

in terms of weight, since the loaves of bread weighed less than the declared amount.

**DISPOSITION:** June 8, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered, the defendant was fined \$25 on each count, a total fine of \$75.

#### FLOUR

Nos. 8312 to 8326 report actions involving flour that was insect- or rodent-infested, or both. (In those cases in which the time of contamination is known, that fact is stated in the notice of judgment.) In addition, the flours reported in Nos. 8327 to 8329 failed to meet the standards for enriched flour.

**8312. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 240 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 15008. Sample No. 24170-H.)

**LABEL FILED:** On or about January 22, 1945, Western District of Louisiana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 26 and August 11, 1944, by the Quaker Oats Co., from Sherman, Tex., and St. Joseph, Mo.

**PRODUCT:** 17 bags, each containing 50 pounds, and 223 bags, each containing 25 pounds, of flour at Ruston, La.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Enriched Crystal Wedding 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 and larvae.

**DISPOSITION:** April 2, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

**8313. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 84 Bags and 11 Bags of Flour. Default decrees of condemnation. Product ordered used for animal feed.** (F. D. C. Nos. 15019, 15020. Sample Nos. 20307-H, 33581-H.)

**LABELS FILED:** On or about January 24 and 26, 1945, Western District of Oklahoma and Northern District of Texas.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 2, 1944, and January 3, 1945, by the Griffith Laboratories, Inc., from Omaha, Nebr., and Oklahoma City, Okla.

**PRODUCT:** 11 140-pound bags of flour at Dallas, Tex., and 84 140-pound bags of flour at Oklahoma City, Okla.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Griffith's Gelatinous Flour."

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

**DISPOSITION:** March 3 and 5, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered. The Oklahoma City lot was ordered sold, and the Dallas lot was ordered delivered to a charitable institution; both lots were to be used as animal feed.

**8314. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 88 Bags of Flour. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond.** (F. D. C. No. 14752. Sample No. 98426-F.)

**LABEL FILED:** December 12, 1944, Western District of Missouri.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** In May 1944, by the Griffin Grocery Co., from Miami, Okla.

**PRODUCT:** 88 100-pound bags of flour, at Joplin, Mo.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Fine & Dandy."

**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:** January 16, 1945. The Griffin Grocery Co. having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The product was denatured by being mixed with other ingredients, and released for use as animal feed.

**8315. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 27 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.** (F. D. C. No. 14915. Sample No. 60753-F.)

**LABEL FILED:** January 2, 1945, Northern District of California.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 12, 1944, from Portland, Oreg.