13974. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 5 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25503. Sample No. 40152–K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 27, 1948, Eastern District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 1, 1948, from Norfolk, Va.

PRODUCT: 5 100-pound bags of rice at Ayden, N. C.

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 insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: October 11, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13975. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 4 Cases * * * . (F. D. C. No. 25644. Sample No. 31453-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 20, 1948, District of Nevada.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 26, 1948, from Los Angeles, Calif.

Product: 4 cases, each containing 12 2-pound bags, of rice at Las Vegas, Nev.

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 insects. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: October 25, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13976. Adulteration of granulated rice. U. S. v. 26 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25694. Sample No. 18286-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 11, 1948, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 3, 1948, from Houston, Tex.

PRODUCT: 26 100-pound bags of granulated rice at Toledo, Ohio.

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 insects. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: November 8, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13977. Adulteration of farina. U. S. v. 931 Sacks * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25263. Sample No. 32389-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 13, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 3 and 28, 1948, from Moundridge, Kans.

PRODUCT: 931 100-pound sacks of farina at Oakland, Calif., in possession of the Gerber Products Co.

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 rodent urine and insects; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: September 30, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

13978. Adulteration of farina. U. S. v. 499 Bags * * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25699. Sample Nos. 32395-K, 34002-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 11, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 13, 1948, from Moundridge, Kans.

PRODUCT: 499 100-pound bags of farina at Oakland, Calif.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of mold, and of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects and rodent urine. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: November 30, 1948. The Gerber Products Co. having intervened as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be converted into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

13979. Adulteration of farina. U. S. v. 199 Bags * * * (F. D. C. No. 25705. Sample Nos. 32396-K, 34001-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 15, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 8, 1948, from Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 199 100-pound bags of farina at Oakland, Calif.

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 rodent urine and insects; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: November 30, 1948. The Gerber Products Co., 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 into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

13980. Adulteration of rye meal and rye chops. U. S. v. 60 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25543. Sample Nos. 4909-K, 4910-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 1, 1948, District of Connecticut.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 17 and March 3, 1948, from Buffalo Junction and East Buffalo, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 60 100-pound bags of rye meal and 23 100-pound bags of rye chops at Norwich, Conn.

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 insects. The products were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Disposition: September 30, 1948. Phillip Feldman, trading as Feldman Bros., Norwich, Conn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered released under bond, conditioned that they be disposed of in compliance with the law. The products were denatured and disposed of for use as animal feed.

13981. Adulteration of gingerbread mix. U. S. v. 84 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25756. Sample No. 494-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 14, 1948, Middle District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 5 and March 5, 1947, from New York, N. Y.