

6031. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 711 Bags of Enriched Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Fit portion of product ordered delivered to local hospitals; unfit portion ordered destroyed. (F. D. C. No. 12646. Sample No. 72856-F.)

LABEL FILED: June 8, 1944. Eastern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 4, 1944, from Kansas City, Mo.

PRODUCT: 711 25-pound bags of flour at National Stock Yards, Ill. The bags resting on the bottom tier of this stacked flour had become moldy.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance as evidenced by mold.

DISPOSITION: July 18, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the unfit portion was ordered destroyed. The fit portion was delivered to local hospitals.

6032. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 30 Sacks of Enriched Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a charitable institution, for use as animal feed. (F. D. C. No. 12672. Sample No. 77651-F.)

LABEL FILED: June 10, 1944, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 28, 1943, by the Best Foods, Inc., New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 30 100-pound sacks of flour at Philadelphia, Pa.

LABEL, IN PART: "Ceresota Enriched Flour."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances, since it contained beetles, larvae, and weevils.

DISPOSITION: July 7, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution, for use as pig feed.

6033. Adulteration of phosphated flour. U. S. v. 57 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12889. Sample No. 61784-F.)

LABEL FILED: July 6, 1944, Eastern District of Louisiana.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 8, 1943, from Dallas, Tex.

PRODUCT: Flour, 57 bags, each containing 48 pounds, at New Orleans, La., in the possession of J. S. Fraering, Inc.

This product had been stored, after shipment, under insanitary conditions. The bags had been gnawed by rodents, and examination disclosed the presence in the product of rodent excreta, rodent hairs, insects, larvae, pupae, and insect fragments.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 25, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

6034. Adulteration of phosphated flour. U. S. v. 110 Bags of Flour. Default decree of condemnation. Product ordered delivered to a Federal institution, for use as feed for livestock. (F. D. C. No. 12808. Sample No. 63328-F.)

LABEL FILED: June 29, 1944, Western District of South Carolina.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 14 and April 10, 1944, from El Reno, Okla.

PRODUCT: 110 bags of flour at Spartanburg, S. C., in the possession of the Todd-Woolbright Co.

This product was stored, after shipment, under insanitary conditions. The building was infested with rodents, and inspection showed that all bags contained urine stains. Examination confirmed the presence of urine in the product.

VIOLATIONS CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), in that the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance; and, Section 402 (a) (4), in that it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it might have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: August 8, 1944. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered delivered to a Federal institution, for use as feed for livestock.