

PRODUCT: 434 1-ounce bottles and 8 4-ounce bottles of *Devine's Zina-Ray oil* and 200 *Devine's inhalers* at Little Rock, Ark. The inhalers consisted of a glass tube containing cotton. The tubes were constricted at one end and were plugged with a perforated cork at the other end.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: A placard entitled "The American Research and Testing Laboratories * * * Report on Clinical Test" was displayed with the articles in the store of the consignee. Sales of the articles were made on the basis of lectures given at the store by demonstrators Itasia S. Stearns and Henry C. Stearns, on behalf of the distributor, Devine's Remedies.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Devine's Zina-Ray Oil Contains Eucalyptus Oil, Menthol and Gum Camphor"; (device) "Devine's Inhaler."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the placard were false and misleading since they represented and suggested that the articles were effective in the treatment and release of pressure, congestion, and pain due to arthritic conditions, whereas the articles were not effective for such purposes; and, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the articles failed to bear adequate directions for use in the treatment of the conditions for which they were intended by their distributor, Devine's Remedies, namely, rheumatism and spongy gums, and for overcoming nasty taste in the morning, phlegm, and mucus.

The articles were misbranded in the above respects while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: June 8, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

DRUG ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF CONTAMINATION WITH FILTH

**3468. Adulteration of fleaseed (*Plantago*) husks. U. S. v. 17 Bags * * *
(F. D. C. No. 30693. Sample No. 18760-L.)**

LABEL FILED: March 12, 1951, Southern District of Iowa.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 12, 1951, by L. L. Hopkins & Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 17 90-pound bags of *fleaseed (Plantago) husks* at Des Moines, Iowa.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (a) (1), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects.

DISPOSITION: April 21, 1951. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

DRUGS AND DEVICES ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF DEVIATION FROM OFFICIAL OR OWN STANDARDS

**3469. Adulteration and misbranding of Premestrone (conjugated estrogens).
U. S. v. 22 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 30873. Sample No. 9715-L.)**

LABEL FILED: April 2, 1951, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 3, 1951, by the Doctors' Mutual Service Co., from Glendale, Calif.

PRODUCT: 22 90-tablet bottles of *Premestrone (conjugated estrogens)* at Waukegan, Ill.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Premestrone 0.4 mg. 90 Tablets Estrogenic Substances (Water Soluble). Also known as Conjugated Estrogens (Equine). * * * Formulated and Distributed By Specific Bio-Chemicals Glendale, California."