

22233. Flour. (F. D. C. No. 37661. S. No. 18-106 M.)

QUANTITY: 36 100-lb. bags at Bronx, N. Y., in possession of G. Scaccianoce & Co.

SHIPPED: 12-30-54, from Washington, D. C.

LIBELED: 2-28-55, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 3-22-55. Default—consumption by animals.

22234. Flour and bran. (F. D. C. No. 37597. S. Nos. 9-843/7 M.)

QUANTITY: 343 50-lb. bags and 11 100-lb. bags of flour and 9 50-lb. bags of bran at Council Bluffs, Iowa, in possession of Gooch Feed Mill Co.

SHIPPED: Between 10-12-54 and 11-27-54, from Lincoln, Nebr.

LIBELED: 1-12-55, S. Dist. Iowa.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 2-16-55. Consent—claimed by Gooch Feed Mill Co. 322 50-lb. bags and 11 100-lb. bags of flour and 9 50-lb. bags of bran segregated as unfit and converted to animal feed.

22235. Flour and rice. (F. D. C. No. 37732. S. Nos. 9-826 M, 9-828 M.)

QUANTITY: 58 50-lb. bags of flour and 10 bales, 10 10-lb. bags each, of rice at Davenport, Iowa, in possession of Western Grocer Co.

SHIPPED: Between 10-27-53 and 9-23-54, from Omaha and Fremont, Nebr., and Stuttgart, Ark.

LIBELED: 12-31-54, S. Dist. Iowa.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—flour contained rodent urine and rice contained insects; and, 402 (a) (4)—both products held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 2-12-55. Default—consumption by animals.

22236. Buckwheat flour. (F. D. C. No. 37725. S. No. 9-833 M.)

QUANTITY: 60 100-lb. bags at Solon, Iowa, in possession of Brumwell Milling Co.

SHIPPED: During September 1954, from Lake Delton, Wis.

LIBELED: 12-31-54, S. Dist. Iowa.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 2-14-55. Consent—claimed by Brumwell Milling Co. and denatured for use as animal feed.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS***22237. Caramel malt and standard malt.** (F. D. C. No. 37832. S. Nos. 45-692/3 L, 80-977/8 L.)

INFORMATION FILED: 4-13-55, Dist. Conn., against Cremo Brewing Co., Inc., New Britain, Conn., and Rudolph J. Peters, treasurer and general manager.

*See also Nos. 22207, 22208, 22211, 22234, 22235.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 6-9-54 and 9-23-54, while quantities of caramel malt (count 1) and standard malt (count 2) were being held for sale, the defendants caused the products to be placed in a building that was accessible to rodents and to be exposed to contamination by rodents, which acts resulted in the products being adulterated.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent urine and rodent excreta; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Corporation—guilty to both counts; individual—guilty to count 2, but count 1 nol-prossed as to individual.

DISPOSITION: 4-25-55. Corporation fined \$200, plus costs; individual, \$100, plus costs.

22238. Malt. (F. D. C. No. 37686. S. No. 8-503 M.)

QUANTITY: 10 80-lb. bags at Tulsa, Okla., in possession of Griffin Grocery Co.

SHIPPED: Prior to 1-1-55, from Milwaukee, Wis.

LIBELED: 3-2-55, N. Dist. Okla.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 3-22-55. Default—destruction.

22239. Unpopped popcorn and pancake and waffle mix. (F. D. C. No. 37826. S. Nos. 90-502 L, 8-341 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 3-30-55, Dist. Kans., against Mid-Quin Wholesale Grocery & Produce Co., a corporation, Junction City, Kans., and Lawrence A. Leonard, president.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 8-23-54 and 11-23-54, while quantities of the above-named foods were being held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, the defendants caused the products to be placed in a building that was accessible to rodents and to be exposed to contamination by rodents, which acts resulted in the products being adulterated.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta; and, 402 (a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 4-26-55. \$50 fine, plus costs, against defendants jointly.

22240. Unpopped popcorn. (F. D. C. No. 37814. S. No. 4-408 M.)

QUANTITY: 125 100-lb. bags at Buffalo, N. Y.

SHIPPED: 2-12-55, from Columbus, Ohio.

LIBELED: 3-14-55, W. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 402 (a) (3)—contained rodent excreta and insects while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 5-2-55. Default—consumption by animals.

22241. Unpopped popcorn. (F. D. C. No. 37688. S. No. 18-203 M.)

QUANTITY: 19 100-lb. bags at Bronx, N. Y., in possession of Grossmac Trucking & Warehousing Corp.

SHIPPED: 10-30-54, from Princeton, Ind.

LIBELED: 3-7-55, S. Dist. N. Y.