

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 11 and August 10 and 15, 1946, from the State of Iowa into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Schaaf's White [or "Yellow"] Corn Meal."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent excreta fragments.

DISPOSITION: June 17, 1947. The defendant having entered a plea of guilty, the court imposed a fine of \$3, plus costs.

FLOUR

12020. Adulteration of corn flour. U. S. v. 50 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 22477. Sample No. 61307-H.)

LIBEL FILED: February 4, 1947, Western District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 27, 1946, from Decatur, Ill.

PRODUCT: 50 100-pound bags of corn flour at Pittsburgh, Pa., in possession of the Duquesne Warehouse Co. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Three bags were torn, one of them having been rodent-gnawed. Rodent excreta was observed on the bags, and examination showed that the article contained rodent excreta and rodent hair fragments.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: March 27, 1947. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

12021. Adulteration of self-rising pancake flour. U. S. v. Doud Milling Co., a corporation, and Herbert L. Fitch. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$800; individual fined \$20. (F. D. C. No. 22088. Sample Nos. 52034-H, 52035-H, 73425-H, 73426-H.)

INDICTMENT RETURNED: August 27, 1947, Northern District of Iowa, against the Doud Milling Co., Denison, Iowa, and Herbert L. Fitch, secretary-treasurer of the corporation.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 9, 11, and 12, 1946, from the State of Iowa into the States of Nebraska and Minnesota.

LABEL, IN PART: "Enriched * * * Fidelity * * * Whole Wheat Self Rising Pancake Flour."

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

DISPOSITION: October 21, 1947. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendants, the corporation was fined \$800 and the individual defendant \$20.

MACARONI AND NOODLE PRODUCTS

12022. Adulteration of macaroni and noodle products. U. S. v. The Creamette Company and Carlisle L. Norris. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$750; individual fined \$250. (F. D. C. No. 22066. Sample Nos. 51962-H, 73357-H to 73359-H, incl.)

INFORMATION FILED: May 15, 1947, District of Minnesota, against the Creamette Co., a corporation, Minneapolis, Minn., and Carlisle L. Norris, vice president.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 27 and December 6, 1946, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Wisconsin.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mother's * * * [Various types of macaroni and noodle products]."

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