

**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 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.

**DISPOSITION:** September 14, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**13910. Adulteration of pretzels. U. S. v. 36 Cartons \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25710. Sample No. 7678-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** October 13, 1948, Western District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about September 29, 1948, by Num Num Foods, Inc., from Cleveland, Ohio.

**PRODUCT:** 36 cartons, each containing 42 bags, of pretzels at Buffalo, N. Y.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Num Num New Process Pretzels 10 count."

**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.

**DISPOSITION:** November 8, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**13911. Adulteration of Soy Puffs. U. S. v. 81 Bags \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25642. Sample No. 27467-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** September 16, 1948, Eastern District of Missouri.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** About September 1947, from Peoria, Ill.

**PRODUCT:** 81 50-pound bags of Soy Puffs at St. Louis, Mo.

**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. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

**DISPOSITION:** October 14, 1948. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered sold for purposes other than for human consumption.

#### CORN MEAL\*

**13912. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. The Auburn Mills. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine of \$400 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 21506. Sample Nos. 52886-H, 52887-H, 53265-H, 53270-H, 53271-H.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** April 28, 1947, Western District of Kentucky, against the Auburn Mills, a partnership, Auburn, Ky.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 11 and 21 and July 16, 1946, from the State of Kentucky into the State of Tennessee.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "The Auburn Mills Scott's Pearl Bolted Corn Meal Scott Bros. Auburn, Ky."

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

\* See also Nos. 13921, 13965.

DISPOSITION: December 13, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$400 and costs.

13913. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. 77 Bales, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25548. Sample Nos. 73-K, 74-K, 92-K.)

LABEL FILED: September 13, 1948, Eastern District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 12, 1948, by the Gurley Milling Co., from Florence, S. C.

PRODUCT: 8,200 pounds of corn meal at Princeton, N. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "G. M. C. Sifted Unbolted White Corn Meal."

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, rodent hairs, and insect fragments.

DISPOSITION: October 7, 1948. Gurley Milling Co., Inc., having appeared as claimant, judgment was entered ordering the product released under bond for conversion into hog feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

13914. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. 601 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25219. Sample Nos. 285-K, 286-K.)

LABEL FILED: July 27, 1948, Middle District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 9, 1948, by the Manning Milling Co., from Manning, S. C.

PRODUCT: Corn meal. 601 10-pound bags, 385 5-pound bags, and 17 100-pound bags at Macon, Ga.

LABEL, IN PART: (5- and 10-pound bags) "For Health's Sake Eat South Carolina Grown Corn Meal Enriched By Nature."

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

DISPOSITION: September 30, 1948. Claude Dinkins, trading as the Manning Milling Co., Manning, S. C., having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be converted into animal feed, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

13915. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. 450 Bags \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25554. Sample Nos. 856-K to 858-K, incl.)

LABEL FILED: September 2, 1948, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 3 and 16, 1948, by the Dixie Lily Milling Co., from Juliette, Ga.

PRODUCT: 450 100-pound bags of corn meal at Tampa, Fla.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bag) "100 Lbs Net Weight White Corn Meal."

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

DISPOSITION: September 22, 1948. The Kinchafoonee Milling Co., Tampa, Fla., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation