

15715. Adulteration and misbranding of enriched flour. U. S. v. 325 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 28005. Sample Nos. 52808-K, 52809-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 29, 1949, Western District of Kentucky.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 12, 1949, by the Waggoner-Gates Milling Co., from Independence, Mo.

PRODUCT: 325 10-pound bags of enriched self-rising flour and 30 5-pound bags of enriched plain flour at Louisville, Ky.

LABEL, IN PART: "Queen of The Pantry Enriched Flour [or "Enriched Self-Rising Flour"] Bleached."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, namely, (in both products) thiamine (vitamin B₁) and (in the self-rising flour) riboflavin (vitamin B₂), had been in part omitted.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the articles failed to conform to the definitions and standards of identity for enriched flour and enriched self-rising flour in that both articles contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine (vitamin B₁) per pound, and the enriched self-rising flour contained less than 1.2 milligrams of riboflavin per pound.

DISPOSITION: December 21, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the products be delivered to a public institution, for use as animal feed.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

15716. Adulteration of popcorn. U. S. v. 158 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28297. Sample No. 63818-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 18, 1949, Western District of North Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 7, 1949, by the J. A. McCarty Seed Co., from Evansville, Ind.

PRODUCT: 158 100-pound bags of popcorn at Charlotte, N. C.

LABEL, IN PART: "Top Pop Brand Hybrid Popcorn."

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

DISPOSITION: February 15, 1950. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to a charitable institution, for use as animal feed.

15717. Adulteration of popcorn. U. S. v. 15 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27901. Sample No. 60556-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 25, 1949, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On various dates between the years 1940 and 1947, from Schaller, Iowa, and Fort Collins, Colo., or from various points in Texas.

PRODUCT: 16 100-pound bags of popcorn at Chicago, Ill.

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.