

body in your Fayro Bath and before the Bag of Fayro is entirely dissolved, firmly massage the parts you wish particularly to reduce with the cloth bag of Fayro. Excellent results are obtained in this manner."

On December 8, 1931, 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.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

19176. Adulteration and misbranding of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life and misbranding of the Children's Comfort. U. S. v. 29 Bottles of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life, et al. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. Nos. 27369, 27370. I. S. Nos. 38978, 38979. S. No. 5460.)

Examination of the drug products herein described showed that the labeling bore statements representing that the articles possessed curative and therapeutic properties which in fact they did not possess. Analysis of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life showed that it contained less chloroform than declared on the bottle and carton labels.

On December 14, 1931, the United States attorney for the District of Rhode Island, acting upon reports by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid libels praying seizure and condemnation of 29 bottles of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life and 28 bottles of the Children's Comfort, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Providence, R. I., alleging that the articles had been shipped by Brewer & Co. (Inc.), from Worcester, Mass., in various consignments on or about July 10, July 21, and October 2, 1931, and had been transported from the State of Massachusetts into the State of Rhode Island, and charging adulteration and misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analyses of samples of the articles by this department showed that the Angel of Peace and Solace of Life consisted essentially of alcohol (87.5 per cent by volume), chloroform (4.24 minims per fluidounce), ether, capsicum oleoresin, and volatile oils including pine oil, cajuput oil, menthol, and camphor, colored red; and that the Children's Comfort consisted essentially of a syrup containing a small proportion of extracts of plant drugs, flavored with anise oil.

Adulteration of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life was alleged in the libel, in that the strength of the article fell below the professed standard or quality under which it was sold, namely: (Carton) "Each fluidounce contains: Chloroform 9.6 M;" (bottle) "Each fluidounce contains Chloroform 9.6 Min."

Misbranding of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life was alleged for the reason that the above-quoted statements were false and misleading, since the article contained a smaller amount of chloroform than stated. Misbranding of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace and Solace of Life was alleged for the further reason that the following statements appearing in the labeling, regarding the curative or therapeutic effects of the article, were false and fraudulent, since the article contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed: (Bottle) Useful in the treatment of Muscular Rheumatism, Swollen Limbs, * * * Wounds and Earache * * * Use internally for Cramps, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, Coughs;" (carton) "Used in the Treatment of Aches And Pains. May Be Used In The Treatment Of The Following Ailments: Rheumatism, * * * Earache, Dysentery, * * * Felons, * * * Lane Joints, * * * Catarrh, * * * Toothache, * * * Wounds, * * * Weak Back, all Swelling of the Limbs;" (circular) "For Cramps Or Pains In Children. Put 1 teaspoonful of the Angel of Peace in two-thirds of a cup of cold water well sweetened. Give 2 or 3 teaspoonfuls of this at once. Then a teaspoonful every few minutes after that, and relief will soon be afforded. Cramps And Pains In The Stomach, Pleurisy, Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, &c. * * * If relief is not afforded in a few moments, then repeat the dose. Bathe the stomach freely with the Angel of Peace at the same time; if desired wring out flannels in hot water, wet well with the Angel of Peace, and apply them as hot as can be borne. Sometimes the Angel of Peace with Castor Oil in equal proportions will be found beneficial. * * * Coughs, * * * Sore Throat And Whooping Cough. Take 2 teaspoonfuls of Old Dr. Wesson's Angel of Peace, in half a tumbler of cold water, and add 2 teaspoonfuls of granulated or white powdered sugar. Take one or two teaspoonfuls as a treatment for your cough, * * * or sore throat.

Whooping Cough * * * Bronchial Cough. This is caused by the inflammation of the bronchial membrane. * * * Croup * * * is an acute inflammation of the windpipe and air passages leading to the lungs. It generally attacks children between the ages of one and six years. It is greatly to be dreaded, because of the extreme rapidity with which it is liable to fill the air passages with a false lining and suffocate the patient. Instantly, as soon as the first croupy sound is heard, raise the child in a sitting position in your arms, and give the Angel Of Peace, mixed as directed for a Cough Syrup, every five minutes. For Dysentery And Cramps. * * * Neuralgia, Ague In The Face, Etc. * * * the Angel of Peace is a great help where there is pain or soreness or inflammation. * * * Malaria. A half teaspoonful of Angel of Peace in a half-cup of cold water, must be taken morning and evening. Put one teaspoonful of the Angel of Peace in a cup and pour on not quite a quarter cup of boiling water. Put the hands on each side of the cup and inhale the steam two or three times each day."

Misbranding of the Children's Comfort was alleged for the reason that the following statements appearing in the labeling, regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the article were false and fraudulent, since it contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed: (Bottle label) "For Dysentery [similar statement in a foreign language];" (carton) "Is a Soothing preparation for all pains during the teething period and a sure preventive from Convulsions. It will check Vomiting, Dysentery, * * * and Colics, and correct the Acidity of the stomach. Its cordial and healthy action gives vigor to the child and comfort to the mother. * * * It soothes all pains. It relieves instantly;" (circular) " * * * which have the double effect of checking * * * Colics * * * causes a combination of all the necessary ingredients to give immediate relief. * * * It relieves Quickly * * * During the teething period it is especially necessary to subdue inflammation, soften the gums and allay the usual pains. If the child suffers from Vomiting, Diarrhoea, or Dysentery, the Children's Comfort will regulate the bowels, and give a healthy tone to the digestive organs." (Similar statements are made in a foreign language.)

On January 4, 1932, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgments of condemnation and forfeiture were entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

19177. Misbranding of Rider's household liniment. U. S. v. 6 Dozen Bottles of Rider's Household Liniment, et al. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. Nos. 26955, 27075. I. S. Nos. 17687, 36800. S. Nos. 5161, 5290.)

Examination of a drug product, known as Rider's household liniment, having shown that the labelings bore statements representing that the article possessed curative and therapeutic properties which it did not possess, the Secretary of Agriculture reported to the United States attorney for the Northern District of Texas the interstate shipments herein described, involving quantities of the product at Dallas, Tex.

On September 11 and October 20, 1931, the United States attorney filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid libels praying seizure and condemnation of 156 bottles of Rider's household liniment, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Dallas, Tex., consigned by Dr. Haggard Rider, alleging that the article had been shipped from San Diego, Calif., in part on or about July 28, 1931, and in part on or about August 6, 1931, and had been transported from the State of California into the State of Texas, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analyses of samples of the article by this department showed that it consisted essentially of a light mineral oil such as gasoline containing a trace of a vesicating agent such as capsicum extract and a trace of a volatile vegetable oil such as sassafras oil.

It was alleged in the libels that the article was misbranded in that the following statements regarding the curative and therapeutic effect of the article were false and fraudulent, since it contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed: (Bottle) "External Use Only Recommended by us for * * * Muscular Rheumatism, Bronchial Cough * * * Acute Pleurisy, Lumbago;" (portion of cartons) "Recommended by us in the Treatment of Muscular Rheumatism, Lumbago, Acute Pleurisy, * * * Bronchial Cough, * * * In Muscular Rheumatism