

16463. Adulteration of sugar. U. S. v. 194 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29239. Sample No. 47394-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 22, 1950, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 12, 1949, from Cuba.

PRODUCT: 194 100-pound bags of sugar at Titusville, Pa., in possession of the Titusville Dairy 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 excreta and rodent hairs; 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: June 9, 1950. The Titusville Dairy Products Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be re-refined, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

16464. Misbranding of saccharin tablets. U. S. v. 7 Packages * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28852. Sample No. 76732-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 16, 1950, Eastern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 3 and 24, 1946, by the Arrow Products Co., from Buffalo, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 7 packages, each containing 300 envelopes, of saccharin tablets at Bridgeport, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: (Envelope) "Pure-Test Approx. 50 Tablets $\frac{1}{4}$ gr. Saccharin Soluble."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the product was in package form and failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (The packages contained less than the declared number of tablets.)

DISPOSITION: June 2, 1950. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution or be destroyed.

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

BAKERY PRODUCTS

16465. Adulteration of bakery products. U. S. v. Vienna Model Bakery, Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine of \$800, plus costs. (F. D. C. No. 28165. Sample Nos. 42886-K to 42888-K, incl., 42891-K, 42892-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: March 6, 1950, Northern District of Illinois, against Vienna Model Bakery, Inc., Chicago, Ill.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 3, 1949, from the State of Illinois into the States of Indiana, Tennessee, and Oklahoma, of quantities of sweet rolls, sandwich buns, and rye bread.

LABEL, IN PART: (Portion) "Helen Gates Icebox Rye."

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

DISPOSITION: June 13, 1950. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$800, plus costs.

16466. Adulteration of oatcakes. U. S. v. 23 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29681. Sample No. 57465-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 9, 1950, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 14 and 21, 1950, from Glasgow, Scotland.

PRODUCT: 23 cartons each containing 24 packages and each package containing 40 oatcakes at New York, N. Y.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article was unfit for food by reason of its rancidity. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 25, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

16467. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 50,000 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29522. Sample No. 85535-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 9, 1950, District of Minnesota; amended libel filed August 10, 1950.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 14, 1950, by the Rice Growers Assn. of California, from Sacramento, Calif.

PRODUCT: 50,000 pounds of rice at St. Paul, Minn.

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, 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: August 16, 1950. The Rice Growers Assn. of California, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be denatured for use as animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

16468. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 1,600 Bushels * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29490. Sample No. 70250-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about July 7, 1950, Western District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 1, 1950, by Robbins Ranch, from Belvidere, Kans.

PRODUCT: 1,600 bushels of hard winter wheat at Kansas City, Mo. Examination showed that 77 percent of the bottom fourth of the railroad car in which the product was shipped consisted of sour wheat.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article was unfit for food by reason of the presence of sour wheat.

DISPOSITION: July 13, 1950. Robbins Ranch, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The product was converted into animal feed.