

CANDY

18401. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. Happiness Candy Stores, Inc. Plea of guilty. Fine, \$1,000. (F. D. C. No. 30094. Sample Nos. 43393-K, 43394-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: June 5, 1951, Western District of New York, against Happiness Candy Stores, Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 4 and 5, 1950, from the State of New York into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Curtiss Peppermint Cream Pattie Distr. by Curtiss Candy Co. Chicago, Ill."

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

DISPOSITION: July 3, 1951. A plea of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$1,000.

18402. Adulteration of candy. U. S. v. 46 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32010. Sample No. 23118-L.)

LABEL FILED: November 14, 1951, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 19, 1951, by Dufont Farm, Versailles, Ky.

PRODUCT: 46 boxes, each containing one pound, of candy at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Box) "Dufont Toddys * * * sugar, butter, cream, salt, pecans, chocolate and Kentucky Bourbon—Bottled in Bond."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (d), the article was confectionery and contained alcohol.

DISPOSITION: November 30, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS**BAKERY PRODUCT**

18403. Adulteration of bread. U. S. v. Guhrke Baking Co., Charles Schmirer, and Theodore T. Fisher. Pleas of nolo contendere. Fine of \$100 against each defendant on count 1. Fine of \$500 against company and each individual on count 2; fines imposed on count 2 suspended. Each defendant placed on probation for 3 years. (F. D. C. No. 31558. Sample Nos. 23518-L, 23521-L, 23524-L, 23526-L, 23527-L, 23530-L.)

INFORMATION FILED: December 6, 1951, District of New Jersey, against the Guhrke Baking Co., a partnership, Newark, N. J., and Charles Schmirer and Theodore T. Fisher, partners in the partnership.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 21 and 25, 1951, from the State of New Jersey into the State of New York.

LABEL, IN PART: "Guhrke's Whole-Grain Bread [or "Sliced Light Pumpernickel," "Sliced Farmer Bread," or "Sliced Sour Rye"]."

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

DISPOSITION: February 29, 1952. Pleas of nolo contendere having been entered, the court suspended the imposition of sentence against the company on counts 1, 3, 4, 5, and 6, imposed a fine of \$500, which was suspended, and placed the company on probation for 3 years. The court imposed also a fine of \$100 against each of the individuals on count 1, which was required to be paid, and a fine of \$500 on count 2, which was suspended, and suspended the imposition of sentence on counts 3, 4, 5, and 6, and placed each individual on probation for 3 years.

FLOUR*

18404. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 75 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 31983. Sample No. 9763-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 5, 1951, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 10, 1951, from Red Wing, Minn.

PRODUCT: 75 100-pound bags of flour 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. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 10, 1952. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

18405. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 60 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 32002. Sample Nos. 22357-L to 22360-L, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: November 9, 1951, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 10 and September 7 and 12, 1951, from Louisville, Ky., Enid, Okla., and Memphis, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 191 25-pound bags and 177 10-pound bags of flour at New Orleans, La.

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 12, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

18406. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. Approximately 27,500 Pounds * * *. (F. D. C. No. 32021. Sample No. 6000-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 13, 1951, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 27, 1951, by the Triangle Sales Co., from Syracuse, N. Y.

PRODUCT: Approximately 27,500 pounds of flour at Boston, Mass.

*See also No. 18438.