

Source: Pure Dehydrated Pacific Kelp (*Macrocystic-Pyrifera*), which supplies iodine in its natural form, together with excipients."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets entitled "Daily Iodine Unit."

LIBELED: 3-29-60, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: *Leci-Trate tablets*, 502(a)—when shipped, the label contained false and misleading representations that the article was adequate and effective as a lipotropic agent in the blood vessels and to supply important amounts of unsaturated fatty acids, thus to favorably affect the blood circulatory system.

*Natural iodine tablets*, 502(a)—when shipped, the labeling of the article contained false and misleading representations that the article was adequate and effective for the treatment and prevention of ill health and serious diseases; chronic state of border-line nutrition; enlargement of the thyroid; goiter; infections; miscarriages; inadequate supply of milk of nursing mothers; fatigue of adolescence; and that the article would stimulate the normal growth of bones, hair, and skin, the normal development of the brain, and sexual development; maintain a normal pregnancy; and promote general health, growth, and development of man; and 502(e) (1)—the label of the article failed to bear the common or usual name of the article, namely, kelp tablets.

DISPOSITION: 5-31-60. Default—destruction.

6228. *Ex Ulcer tablets* and *Jensen's Formulae tablets*. (F.D.C. No. 44439. S. No. 43-807 R.)

QUANTITY: 4,300 tablets in bulk drums and 286 50-tablet btl. of *Ex Ulcer tablets*, and 2 50-tablet btl. of *Jensen's Formulae tablets*, at Butte, Mont., in possession of Elmeton Pharmacal Co.

SHIPPED: 2-8-60, from Portland, Oreg., by Haack Laboratories, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Drum) "Haack Laboratories, Inc., Portland, Oregon \* \* \* Manufactured for: Jensen Drug Company, Butte, Montana \* \* \* 25,800 tablets \* \* \* P.F. A-5213 Bismuth Subnitrate 7½ grains Bismuth Subgallate 5 grains Magnesium Oxide 5 grains Oil of Peppermint qs 51001"; and (btl.) "Ex Ulcer Tablets \* \* \* Elmeton Pharmacal Co. Butte, Montana San Francisco, Calif. Contains: Bismuth Oxygallate, Bismuth Oxynitrate, Magnesium Hydroxide, Mint Oil Directions" and "Jensen's Formulae Tablets Elmeton Pharmacal Co. Butte, Montana \* \* \* Contains Bismuth Oxygallate, Bismuth Oxynitrate, Magnesium Hydroxide, Mint Oil. Directions."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The tablets in the bottles were repacked by the dealer from bulk stock which had been shipped as described above.

LIBELED: 4-22-60, Dist. Mont.

CHARGE: 502(a)—the labels of the tablets, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the tablets were an adequate and effective treatment for ulcers and other serious conditions of the stomach.

DISPOSITION: 5-18-60. Default—destruction.

6229. *Queen Bee capsules*. (F.D.C. No. 44407. S. No. 77-192 P.)

QUANTITY: 327 45-capsule btl. and 58 90-capsule btl. at Seattle, Wash.

SHIPPED: 2-5-60, from Los Angeles, Calif., by Retail Drug Service, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Queen Bee Brand Vitamins Minerals and Royal Jelly \* \* \* A dietary supplement (see side panel) \* \* \* One (1) Queen Bee Brand capsule three (3) times a day, or as directed by the physician. Each day's supply contains 6000 mcg. of certified pure, whole, natural Royal Jelly \* \* \* Caltex Distributors, Inc., Dallas, Texas."

**ACCOMPANYING LABELING:** Leaflets entitled "Royal Jelly The 'Miracle Food' of the Queen Bee."

**LIBELED:** 3-29-60, W. Dist. Wash.

**CHARGE:** 502(a)—the label accompanying the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was effective in killing disease-causing germs, was an antibiotic like penicillin; would stop the growth of pus-producing infectious germs that cause boils, carbuncles, and abscesses; was effective against fungus that cause ringworm of the scalp, athlete's foot, and other maladies; would stop the growth of cancer cells; arrest leukemia; and had anti-tumor activity.

**DISPOSITION:** 5-31-60. Default—destruction.

**6230. Yeast culture wafers.** (F.D.C. No. 44605. S. No. 43-668 R.)

**QUANTITY:** 230 cases, each containing 72 60-wafer btls. at Seattle, Wash., in possession of Genius, Inc.

**SHIPPED:** Between 3-1-60 and 4-5-60, from Chillicothe, Ill., by Newhaven Laboratories.

**LABEL IN PART:** (Btl.) "Western Yeast Culture A Food Supplement with Vitamin B Complex and Vitamins A and D \* \* \* Each Wafer contains \* \* \* with Vitamin B Complex and Vitamin A and D additions to Vitamins as listed below Vitamin B<sub>1</sub> (Thiamin Mononitrate) 2 mg. Vitamin B-2 (Riboflavin) 2.4 mg. Vitamin B-6 (Pyridoxine Hydrochloride) 1 mg. Vitamin B-12 Cobalamin Concentrate NF) 1 microg. Calcium Pantothenate 2 mg. Acid Nicotinic 10 mg. Folic Acid 0.25 mg. Vitamin A (Acetate) 4000 Units Vitamin D (Irridated Yeast) 600 Units Powdered Sugar Excipient added \* \* \* The need for Folic Acid, Pyridoxine Hydrochloride, Calcium Pantothenate and Vitamin B-12 has been established \* \* \* Distributed by Western Products South 5th and Broadway, Tacoma 2, Washington."

**ACCOMPANYING LABELING:** Leaflets entitled: "The Western Yeast Story," "S-1 Direct Retail Buyer," "S-2 Wholesale Buyer" and "S-3 Retailer"; placards entitled "As advertised by Bob Hale"; and cards reading in part "I'll Send You \$2.50 for this card."

**RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION:** The circulars and placards were designed and printed by Genius, Inc., and were used in promoting sales of the article.

**LIBELED:** 6-10-60, W. Dist. Wash.

**CHARGE:** 502(a)—when shipped and while held for sale, the labeling of the article contained false and misleading representations which suggested and implied that the article had a beneficial effect on the involuntary muscles of the digestive tract, and the nerve and circulatory systems; that it provided greatly increased energy; that it aided digestion, and elimination; increased resistance to disease; prevented skin disorders; that it contained anti-infection properties; aided in normal growth, and provided health to the mucous membranes of the body; was very essential for the maintenance of health and well-being; helped maintain high resistance to the common cold, sickness, and infections; overcame a tired rundown feeling, and lack of energy; gave added energy and drive; and cleared up bad complexion; and the labeling statements "Little Golden Nuggets of Pure Health" and "Naturally Grown" also were false and misleading.

The libel alleged also that the article was misbranded under the provisions of the law applicable to foods as reported in notices of judgment on foods.