

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—the cornmeal contained dead rodents, rodent excreta pellets, and rodent hairs, and the other products contained insects, insect fragments, and rodent hair fragments; and 402(a)(4)—the cornmeal was held, and the other products were prepared and packed under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 6-2-65. Partnership and individual fined \$2,000 jointly and individual also placed on probation for 1 year.

30403. Cornmeal. (F.D.C. No. 51860. S. Nos. 61-813/14 B.)

QUANTITY: 276 100-lb. bags at Baltimore, Md.

SHIPPED: 7-20-65, from Mount Vernon, Ind.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The article had been in a railroad car which was wrecked at Highland, Ohio. Thereafter, it was loaded into an insect- and rodent-infested railroad car supplied by the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co., and forwarded to the original consignee in Brooklyn, N.Y., where it was refused. The article was then diverted to Baltimore, Md., for sale at public auction.

LIBELED: 11-8-65, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—while in transit and while held for sale, contained insects; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 12-9-65. Default—destruction.

30404. Supplement to Notice of Judgment No. 29703. (F.D.C. No. 50552. S. No. 10-932 A.)

The default decree of destruction entered on 9-23-64 was set aside, and the cornmeal was claimed by W. Fred Obrecht, t/a George F. Obrecht Co., Baltimore, Md. On 3-1-65, a consent decree of condemnation was entered and the article was released under bond for denaturing for use as animal feed.

30405. Self-rising cornmeal and self-rising flour. (F.D.C. No. 51494. S. Nos. 62-182 B, 62-184 B.)

QUANTITY: 73 bales, each containing 25 2-lb. bags of cornmeal, and 304 bales, each containing 2 25-lb. bags of flour, at Norfolk, Va., in possession of Economy Stores, Inc.

SHIPPED: Between 4-16-65 and 5-11-65, from Como, N.C., and Huntington, W. Va.

LIBELED: 6-22-65, E. Dist. Va.

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

DISPOSITION: 7-2-65. Consent—claimed by Economy Stores, Inc. Segregated; 63 bags of cornmeal and 139 bags of flour were denatured.

FLOUR

30406. Flour. (F.D.C. No. 51760. S. No. 44-933 B.)

INFORMATION FILED: 11-15-65, Dist. Mass., against Cassaro, Inc., and Salvatore Cassaro, clerk, Medford, Mass.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: Between 4-30-65 and 5-4-65, while quantities of flour were being held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce, the defendants caused flour to be held in a building that was accessible to insects and to be