

**DISPOSITION:** May 19, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be sold for purposes other than for human consumption. The product was sold for use as hog feed.

**20365. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 120,000 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 34766. Sample No. 20547-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** March 20, 1953, District of Minnesota.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 10, 1953, by the Farmers Mercantile & Elevator Co., from Garden City, S. Dak.

**PRODUCT:** 120,000 pounds of wheat at Minneapolis, Minn.

**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 excreta.

**DISPOSITION:** March 27, 1953. The Farmers Mercantile & Elevator Co., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reprocessing into animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency.

**20366. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 1,700 Bushels \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 34743. Sample No. 20620-L.)**

**LIBEL FIELD:** March 11, 1953, District of Minnesota.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 1, 1953, by the Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, from Spring Brook, N. Dak.

**PRODUCT:** 1,700 bushels of wheat at Minneapolis, Minn.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (2), the article contained an added poisonous and deleterious substance, a mercurial compound, which is unsafe within the meaning of the law since it is a substance not required in the production of the article and can be avoided by good manufacturing practice.

**DISPOSITION:** April 3, 1953. The Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond for reprocessing by scouring, so as to be brought into compliance with the law. As a result of the scouring operations, 2,240 pounds were found unfit and were destroyed.

**20367. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 110,000 Pounds \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 34534. Sample No. 20215-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** January 7, 1953, District of Minnesota.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about December 24, 1952, by the Ferney Farmers Elevator Co., from Groton, S. Dak.

**PRODUCT:** 110,000 pounds of wheat at Minneapolis, Minn.

**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 pellets.

**DISPOSITION:** May 11, 1953. The Farmers Union Grain Terminal Association, St. Paul, Minn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment