

**FLOUR**

**20113. Adulteration of flour. U. S. v. 9 Bags, etc. (F. D. C. No. 33074. Sample No. 48955-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** April 16, 1952, District of Minnesota.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about November 2, 1951, from Valley City, N. Dak.

**PRODUCT:** 9 100-pound bags and 412 50-pound bags of flour at Alexandria, Minn., in the possession of Ludke & Co., Inc.

**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 18, 1952. Ludke & Co., Inc., 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 for the segregation and the denaturing of the unfit portion for use as animal feed, under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. 900 pounds of the product were found unfit and were denatured.

**MISCELLANEOUS CEREAL**

**20114. Adulteration of wheat. U. S. v. 2,000 Bushels \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 34433. Sample No. 37888-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** December 16, 1952, District of New Jersey.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about November 28, 1952, by Cargill, Inc., from Buffalo, N. Y.

**PRODUCT:** 2,000 bushels of wheat at Clifton, N. J.

**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 human excrement and rodent excreta.

**DISPOSITION:** March 27, 1953. The shipper, 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 for reprocessing under the supervision of the Federal Security Agency. The product was mixed with milo and buck-wheat, for use as pigeon feed.

**DAIRY PRODUCTS****BUTTER**

**20115. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 14 Boxes (882 pounds) \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 31487-A. Sample No. 36575-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** On or about September 3, 1952, Eastern District of Illinois.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about June 27 and July 1 and 11, 1952, by the Beatrice Foods Co., from Vincennes, Ind.

**PRODUCT:** 14 63-pound boxes of butter at Robinson, Ill.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Tip Top Creamery Co. Vincennes, Indiana."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance; and, Section 402 (b) (2), the article contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat.