

preparation for the treatment of Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Clap and all discharges peculiar to the urinary organs of no matter how long standing. * * * This preparation is highly valuable in cases of Kidney and Bladder trouble. It will relieve those sharp shooting pains when urinating," (box) "Mowerys Gonorrhœa Paste for man or woman * * *," (circular) "* * * for the treatment of Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Clap and all discharges peculiar to the urinary organs, either acute or chronic. * * * allays irritation or inflammation of the urethra. * * * will be found valuable in cases of Kidney, Bladder and Urinary Troubles; such as highly colored urine, brick dust in urine, stoppage of urine; thick, sluggish or scanty urine, blood or mucous in urine. It also relieves pain or soreness in back when caused by the above disorders. * * *," were false and fraudulent in that the article did not contain any ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed.

On October 15, 1919, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

E. D. BALL, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

8482. Misbranding of "3 Days" Cure for Men. U. S. * * * v. 5 Dozen Bottles of "3 Days" Cure for Men and 60 Envelopes * * * Capsules, and 3½ Dozen Bottles of "3 Days" Cure for Men and 39 Envelopes * * * Capsules. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. Nos. 10521, 10522. I. S. Nos. 16393-r, 16390-r. S. Nos. E-1511, E-1499.)

On June 7, 1919, the United States attorney for the Western District of North Carolina, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district libels for the seizure and condemnation of 5 dozen bottles of "3 Days" Cure for Men and 60 envelopes of capsules, at Greensboro, N. C., and 3½ dozen bottles of "3 Days" Cure for Men and 39 envelopes of capsules, at Charlotte, N. C., remaining in the original unbroken packages, alleging that the articles had been shipped by the "3 Days" Cure Co., Washington, D. C., on or about February 14, 1919, and October 18, 1918, respectively, and transported from the District of Columbia into the State of North Carolina, and charging misbranding in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, as amended.

Analyses of samples of the articles by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department showed that the contents of the bottles taken from each shipment consisted essentially of zinc sulphate and borax, and zinc sulphate, borax, and thymol, respectively, and that the contents of the capsules consisted of powdered cubeba and copaiba.

Misbranding of the articles was alleged in substance in the libels for the reason that certain statements appearing on the wrapper and bottle label, and in the accompanying circular, regarding the curative and therapeutic effects thereof, to wit, (wrapper) "The '3 Days' Cure for Men, a prompt and reliable remedy for Gonorrhœa and Gleet. Combines internal and local treatment, suited to all cases. Can never do harm. * * *," (bottle) "The '3 Days' Cure for Men. * * *," (circular) "* * * This treatment applies to other forms of inflammation with discharge which may appear in the urethral canal, * * *," were false and fraudulent in that the articles contained no ingredients or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed.

On February 6, 1920, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgments of condemnation and forfeiture were entered, and it was ordered by the court that the products be destroyed by the United States marshal.

E. D. BALL, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*