

blotches on face and neck, old sores, tetter, * * * and skin complaints.", (Cly-Tone Tonic, bottle) "Cly-Tone Tonic * * * Made for Your Health * * * Cly-Tone is highly indicated in the treatment of chronic Constipation, Indigestion, Blood, Stomach, Kidney and Functional Disorders of the Liver.", (Cly-Tone Tonic, carton) "Cly-Tone Tonic * * * Made for Your Health * * * Cly-Tone is highly indicated in the treatment of chronic Constipation, Indigestion, Blood, Stomach, Kidney and Functional Disorders of the Liver. Indigestion * * * Cly-Tone first aid to health for the Stomach, Blood, Liver or Kidneys.", (Liberty Nerve & Gland Treatment, carton) "Nerve & Gland Treatment The Body Builder * * * Nerve & Gland Treatment Energy * * * Strength."

On September 6, 1933, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the products be destroyed by the United States attorney.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

21557. Misbranding of Endazoin. U. S. v. 121 Small and 131 Large Tubes of Endazoin. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. no. 30778. Sample nos. 42952-A, 42953-A.)

Examination of the drug preparation, Endazoin, disclosed that the article contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing certain curative and therapeutic effects claimed on the tube and carton labels and in the circular shipped with the article.

On August 1, 1933, the United States attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 121 small tubes and 131 large tubes of Endazoin, in part at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and in part at Scranton, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about May 4, 1933, by the Ray Sales Co., from New York, N.Y., to Wilkes-Barre, Pa., that a portion had been reshipped to Scranton, Pa., and that the article was misbranded in violation of the Food and Drugs Act as amended. The article was labeled in part: "Endazoin Company, Inc., New York City."

Analysis of a sample of the article by this Department showed that it consisted essentially of zinc oxide (12 percent), salicylic acid (4 percent), and volatile oil such as turpentine oil (5 percent), incorporated in wool fat.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in that the following statements appearing in the labeling, regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the article, were false and fraudulent: (Tube label) "For Skin Eruptions * * * Eczema and Other Skin Affections", (carton label) "For Eczema, Salt Rheum, Psoriasis, Shingles, Pimples, Tetter * * * Herpes, Blotches * * * Rashes, Scaly Scalp * * * Chronic Sores * * * Wounds * * * And All Skin Itching And Irritation * * * Wonderfully efficient in treatment of pimples and other skin eruptions. * * * marvelous aid to skin health. * * * For The Treatment of Skin Eruptions * * * Eczema And Similar Skin Affections", (circular) "In the Treatment of Skin Eruptions, * * * Eczema * * * Pimples, Rashes * * * and Other Infections * * * may be used with absolute safety by anyone suffering from skin troubles in any form. * * * for the treatment of skin diseases * * * Any person who appreciates the dangers of skin infection * * * will quickly recognize the sanitary advantages afforded by Endazoin * * * In using Endazoin for the relief of general skin eruptions * * * the following treatment is recommended: Carefully bathe the affected parts with a pure soap and moderately hot water. Apply the water for several minutes in order to soften the scale encrusted surface of the skin, open the pores and allay the inflammation. * * * Apply a liberal amount of Endazoin * * * Repeat this application twice a day until irritation is relieved. * * * Eczema: Eczema is an inflammatory affection of the skin to which may be traced about 90% of all skin troubles. It usually makes its appearance in the form of a tiny red spot and may be confined to a limited area or rapidly spread over the entire body. It is usually characterized by small papules or vesicles, later developing into scaly, crusted patches, accompanied by itching and burning. So severe does the itching become that the sufferer frequently scratches the parts until they bleed. This itching, usually worse at night than during the day, causes loss of sleep, nervous disorders and a general run down condition. Bathe the affected parts in moderately hot water, using a pure soap, for the purpose of softening the

encrusted formations, cleansing the infected area and stimulating the skin. Remove the water by blotting or patting with a soft linen cloth. Cover the parts thoroughly with Endazoin. * * * This treatment should be repeated twice daily until relieved. Salt Rheum: One of the many forms of Eczema. * * * Psoriasis: One of the commonest of skin diseases. It makes its appearance in the form of small macules or pimples, in clusters or red patches, covered with silvery colored scales. * * * Shingles: An acute inflammatory affection of the skin, originating at the nerve centers, frequently occurring on the chest and sometimes on other parts of the body in the form of an eruption which usually assumes the appearance of a partial girdle. Sometimes it causes a dull aching or tingling sensation; again it becomes severe and is accompanied by great pain. The eruption usually occurs in three or four days after the first symptoms make their appearance. When the eruption is at its height, the pain usually gives way to itching and burning. Bathe the parts with warm water to which some weak antiseptic lotion has been added, such as boric acid or peroxide of hydrogen. Dry the skin by patting with a soft towel, apply a thick covering of Endazoin * * * Repeat treatment twice daily. * * * Pimples: This most common of all skin troubles is usually caused by poor blood, rich greasy foods, neglect of the skin, stomach disorders, sluggish bowels and germ infections. The eruption makes its appearance in the form of unsightly red pimples, usually centering around the hair follicles and oil ducts on the face, neck, and other parts of the body. Bathe the skin with hot water for ten minutes and dry thoroughly. With a sterilized needle open any large pimples which may have become matured and gently discharge the pus on a clean cloth. Then apply a liberal quantity of Endazoin, making sure that the affected surface is well covered. This should be done before retiring. In the morning, wash thoroughly with hot water and a pure soap. Rinse in cold water to close the pores and carefully dry with a soft towel. Repeat treatment each night until skin is cleared. * * * Tetter: A mild form of eczema. * * * Herpes: * * * Blotches and Rashes: These fiery red appearances on the skin are usually the result of poor blood, stomach disorders, rich, greasy foods, stimulants, indigestion and faulty elimination. * * * Scaly Scalp: The treatment for this trouble as well as that of Dandruff consists of washing the scalp and hair thoroughly with hot water and soap. Rinse well to eliminate all dirt, scaly formations and loose hair and cover the head with hot towels for the purpose of steaming the scalp and opening the pores. Then take a liberal quantity of Endazoin and massage it well into the scalp. * * * Repeat each night until relieved. * * * Hemorrhoids."

On August 25, 1933, 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.

M. L. Wilson, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

21558. Misbranding of Tee Tone Aspirin Tablets. U. S. v. 82 Tins of Tee Tone Aspirin Tablets. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. no. 30758. Sample no. 42944-A.)

This case involved a shipment of aspirin tablets, the labeling of which bore unwarranted curative and therapeutic claims.

On July 22, 1933, the United States attorney for the Middle District of Pennsylvania, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the district court a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 82 tins of Tee Tone Aspirin Tablets at Scranton, Pa., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce on or about July 28, 1932, by the Red Line Products Co., from Bush Terminal, Brooklyn, N.Y., and charging misbranding in violation of the Food and Drugs Act as amended.

Analysis of a sample of the article by this Department showed that the tablets contained 5 grains of acetylsalicylic acid each.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in the following statements regarding the curative or therapeutic effects of the article, borne on the tin container, were false and fraudulent: "For relief of * * * Rheumatism * * * Lumbago, Sore Throat * * * Toothache, Earache, Influenza, Sleeplessness."

On August 16, 1933, 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.

M. L. WILSON, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*