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20001. Adulteration of bread. U. S. v. Felice A. DiRienzo (DiRienzo Bros.). Plea of guilty. Fine, \$500. (F. D. C. No. 33836. Sample No. 7540-L.)

Information Filed: November 28, 1952, Northern District of New York, against Felice A. DiRienzo, a partner in the firm of DiRienzo Bros., Binghamton, N. Y.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 26, 1952, from the State of New York into the State of Pennsylvania.

LABEL, IN PART: "Italian Sliced Bread * * * Made by DiRienzo Bros. * * Binghamton, N. Y."

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

DISPOSITION: April 8, 1953. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court fined the defendant \$500.

20002. Adulteration and misbranding of fruitcake. U.S. v. 418 Tins * * (F. D. C. No. 34205. Sample No. 36659-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 6, 1952, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 18, 1952, by Waldorf Pound Cake Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 418 2-pound tins of fruitcake at Cincinnati, Ohio.

LABEL, IN PART: "Waldorf Rum and Brandy Fruit Cake."

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

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label designation "Rum and Brandy" was false and misleading as applied to cake having no odor or taste of rum or brandy.

January 8, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. DISPOSITION:

FLOUR*

20003. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 18 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 34222. Sample No. 65204-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 14, 1952, Western District of Wisconsin.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 7, 1952, from Winona, Minn.

Product: 18 100-pound bags of flour at Chippewa Falls, Wis.

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

^{*}See also No. 20019.