

**14859. Misbranding of candy Easter eggs. U. S. v. 88 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 26893. Sample No. 40968-K.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** March 28, 1949, Eastern District of Washington.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about February 15, 1949, by Miss Morris Candies, from Minneapolis, Minn.

**PRODUCT:** 88 cases each containing 60 candy Easter eggs at Yakima, Wash.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Miss Morris \* \* \* Cream Egg Net Wt. 1 $\frac{3}{4}$  Oz."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 403 (e) (2), the product was in package form and failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of the contents. The product was short-weight.

**DISPOSITION:** May 20, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The product was ordered delivered to a charitable institution.

## CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS

### BAKERY PRODUCTS

**14860. Adulteration of bakery products. U. S. v. Fargo Bakery Co., a corporation, and Harry E. Howland. Plea of guilty by corporation; fine, \$550. Plea of nolo contendere by individual defendant; fine, \$100. (F. D. C. No. 26794. Sample Nos. 44726-K, 44728-K, 44731-K, 44734-K to 44740-K, incl., 44742-K, 44744-K.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** May 19, 1949, District of North Dakota, against the Fargo Bakery Co., a corporation, Fargo, N. Dak., and Harry E. Howland, president and manager.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about February 14, 15, and 16, 1948, from the State of North Dakota into the State of Minnesota.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Portion) "Old Home Bread," "Old Home Wheat Bread," "Old Home Buns," "Svenska Limpa," or "Pullman."

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

**DISPOSITION:** June 14, 1949. A plea of guilty having been entered on behalf of the corporation and a plea of nolo contendere having been entered on behalf of the individual defendant, the former was fined \$550 and the latter \$100.

**14861. Adulteration of bread, sweet rolls, and coffee cake. U. S. v. Holsum Baking Co. Plea of guilty. Fine of \$250 and costs. (F. D. C. No. 26783. Sample Nos. 25754-K to 25759-K, incl.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** May 10, 1949, Northern District of Iowa, against the Holsum Baking Co., a partnership, Dubuque, Iowa.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about January 28 and 31, 1949, from the State of Iowa into the State of Illinois.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Portion) "Holsum Old Fashioned Potato [or "White"] Bread" or "Holsum Sweet Rolls." The coffee cake was unlabeled.