

**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 hair fragments, and insect fragments.

**DISPOSITION:** January 31, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered sold to the highest bidder, conditioned that it be denatured into animal feed.

**14113. Adulteration of corn meal. U. S. v. 239 Sacks \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25918. Sample No. 23355-K.)**

**LABEL FILED:** November 10, 1948, Eastern District of Louisiana.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 16 and October 12, 1948, by the Wade Wood Milling Co., from Birmingham, Ala.

**PRODUCT:** 239 2-pound sacks of corn meal at New Orleans, La.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Winner Enriched Degermed White Corn Meal 2 Lbs. Net Weight."

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

**DISPOSITION:** December 20, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

### FLOUR

Nos. 14114 to 14136 report actions involving flour that was insect- or rodent-infested, or both. (In those cases in which the time of contamination was known, that fact is stated in the notice of judgment.) The flour reported in No. 14137 failed to meet the standard for enriched flour.

**14114. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 80 Bags \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25972. Sample No. 31272-K.)**

**LABEL FILED:** October 27, 1948, District of Arizona.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about July 16, 1948, from Pueblo, Colo.

**PRODUCT:** 80 100-pound bags of flour at Globe, Ariz.

**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:** January 10, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a public institution, for use as stock feed.

**14115. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 53 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25970. Sample No. 1610-K.)**

**LABEL FILED:** October 25, 1948, Northern District of Georgia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 28, 1948, from Trenton, Ill.

**PRODUCT:** 53 25-pound bags and 193 50-pound bags of flour at Atlanta, Ga.

**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, 1948. Georgia Feed and Grocery Co., Inc., Atlanta, Ga., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for the segregation and conversion of the unfit portion into stock feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. On December 31, 1948, all of the product was converted into stock feed by mixing it with fish meal.

14116. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 102 Bags \* \* \* (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 25969, 25987. Sample Nos. 31273-K to 31276-K, incl.)

**LABELS FILED:** October 25 and November 1, 1948, District of Arizona.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 23 and September 14, 1948, from Lamar, Colo.

**PRODUCT:** Flour. 226 25-pound bags, 75 50-pound bags, and 477 100-pound bags at Holbrook, Ariz., in the possession of the A. & B. Schuster 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, rodent excreta, and rodent hairs; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it 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:** January 12, 1949. The A. & B. Schuster Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgments of condemnation were entered and the product was ordered released under bond for conversion into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

14117. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 58 Bags \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 25968. Sample No. 195-K.)

**LABEL FILED:** October 27, 1948, Northern District of Georgia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 12, 1948, from Twin City, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 58 100-pound bags of flour at Atlanta, Ga.

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

**DISPOSITION:** December 8, 1948. Ballard & Ballard Co., Inc., Louisville, Ky., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, to be disposed of under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The product was denatured for use as animal feed.