

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

- 12852. Adulteration of corn grits. U. S. v. Patent Cereals Co. Plea of guilty.**
 Fine, \$1,000. (F. D. C. No. 24086. Sample No. 66219-H.)
- INFORMATION FILED:** February 5, 1948, Western District of New York, against the Patent Cereals Co., a corporation, Geneva, N. Y.
- ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 1, 1947, from the State of New York into the State of Delaware.
- LABEL, IN PART:** "Geneva Grits."
- NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of whole insects and larvae; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.
- DISPOSITION:** March 15, 1948. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendant, a fine of \$1,000 was imposed.
- 12853. Adulteration of shelled corn. U. S. v. 200,000 pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23650. Sample Nos. 83437-H, 83438-H.)**
- LIBEL FILED:** August 26, 1947, Eastern District at Kentucky.
- ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 29 and 30, 1947, by the Rardin Grain Co., from Kansas, Ill.
- PRODUCT:** 200,000 pounds of shelled white corn at Winchester, Ky.
- 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.
- DISPOSITION:** October 6, 1947. The Winchester Milling Co., Winchester, Ky., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered 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.
- 12854. Adulteration and misbranding of popcorn. U. S. v. 400 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24021. Sample No. 18638-K.)**
- LIBEL FILED:** December 18, 1947, Southern District of Ohio.
- ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 23 and 29, 1947, by the Hart & Howell Co., from Brooklyn, Mich.
- PRODUCT:** 400 cases, each containing 24 cans, of popcorn at Columbus, Ohio.
- LABEL, IN PART:** (Can) "Contents 10 Ounces Gloria Jean Golden Mushroom Pop Corn."
- NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance by reason of the presence of moldy kernels.
- Misbranding, Section 402 (e) (2), the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. (The article was short-weight.)
- DISPOSITION:** January 16, 1948. The Hart & Howell Co., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for salvaging under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The product was disposed of as animal feed.
- 12855. Adulteration and misbranding of popcorn. U. S. v. 40 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23899. Sample No. 810-K.)**
- LIBEL FILED:** November 7, 1947, Southern District of Florida.
- ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 22 and 27, 1947, by J. W. Bond, from Henderson, Ky.
- PRODUCT:** 40 100-pound bags of popcorn at Tampa, Fla.
- LABEL, IN PART:** "Processed Popcorn Meets requirements of Pure Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act of 1938."
- 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 hair