VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of larvae,

pupae, cast skins, insect fragments, webbing, beetles, and weevils.

Disposition: Between September 14 and October 10, 1944, Nutt's Cash Store, Fordyce, Ark., General Mills, Inc., Milwaukee, Wis., the Ritchie Grocer Co., Texarkanna and DeQueen, Ark., and the Roop Grocery Co., Bowdon, Ga., having appeared as claimants for the lots located at Fordyce, Milwaukee, Texarkanna, DeQueen, and Bowdon, respectively, and having admitted the material allegations of the libels, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be denatured and disposed of for purposes other than human consumption, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The owner of the Barnesville lot having admitted the allegations of the libel and having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered on October 10, 1944, and the product was ordered disposed of in accordance with the law. The product was subsequently denatured and used for animal feed. The consignee of the Cincinnati lot having consented to the immediate destruction of that lot. No claimant having appeared for the St. Louis, Miami, and Brunswick lots, judgments of condemnation were entered between September 20 and October 3, 1944, and the St. Louis lot was ordered sold to be denatured for purposes other than human consumption, and the other two lots were ordered destroyed.

6837. Adulteration of self-rising flour and phosphated flour. U. S. v. 6 Bags of Enriched Self-Rising Flour and 34 Bags of Enriched Phosphated Flour. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 13205. Sample Nos. 80730-F, 80731-F.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about August 17, 1944, Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 13, 1943, by the Sperry Flour Co., Ogden, Utah.

PRODUCT: 6 100-pound bags of self-rising flour and 34 100-pound bags of phosphated flour at Helena, Ark.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bright Star Enriched Self Rising Flour," or "Enriched Phosphated Flour \* \* \* Bright Star."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of larvae, pupae, and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: October 3, 1944. The Helena Wholesale Grocery Co., Helena, Ark., claimant, 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 under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6838. Adulteration of self-rising and phosphated flour. U. S. v. 480 Bags and 26 Bags of Flour. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. Nos. 13221, 13267. Sample Nos. 60920-F, 60989-F.)

LIBELS FILED: August 12 and 17, 1944, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 14, 1944, by the Texas Star Flour Mills, from Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: Flour: 480 bags, each containing 5 pounds, and 26 bags, each containing 100 pounds.

Label, IN Part: "Enriched Flour Self Rising \* \* \* Southern Delight," or "Southern Delight Enriched Phosphated Flour Bleached."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of weevils, larvae, and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: September 13 and 14, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6839. Adulteration of self-rising flour. U. S. v. 216 Bags of Self-Rising Enriched Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution, for use as animal feed. (F. D. C. No. 13382. Sample No. 64028-F.)

LIBEL FILED: August 24, 1944, Western District of South Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 8, 1944, by J. I. Triplett, from Woodstock, Va.

PRODUCT: 216 25-pound bags of self-rising flour at Lancaster, S. C.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bag) "Lily-White Patent Flour Self-Rising Bleached Enriched."

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hair fragments, larvae, cast skins, and insect fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

Disposition: October 2, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a local charitable institution, to be used for animal food.

6840. Adulteration of self-rising flour. U. S. v. 28 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 13414. Sample No. 63728-F.)

LIBEL FILED: August 29, 1944, Western District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 30 and August 6, 1943, from Staunton, Va.

PRODUCT: Flour: 28 bags, each containing 48 pounds, at Charlotte, N. C., in

the possession of the Thomas and Howard Co.

This product had been stored, after shipment, under insanitary conditions. Examination showed urine stains on the bags and rodent excreta beneath the float on which the flour was stacked; and disclosed the presence of urine in the product.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402, (a) (3), the product 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: October 13, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6841. Adulteration of self-rising flour. U. S. v. 326 Bags of Self-Rising Flour.

Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 13409. Sample No. 64049–F.)

LIBEL FILED: August 31, 1944, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 20 and June 13, 1944, by the Canadian Mill and Elevator Co., from El Reno, Okla.

PRODUCT: 326 25-pound bags of self-rising flour at Bowdon, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bags) "Golden Beauty Fancy All Purpose Bleached Self-Rising Flour."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a fithy substance by reason of the presence of weevils, larvae, and cast skins.

DISPOSITION: October 9, 1944. The Roop Grocery Co., Bowdon, Ga., claimant, having admitted that the product was adulterated, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be reprocessed for use as animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6842. Adulteration of self-rising flour. U. S. v. 700 Bags of Self-Rising Flour (and 1 other action against self-rising flour). Portion of product ordered released under bond; remainder ordered destroyed. (F. D. C. Nos. 13062, 13411. Sample Nos. 63547-F, 63548-F, 63562-F.)

LIBELS FILED: July 26 and August 31, 1944, Northern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 27 and March 21, 1944, by the Trenton Milling Co., from Trenton, Ill.

PRODUCT: 700 25-pound bags of self-rising flour at Bowdon, Ga., and 710 25-pound bags of self-rising flour at Monticello, Ga.,

Label, in Part: "Self-Rising Lovely Flour," or "Self-Rising \* \* \* Milky Way Flour [or "Easter Lily"]."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of weevils, larvae, and cast skins.