

**DISPOSITION:** April 26, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere was entered on behalf of the defendant, and a fine of \$200 on each of 8 counts, a total of \$1,600, was imposed.

**7952. Adulteration of pies. U. S. v. Pappas Pie & Baking Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$1,000.** (F. D. C. No. 12622. Sample Nos. 47586-F, 47588-F to 47591-F, incl.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** November 17, 1944, Eastern District of Missouri, against the Pappas Pie & Baking Co., a corporation, St. Louis, Mo.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about December 15, 1943, from the State of Missouri into the State of Illinois.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent hairs, cat hairs, and an unidentified insect; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** January 15, 1945. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$1,000 was imposed.

**7953. Adulteration of pies and cakes. U. S. v. Tom Sorpas (Masters Pie Bakery). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$1,000.** (F. D. C. No. 11373. Sample Nos. 48985-F to 48989-F, incl.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** April 20, 1944, Southern District of Ohio, against Tom Sorpas, trading as the Masters Pie Bakery, Cincinnati, Ohio.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 12 and 13, 1943, from the State of Ohio into the State of Kentucky.

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of rodent hair fragments, hair fragments resembling rodent hairs, insect fragments, larvae, adult insects, and a fly; and, Section 402 (a) (4), they had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby they may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** January 4, 1945. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$200 on each of 5 counts, a total of \$1,000.

**7954. Adulteration of zwieback and rye hardtack. U. S. v. 1,080 Packages of Zwieback and 260 Packages of Rye Hardtack. Default decree of forfeiture. Products ordered delivered to a public institution, to be denatured and used for animal feed.** (F. D. C. No. 14166. Sample Nos. 62156-F to 62160-F, incl.)

**LABEL FILED:** November 1, 1944, Western District of Texas.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** Between the approximate dates of August 28 and September 8, 1944, by the Ser Baking Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 1,080 packages of zwieback and 260 packages of rye hardtack, at San Antonio, Tex.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Zwieback Ser-Toast," or "Swedish Style Rye Hard Tack (Knackerbrod) Ser-Ry."

**VIOLATION CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of weevils and larvae.

**DISPOSITION:** February 21, 1945. No claimant having appeared, judgment of forfeiture was entered and the products were ordered delivered to a public institution, to be denatured and used for animal feed.

#### CORN MEAL

**7955. Adulteration and misbranding of corn meal. U. S. v. The Scott County Milling Co. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$1,600.** (F. D. C. No. 12621. Sample Nos. 47854-F, 61413-F, 62480-F.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** February 21, 1945, Eastern District of Missouri, against the Scott County Milling Co., a corporation, Sikeston, Mo.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 11 and November 20, 1943, and February 15, 1944, from the State of Missouri into the States of Arkansas and Louisiana.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Degerminated—Bolted—Steam Power—Pearl [or "Cream"] Corn Meal," and "Superior Brand Cream Corn Meal."

**VIOLATIONS CHARGED:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent