

PLEA: Nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 3-3-59. \$2,000 fine.

25660. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 41189. S. No. 57-923 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 4-22-58; S. Dist. Fla., against Chitty & Co., Inc., and Thomas O. McCain, vice president.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 2-27-57 and 4-25-57, while a quantity of rice was being held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, the defendants caused the article to be placed in a building that was accessible to insects, rodents, and birds, and to be exposed to contamination by insects, rodents, and birds, which acts resulted in the article being adulterated.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects, rodent filth, and bird excrement; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

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DISPOSITION: 8-27-59. The corporation was fined \$500 and the individual was placed on probation for 1 year.

25661. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 42746. S. No. 13-689 P.)

QUANTITY: 287 100-lb. bags at Chicago, Ill.

SHIPPED: 12-30-57, from Alvin, Tex.

LIBELED: 12-22-58, N. Dist. Ill.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine and rodent excreta while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 1-16-59. Consent—claimed by James Chiu and Yun T. Chao, t/a China Farm, Chicago, Ill. Segregated; 83 bags destroyed.

25662. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 42554. S. No. 44-313 P.)

QUANTITY: 738 10-lb. bags at Baxley, Ga., in possession of Tollison-Lynn Co.

SHIPPED: 9-18-58, from Houston, Tex.

LIBELED: 12-15-58, S. Dist. Ga.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects and rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 1-20-59. Consent—claimed by Tollison-Lynn Co. and converted into animal feed.

25663. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 42774. S. No. 16-129 P.)

QUANTITY: 7 100-lb. bags at Lexington, Ky.

SHIPPED: 10-8-58, from Carlisle, Ark.

LIBELED: 1-7-59, E. Dist. Ky.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine, rodent pellets, and rodent hairs while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 2-5-59. Default—destruction.

25664. Rice. (F.D.C. No. 42775. S. No. 44-073 P.)

QUANTITY: 77 25-lb. bags at Savannah, Ga., in possession of Corbin Bonded Warehouse.

SHIPPED: 10-13-58, from Houston, Tex.

LIBELED: 1-12-59, S. Dist. Ga.