CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS*

FLOUR

19801. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 164 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33632. Sample No. 41886–L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 7, 1952, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 12 and 14, 1952, from Seattle, Wash.

PRODUCT: 164 100-pound bags of flour at Fresno, Calif.

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 live insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: September 8, 1952. The Fisher Flouring Mills Co., Seattle, Wash., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be converted into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

19802. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 10 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 33587. Sample Nos. 2229–L, 2230–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 11, 1952, Southern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 7 and August 14, 1952, from Jacksonville, Fla.

PRODUCT: 22 100-pound bags of flour at Brunswick, Ga.

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 insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 26, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution after denaturing for use as animal feed.

19803. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 45 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33706. Sample No. 19915–L.)

LIBEL FILED: September 18, 1952, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 24, 1952, from Wichita, Kans.

PRODUCT: 45 50-pound bags of flour in possession of the S. Hamill Co., Keokuk, Iowa.

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

DISPOSITION: October 18, 1952. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable or tax-supported institution, for use as animal feed.

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*See also No. 19838.