

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (2), valuable constituents, vitamin B₁, riboflavin, and niacin, had been in part omitted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (g) (1), the article failed to conform to the definition and standard of identity for enriched flour since it contained less than 2.0 milligrams of thiamine (vitamin B₁), less than 1.2 milligrams of riboflavin, and less than 16.0 milligrams of niacin in each pound.

DISPOSITION: October 29, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$100.

MACARONI AND NOODLE PRODUCTS

14138. Adulteration of macaroni and spaghetti. U. S. v. 12 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 26421. Sample Nos. 4101-K to 4103-K, incl.)

LIBEL FILED: January 19, 1949, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 15, 1948, by V. La Rosa & Sons, Inc., from Danielson, Conn.

PRODUCT: 12 cases, each containing 20 1-pound packages, of macaroni and 25 cases, each containing 20 1-pound packages, of spaghetti at Boston, Mass.

LABEL, IN PART: "La Rosa Grade A Macaroni Enriched Elbows," "La Rosa Enriched Thin Spaghetti," or "La Rosa Enriched Spaghetti."

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

DISPOSITION: March 7, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14139. Adulteration of spaghetti. U. S. v. 294 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 25941. Sample No. 23357-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 17, 1948, Northern District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 20, 1948, from Lockport, Ill.

PRODUCT: 294 cases, each containing 24 8-ounce packages, of spaghetti at Bessemer, Ala.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. It was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 17, 1948. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a public institution, to be denatured and used for animal feed.

14140. Adulteration of noodles. U. S. v. 400 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25964. Sample Nos. 9232-K, 9233-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 22, 1948, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 14, 1948, by the Kurtz Bros. Corp., from Bridgeport, Pa.

PRODUCT: 544 10-pound cartons of noodles at New York, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: (Carton) "Plain Folded Noodles * * * Three Castle Brand" or "Pure Egg Noodles * * * Lucky Boy Brand."

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

DISPOSITION: November 29, 1948. Default decree of condemnation. The products were ordered delivered to a Federal institution, for use as hog feed.

14141. Adulteration of Chinese noodles. U. S. v. 6 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 26101. Sample No. 31294-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 26, 1948, District of Arizona.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 20, 1948, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 6 50-pound cartons of Chinese noodles at Phoenix, Ariz.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: January 28, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

14142. Adulteration of noodle chicken dinner and noodle gible dinner. U. S. v. 181 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25669. Sample Nos. 34253-K, 34254-K.)

LIBEL FILED: September 29, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the dates of April 27, 1946, and November 7, 1947, from Omaha, Nebr., Seattle and Tacoma, Wash., and Portland, Oreg.

PRODUCT: 181 cases, each containing 24 jars, and 348 cases, each containing 12 jars, of noodle chicken dinner and noodle gible dinner at San Francisco, Calif.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in whole or in part of decomposed substances. They were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 5, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

MISCELLANEOUS CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS *

14143. Adulteration of farina. U. S. v. 482 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24995. Sample No. 33401-K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 7, 1948, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 3, 1948, from Kansas City, Mo.

PRODUCT: 482 100-pound bags of farina at Oakland, Calif., in possession of the Albers Milling Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

*See also Nos. 14135, 14136.