

16098. Adulteration and misbranding of vitamin B complex tablets. U. S. v. 230,000 Tablets * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28840. Sample No. 42383-K.)

LABEL FILED: February 13, 1950, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 26, 1949, by White Laboratories, Inc., Newark, N. J.

PRODUCT: 230,000 vitamin B complex tablets at Chicago, Ill. Examination showed that the product contained less than the declared amounts of thiamine, riboflavin, and nicotinic acid.

LABEL, IN PART: "B Complex Tablets Each tablet contains not less than 0.5 mg. Thiamine 0.5 mg. Riboflavin * * * 300.0 micrograms Nicotinic Acid."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, thiamine, riboflavin, and nicotinic acid, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the product.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Each tablet contains not less than 0.5 mg. Thiamine 0.5 mg. Riboflavin * * * 300.0 micrograms Nicotinic Acid" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: April 20, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

16099. Adulteration and misbranding of ferrous sulfate tablets with vitamin B complex. U. S. v. 12 Drums * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28821. Sample No. 69042-K.)

LABEL FILED: February 14, 1950, Western District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 25, 1949, from Oak Park, Mich.

PRODUCT: 12 drums each containing approximately 47,123 ferrous sulfate tablets with vitamin B complex at Buffalo, N. Y.

LABEL, IN PART: "Each tablet contains * * * Thiamine Hydrochloride (Vitamin B₁) 1.0 mg."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, thiamine hydrochloride (vitamin B₁), had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Each tablet contains * * * Thiamine Hydrochloride (Vitamin B₁) 1.0 mg." was false and misleading since the product contained less than 1.0 mg. of thiamine hydrochloride.

The product was adulterated and misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 22, 1950. Guardian Drug Products, Inc., Detroit, Mich., claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be released under bond to be relabeled under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

16100. Adulteration and misbranding of Neo-Mineral. U. S. v. 115 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28847. Sample No. 32560-K.)

LABEL FILED: February 10, 1950, Northern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 24, 1949, by the Trojanol Products Co., from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: 115 3-ounce bottles of Neo-Mineral at San Mateo, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Improved Formula Neo-Mineral * * * Two teaspoonfuls of this mineral extract will supply twice the minimum daily adult iron (Fe)

requirement. Minimum daily adult requirement, 10 mgm. * * * 3 Fluid Ounces Net."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, iron, had been in part omitted.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Two teaspoonfuls of this mineral extract will supply twice the minimum daily adult iron (Fe) requirement" was false and misleading since the product contained not more than 9.5 milligrams of iron per two teaspoonfuls.

DISPOSITION: April 11, 1950. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

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