

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, rodent urine, and rodent pellets; 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: January 26, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

15614. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 10 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27978. Sample Nos. 55360-K, 55361-K.)

LABEL FILED: On or about December 1, 1949, District of Kansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 15, 1949, by the Preston Milling Industries, from Fairbury, Nebr.

PRODUCT: 10 50-pound bags and 5 25-pound bags of flour at Narka, Kans.

LABEL, IN PART: "Enriched Bleached For All Baking Sur-Good Flour * * * Columbian."

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 insect parts and rodent hair fragments; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 16, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREAL PRODUCT

15615. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 20 Bags * * * (and 2 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. No. 27823. Sample Nos. 60539-K to 60541-K, incl.)

LIBELS FILED: September 20, October 19, and November 25, 1949, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 20, 1947, from South Dos Palos, Calif.

PRODUCT: 43 100-pound bags of rice at Chicago, Ill., in possession of Wakem & McLaughlin, Inc.

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

DISPOSITION: November 8, 1949, and January 12 and 16, 1950. Default decrees of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to a public institution, for use as animal feed, and that the remainder of the product be destroyed.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER*

The following cases report actions involving butter that consisted in whole or in part of filthy or decomposed substances, No. 15616, and that was below the legal standard for milk fat content, Nos. 15617 and 15618.

*See also No. 15622.