

CEREALS AND CEREAL PRODUCTS**FLOUR**

19406. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 257 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33446. Sample No. 48376-L.)

LABEL FILED: July 1, 1952, Northern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 25 and April 23, 1952, from Minneapolis, Minn.

PRODUCT: 257 bags, each containing 50 pounds, of flour at Mason City, Iowa, in the possession of the Pillsbury Distributing Warehouse.

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), the article 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.

DISPOSITION: August 1, 1952. Pillsbury Mills, Inc., Minneapolis, Minn., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond, conditioned that the good portion be separated from the bad portion and that the bad portion be converted into animal feed or otherwise disposed of in compliance with the law, under the supervision of a representative of the Federal Security Administrator. Of the 269 bags of the product that were actually seized, 16 bags were released as good and the remainder were denatured for use as animal feed.

19407. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 15 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 33633. Sample Nos. 48718-L, 48719-L.)

LABEL FILED: August 14, 1952, District of South Dakota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 28 and July 10, 1952, from Chadron, Nebr., and Great Falls, Mont.

PRODUCT: 15 25-pound bags and 44 50-pound bags of flour at Rapid City, S. Dak., in the possession of the Bean Bag Market.

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), the article 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.

DISPOSITION: September 22, 1952. The Bean Bag Market having appeared as claimant, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be brought into compliance with the law, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The product was denatured for use as animal feed.

19408. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 18 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 33593. Sample No. 2235-L.)

LABEL FILED: September 18, 1952, Southern District of Georgia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 17, 1952, from Chattanooga, Tenn.

PRODUCT: 18 bags, each containing 50 pounds, of flour at Waycross, Ga., in the possession of the Dixie-Portland South Georgia Grocery Co.