

\* \* \* Packed and Distributed By National Mineral Company 1203 Cedar St. Hattiesburg, Mississippi."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the package label were false and misleading. The statements represented and suggested that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for old sores and skin infections and that it would insure proper development of the body. The article was not an adequate and effective treatment for such conditions, and it would not insure proper development of the body. The article was misbranded in this respect while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

**DISPOSITION:** August 29, 1953. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

**4175. Misbranding of Mentos medicated lanolin. U. S. v. 15 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35254. Sample No. 26463-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** May 20, 1953, District of New Jersey.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about February 28, 1953, by Mentos Products Co., Inc., from Philadelphia, Pa.

**PRODUCT:** 15 cases, each containing 24 4-ounce jars, and 5 cases, each containing 12 16-ounce jars, of *Mentos medicated lanolin* at Hammonton, N. J., together with a number of circulars headed "Mentos Medicated Lanolin The Best Lanolin Cream Of All!"

Examination showed that the article was a mixture of 7.4 percent lanolin with other ingredients.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Jar) "Mentos *Medicated* Lanolin \* \* \* A lanolin compound proved highly beneficial for hair \* \* \* Active Ingredients: Lanolin."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the jar label and in the above-mentioned circular accompanying the article, were false and misleading. The statements represented and suggested that the article was chiefly lanolin, whereas the article was not lanolin but a mixture of a small amount (7.4 percent) of lanolin with other ingredients.

**DISPOSITION:** July 1, 1953. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be delivered to charitable institutions.

**4176. Misbranding of Trojan Stey. U. S. v. 288 Tubes, etc. (F. D. C. No. 35237. Sample No. 51416-L.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** May 20, 1953, Southern District of New York.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about March 17 and 20, 1953, from East Newark, N. J.

**PRODUCT:** 288 unlabeled ½-ounce tubes and 84 labeled 1-ounce tubes of *Trojan Stey* at New York, N. Y., in the possession of the North Pharmacal Co., together with a number of circulars entitled "The chances are 3 to 1 that You can use trojan stey," a number of leaflets headed "I thought I'd Seen Everything. . .," a number of circular inserts entitled "Trojan Stey," and a number of loose labels.

**RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION:** The above-mentioned circulars, leaflets, circular inserts, and loose labels were found to have been printed locally for the consignee.

**LABEL, IN PART:** (Tube) "Contains: Tetracaine 1% in a specially prepared base. trojan stey For indications and directions see accompanying circular ½ oz. North Pharmacal Co. New York 8, N. Y."