

**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.

**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:** 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.

**DISPOSITION:** October 2, 1945. The Thomas Baking Co., 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 Food and Drug Administration.

**9639. Adulteration of doughnut flour. U. S. v. 115 Bags of Doughnut Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond.** (F. D. C. No. 16752. Sample No. 23014-H.)

**LIBEL FILED:** June 30, 1945, Western District of Tennessee.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** Between the approximate dates of May 1 and June 5, 1945, from Dallas, Tex.

**PRODUCT:** 115 100-pound bags of doughnut flour at Memphis, Tenn., in the possession of the Southern Maid Donut Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent excreta and urine stains were observed on them. Examination showed that the product contained rodent excreta, beetles, larvae, and insect fragments.

**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:** September 12, 1945. The Southern Maid Donut Co., Memphis, Tenn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be converted for use other than human consumption, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

**9640. Adulteration of whole wheat flour, rye flour, and plain flour. U. S. v. 15 Bags of Whole Wheat Flour (and 3 other seizure actions against whole wheat flour, rye flour, and plain flour). Decrees of condemnation. Two lots ordered released under bond; one lot ordered sold to be denatured for use as hog feed, and remaining lot ordered destroyed.** (F. D. C. Nos. 17152, 17671, 17725, 18084. Sample Nos. 7779-H, 14207-H to 14209-H, incl., 14212-H, 14213-H, 52603-H.)

**LIBELS FILED:** August 20, September 25, October 3, and November 7, 1945, Middle District of Pennsylvania, Southern District of Ohio, and Southern District of Indiana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** Between the approximate dates of March 28 and August 1, 1945, by the King Midas Flour Mills, Hastings and Minneapolis, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 15 bags of whole wheat flour at Scranton, Pa.; 61 bags of rye flour, 10 bags of whole wheat flour, and 45 bags of plain flour at Cincinnati, Ohio; and 10 bags of plain flour at Indianapolis, Ind. Each bag contained 100 pounds of flour.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "King Midas Pure Dark Rye [or "Fine Whole Wheat," or "Pure Medium Rye"] Flour," "Bracer Fancy First Clear Flour," or "Fancy Clear Vermillion Flour Bleached."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insect fragments, insects, insect excreta, larvae, beetles, and weevils.

**DISPOSITION:** October 17 and 18 and December 12, 1945. The King Midas Flour Mills, claimant for the Cincinnati lots, having admitted the allegations of the libels, judgments of condemnation were entered and those lots were ordered released under bond to be converted into stock feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. No claimant having appeared for the remaining lots, judgments of condemnation were entered and the Scranton lot was ordered sold to be denatured for use as hog feed, under the supervision of the United States marshal, and the Indianapolis lot was ordered destroyed.

**9641. Adulteration of pastry flour. U. S. v. 103 Bags and 875 Bags of Pastry Flour. Consent decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond.** (F. D. C. Nos. 17014, 17159. Sample Nos. 31565-H, 31567-H.)

**LIBELS FILED:** August 8 and 23, 1945, Southern District of California.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about June 27 and July 9, 1945, by the Chehalem Valley Mills, from Newberg, Oreg.