

DISPOSITION: January 16, 1945. Joseph T. Shufitowski, Inc., claimant, having admitted the facts in the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7730. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 500 Bags and 400 Bags of Flour (and 1 other seizure action against flour). Consent decrees of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. Nos. 14101, 14142. Sample Nos. 59886-F, 59890-F, 59897-F.)

LIBELS FILED: November 13 and 17, 1944, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 21 and November 5, 1943, and January 13, 1944, by the Tri-State Milling Co., from Rapid City, S. Dak.

PRODUCT: 900 100-pound bags and 500 100-pound bags of flour at Chicago, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: "Dakota's Best Bleached Flour," or "Bleached Flour Dakota's Best."

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of beetles and larvae.

DISPOSITION: January 16, 1945. Joseph T. Shufitowski, Inc., Chicago, Ill., claimant, having admitted the facts in the libel, judgments of condemnation were entered and the products were ordered released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7731. Adulteration of cone flour. U. S. v. 640 Bags of Cone Flour. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 14965. Sample No. 60756-F.)

LIBEL FILED: January 8, 1945, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 13, 1944, from Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 640 100-pound bags of cone flour at Emeryville, Calif., in the possession of the Maryland Pacific Cone Co. This product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent pellets and urine stains were observed on them. Examination showed that the article contained rodent excreta and rodent urine.

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 may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: January 18, 1945. The Maryland Pacific Cone Co. having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that it be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

7732. Adulteration of pastry flour. U. S. v. 800 Bags of Pastry Flour. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 15208. Sample No. 17104-H.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about February 8, 1945, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 28, 1944, from Spokane, Wash.

PRODUCT: 800 100-pound bags of pastry flour at Chicago, Ill., in possession of the Superior Biscuit Co., Inc. The product was stored under insanitary conditions after shipment. Some of the bags were rodent-gnawed, and rodent excreta and urine stains were observed on them. Examination showed that the article contained rodent excreta.

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 may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: February 13, 1945. The Superior Biscuit Co., Inc., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated and denatured under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.