

30259. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 59 Bags, 35 Bags, and 205 Bags of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product released under bond to be denatured for use as stock feed. (F. & D. Nos. 44059, 44060, 44061. Sample Nos. 49770-D, 49771-D, 49772-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages, at the time of examination was found to be insect-infested.

On October 28, 1938, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 299 bags of flour at Clarksdale, Miss.; alleging that the article had been shipped within the period from on or about July 23, 1938, to on or about September 16, 1938, by Dixie-Portland Flour Co. from Memphis, Tenn.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part, "Hi-Up Flour."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On January 26, 1939, Delta Grocery & Cotton Co., Clarksdale, Miss., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree and having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that it be denatured for use in stock feed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30260. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 20 Sacks of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 44443. Sample No. 36111-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original unbroken packages, at the time of examination was found to be insect-infested.

On December 2, 1938, the United States attorney for the Northern District of California, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 20 sacks of flour at Stockton, Calif.; alleging that the article had been shipped on or about April 22, 1938, by Centennial Flouring Mills Co. from Tacoma, Wash.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part: "Tacoma Grain Co Millers Bakers Flour."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On December 17, 1938, no claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30261. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 85 Bags, et al., of Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product released under bond to be denatured for use as stock feed. (F. & D. Nos. 44070 to 44074, inclusive. Sample Nos. 49767-D, 49768-D, 49769-D, 49774-D, 49775-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages, at the time of examination was found to be insect-infested.

On October 28, 1938, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 970 bags of flour at Clarksdale, Miss.; alleging that the article had been shipped within the period from on or about August 30, 1937, to on or about May 26, 1938, by Sparks Flour Mills from Alton, Ill.; and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act. The article was labeled in part: "Bleached Red Ribbon Flour" or "Hearts Content."

It was alleged to be adulterated in that it consisted wholly or in part of a filthy vegetable substance.

On January 26, 1939, Delta Grocery & Cotton Co., Clarksdale, Miss., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond conditioned that it be denatured for use in stock feed.

HARRY L. BROWN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

30262. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 77 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. & D. No. 44599. Sample No. 50218-D.)

This product, which had been shipped in interstate commerce and remained unsold and in the original packages, at the time of examination was found to contain insects and insect fragments.