FLOUR

21356. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 237 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35972. Sample No. 78960-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 16, 1953, Western District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 25 and October 22, 1953, from Indianapolis, Ind.

PRODUCT: 237 100-pound bags of flour at Louisville, Ky.

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

Disposition: December 16, 1953. The Louisville Grocery Co., Louisville, Ky., 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 for segregation of the unfit portion and the conversion of that portion for use other than as food for human consumption, under the supervision of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The entire amount of the product subsequently was denatured for use as a glue extender.

21357. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 14 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35923. Sample Nos. 62826-L, 62828-L, 62829-L.)

LIBEL FILED: October 15, 1953, Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 6, 18, and 27, and September 4, 1953, from Greenville, Tex., Salina, Kans., and Denver, Colo.

PRODUCT: 215 50-pound bags and 14 cases, each case containing 5 10-pound bags, of flour at Batesville, Ark.

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

DISPOSITION: December 21, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be denatured and delivered to a public institution, for use as animal feed.

21358. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 23 Bags * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. No. 36347. Sample Nos. 66357-L, 66358-L.)

LIBELS FILED: March 10, 1954, Western District of Michigan.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 15, 1951, and May 6, 1953, from Omaha, Nebr., and Minneapolis, Minn.

PRODUCT: 161 50-pound bags of flour at Escanaba, Mich., in possession of the Northern Flour & Grain Co.

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 rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article 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: June 16, 1954. Default decrees of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a Federal institution, for use as animal feed.