

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 24, 1945. The Ballard and Ballard Company, Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for conversion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

9632. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 120 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold for use in the manufacture of animal feed. (F. D. C. No. 16811. Sample No. 29653-H.)

LIBEL FILED: July 10, 1945, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of October 3, 1944, and February 1, 1945, from Seattle, Wash.

PRODUCT: 120 100-pound bags of flour at Fresno, Calif., in the possession of the State Center Warehouse and Cold Storage Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Rodent pellets and urine stains were observed on the bags, and examination showed that the product contained beetles and larvae.

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DISPOSITION: October 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold for use in the manufacture of animal feed, under the supervision of the United States marshal.

9633. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 33 Bags and 167 Cases of Flour. Default decrees of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution. (F. D. C. Nos. 16956, 16957. Sample Nos. 2328-H, 2329-H.)

LIBELS FILED: On or about August 1, 1945, Western District of Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 6 and May 4, 1945, from Louisville, Ky., and Buffalo, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 33 100-pound bags, 71 cases, each containing 5 10-pound bags, and 96 cases, each containing 10 5-pound bags, of flour at Danville, Va., in the possession of J. W. Wyatt and Co., Inc. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the cases and bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent excreta and urine stains were observed on some of the bags. Samples of the flour were found to be contaminated with rodent excreta and urine.

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DISPOSITION: September 6 and October 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution, for use other than human consumption.

9634. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 134 Bales of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 17040. Sample No. 22369-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 13, 1945, Southern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 8, 1945, by the Inland Mills, Inc., from Des Moines, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 134 bales, each containing 10 5-pound bags, of flour at Peoria, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bleached * * * Companion Brand Fancy Patent Flour."

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 weevils and larvae.

DISPOSITION: September 12, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, to be denatured and used as animal and poultry feed.

9635. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 140 Bags of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 17171. Sample No. 481-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 22, 1945, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 23, 1945, from Nashville, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 140 25-pound bags of flour at Monticello, Ga., in the possession of J. S. Wilson. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent pellets and urine stains were observed on them. Examination showed that the article was contaminated with urine.

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DISPOSITION: September 22, 1945. J. S. Wilson, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for conversion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

9636. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 30 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered sold. (F. D. C. No. 16473. Sample No. 24604-H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 15, 1945, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 10, 1945, by the Shawnee Milling Co., from Shawnee, Okla.

PRODUCT: 30 100-pound bags of flour at New Orleans, La.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bleached Flour Pan Buster Bakers Patent."

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 weevils and larvae.

DISPOSITION: September 29, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered sold, conditioned that the purchaser denature the flour, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration, so that it could be used as animal feed.

9637. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 13 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 17024. Sample No. 22692-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 14, 1945, Western District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 27, 1945, by the Fredericktown Milling Co., from Fredericktown, Mo.

PRODUCT: 13 140-pound bags of flour at Union City, Tenn.

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 larvae and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: October 26, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

9638. Adulteration of corn flour. U. S. v. 56 Bags of Corn Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 17053. Sample No. 799-H.)

LIBEL FILED: September 20, 1945, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 13 and August 14, 1945, by the J. R. Short Milling Co., from Memphis, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 56 100-pound bags of corn flour at Macon, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: "Wytase Dough Whitener Processed White Corn Flour and Enzyme."

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 weevils, larvae, and cast skins.