

FLOUR*

25755. Flour, lard, and cornmeal. (F.D.C. No. 41736. S. Nos. 57-022/4 M, 57-665 M, 57-680 M, 57-682 M, 77-403 M, 1-066 P.)

INFORMATION FILED: 10-17-58, W. Dist. S.C., against Moore Milling Co., a corporation, Greenville, S.C.; Nathaniel J. Haden, president; and H. L. James, assistant manager.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 7-19-56 and 1-28-58, while quantities of flour, lard, and cornmeal were being held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, the defendants caused the articles to be placed in a building that was accessible to rodents and insects, and to be exposed to contamination by rodents and insects, which acts resulted in the articles being adulterated.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—all the articles contained rodent filth, and the flour and cornmeal contained insects; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 4-7-59. The defendants were fined \$500 jointly, and the individual defendants were each placed on probation for 2 years.

25756. Flour. (F.D.C. No. 42465. S. Nos. 1-325 P, 1-328/30 P.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-12-59, N. Dist. Ga., against H. C. Cole Milling Co., Inc., Atlanta, Ga., and Raleigh V. Thompson, Atlanta branch manager.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 6-9-58 and 9-29-58, while quantities of flour were being held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, the defendants caused the article to be held in a building that was accessible to insects, and to be exposed to contamination by insects, and to be run through an insect-contaminated flour sifter, which acts resulted in the article being adulterated.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insects, insect parts, and insect fragments; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 6-3-59. Corporation—\$250 fine; individual—\$50 fine.

25757. Flour. (F.D.C. No. 42452. S. Nos. 39-267/70 P.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-12-59, N. Dist. Calif., against Jack W. Reilley and Thomas A. Reilley, t/a California Fireproof Storage & Transfer Co., Stockton, Calif.

ALLEGED VIOLATIONS: Between 11-13-57 and 4-15-58, the defendants caused quantities of flour while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, to be held in a building accessible to rodents, and to be exposed to contamination by rodents, which acts resulted in the article being adulterated.

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

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 6-15-59. Each individual fined \$300.

*See also Nos. 25754, 25783, 25804.