLE PRODUCTS

17812. Adulteration of egg noodles and macaroni. U. S. v. 18 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 29387. Sample Nos. 78633-K to 78636-K, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: July 11, 1950, District of Montana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 12 and 26, 1950, by the U. S. Macaroni Mfg. Co., from Spokane, Wash.

PRODUCT: 62 cases, each containing 12 1-pound packages, of egg noodles, and 19 cases, each containing 12 14-ounce packages, of macaroni at Missoula, Mont.

LABEL, IN PART: (Package) "Medium U S Taystie Brand Home Style Enriched Egg Noodles" and "Red & White Brand * * * Egg Noodles [or "Elbow Macaroni"]."

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

DISPOSITION: August 28, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the products be denatured and delivered to a public institution, for use as animal feed, or destroyed.

17813. Adulteration of macaroni, lemon juice, canned potatoes, salted peanuts, dehydrated soup mix, bouillon cubes, olive butter, navy beans, Kream-Whip, chicken noodle soup mix, toasted wheat germ, muffin mix, waffle mix, yellow split peas, and black turtle beans. U. S. v. 5 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 31150. Sample Nos. 23804-L to 23806-L, incl., 23808-L to 23810-L, incl., 23815-L to 23823-L, incl., 23827-L to 23830-L, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: May 22, 1951, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: During or about the month of May 1948, from Indianapolis, Ind., Chicago, Ill., Haddock, Ga. Philadelphia, Pa., Ozone Park, N. Y., New York, N. Y., and Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 120 cases, each containing 24 6-ounce packages, of macaroni; 41 cases, each containing 24 8-ounce bottles, of lemon juice; 31 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 13-ounce cans, of potatoes; 38 cases, each containing 24 7-ounce jars, of salted peanuts; 6 cases, each containing 16 2¼-ounce packages, of dehydrated soup mix; 5 cases, each containing 36 1-dozen boxes, and 1 case, containing 12 dozen boxes, of bouillon cubes; 10 cases, each containing 24 5-ounce jars, of olive butter; 83 cases, each containing 24 6-ounce packages, and 23 cases, each containing 48 8-ounce packages, of navy beans; 14 cases, each containing 12 ⅞-fluid-ounce-bottles, of Kream-Whip; 15 cases, each containing 48 2½-ounce packages, of chicken noodle soup mix; 5 cases, each containing 24 1-pound cans, of toasted wheat germ; 38 cases, each containing 24 10-ounce packages, of muffin mix; 32 cases, each containing 24 1-pound, 4-ounce packages, of waffle mix; 3 cases, each containing 24 1-pound boxes, of yellow split peas; and 3 cases, each containing 24 12-ounce boxes, of black turtle beans, at Bound Brook, N. J.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the macaroni, soup mix, navy beans, toasted wheat germ, muffin mix, waffle mix, yellow split peas, and black turtle beans consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence therein of insects, and the lemon juice, potatoes, peanuts, bouillon cubes, olive butter, soup mixture, and Kream-Whip consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances by reason of progressive decomposition. The products were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 9, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS*

17814. Adulteration of brewers rice. U. S. v. Producers Rice Mill, Inc. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 31128. Sample No. 9974-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: October 3, 1951, Eastern District of Arkansas, against Producers Rice Mill, Inc., Stuttgart, Ark.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 10, 1951, from the State of Arkansas into the State of Wisconsin.

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

DISPOSITION: October 29, 1951. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$100.

17815. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 1 Carload * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29895. Sample No. 75839-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 22, 1950, District of Minnesota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 7, 1950, by the Murdo Elevator Co., from Murdo, S. Dak.

PRODUCT: 1 carload of wheat at Minneapolis, Minn.

*See also No. 17813.