11869. Adulteration and misbranding of enriched flour. U. S. v. 147 Bags * * * (F. D. C. No. 21718. Sample No. 50068-H.)

LIBEL FILED: November 27, 1946, Middle District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 26, 1946, by the Hanover Star Milling Co., from Germantown, Ill.

Product: 147 10-pound bags of enriched flour at Ozark, Ala.

LABEL, IN PART: "Leonora Extra High Grade Pastry Flour Enriched * * * Bleached."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, thiamine and iron, had been in part omitted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the article failed to conform to the definition and standard for enriched flour, since it contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine and less than 13.0 milligrams of iron per pound.

Disposition: January 23, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a State agency, for the use of State institutions.

11870. Adulteration and misbranding of enriched flour. U. S. v. 21 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 22991. Sample No. 76850-H.)

LIBEL FILED: April 29, 1947, District of South Dakota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 18 and December 17, 1946, by the Norfolk Cereal & Flour Mills Co., from Norfolk, Nebr.

Product: 21 50-pound bags of enriched flour at Plankinton, S. Dak.

LABEL, IN PART: "Bon-Ton Vitamin Enriched All Purpose Bleached Flour."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, thiamine (vitamin B₁), had been in part omitted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (b) (1), the article purported to be and was represented as enriched flour, and it failed to conform to the definition and standard for enriched flour since it contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine (vitamin B₁) per pound.

DISPOSITION: June 3, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a public institution.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

11871. Adulteration of wheat cereal and pancake flour. U. S. v. Hubbard Milling Co. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 22034. Sample Nos. 51390-H to 51392-H, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 17, 1947, District of Minnesota, against the Hubbard Milling Co., a corporation, Mankato, Minn.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 3, 1946, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Wisconsin.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mother Hubbard Wheat Cereal [or "Whole Wheat Energy Cereal," or "Self-Raising Pancake Flour With Buckwheat"]."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects, insect fragments, and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: June 2, 1947. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the defendant, the court imposed a fine of \$100.

11872. Adulteration of wheat cereal. U. S. y. 53 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 21839. Sample No. 48157-H.)

LIBEL FILED: December 6, 1946, District of Utah.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 1 and 27 and July 9, 1946, by the Poph-Itt Cereal Co., from Denver, Colo.

PRODUCT: 53 cases, each containing 24 6-ounce packages, of toasted wheat cereal at Provo, Utah.

LABEL IN PART: "Toasted Whiffs O-Whole Wheat."

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 larvae.