2006. Misbranding of Paulette's Special Tablet Compound. U. S. v. 11 1/12 Dozen Packages of Paulette's Special Tablet Compound. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 20229. Sample No. 53209–H.)

LIBEL FILED: June 6, 1946, Middle District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 12, 1946, by the Youngs Rubber Corporation, Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 11 1/12 dozen packages of *Paulette's Special Tablet Compound* at Nashville, Tenn. Examination showed that the tablets consisted essentially of a laxative plant drug such as aloes, iron sulfate, and myrrh, coated with calcium and magnesium carbonates.

LABEL, IN PART: (Package) "Contents 24 Tablets Paulette's Brand Special Tablet Compound."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use since it failed to reveal the reason for the use of the article; and, Section 502 (f) (2), it failed to bear adequate warnings against use in those pathological conditions where its use may be dangerous to health, since the article was essentially a laxative and since the warning "Not for use in pregnancy or appendicitis" was not an adequate warning to inform users that the article should not be taken in case of nausea, vomiting, abdominal pain or other symptoms of appendicitis. The labeling further failed to warn that frequent or continued use of the article may result in dependence upon laxatives.

DISPOSITION: October 22, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

2007. Misbranding of B–I–F Combination. U. S. v. 42 Cartons of B–I–F Combination. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 19946. Sample No. 993–H.)

LIBEL FILED: May 27, 1946, Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 25, 1945, and January 3, 1946, by W. C. Hughes and Co., Inc., from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 42 cartons, each containing 2 bottles, of *B-I-F Combination* at Miami, Fla. Examination showed that one of the bottles in the carton contained "B-I-F Emulsion," which consisted essentially of balsam of copaiba, oil of cassia, sugar, glycerin, water, a gum, and a potassium compound; and that the other bottle contained "B-I-F Injection," which consisted essentially of zinc acetate, glycerin, and a small proportion of carbolic acid and water, colored with caramel. A leaflet entitled "B. I. F. Combination" was enclosed in some of the cartons.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottles) "Purchasers wishing to avoid attention in the use of this article, are advised to place the bottle in water a few moments after which this label can readily be removed." (Leaflet contained in some cartons) "B-I-F Combination An Emulsion (For Internal Use) An Injection (with Syringe) Directions Shake the bottle containing the Injection which is red, fill the syringe full, and inject the contents slowly into the urinal passage, holding the syringe in the right hand. Allow the medicine to remain 20 or 30 seconds. The Emulsion which is white, should be taken internally three times a day, before meals, in teaspoonful doses, in the morning on arising, at noon and at bedtime. The injection should be used about the same time, and always after passing water."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the labeling created the false and misleading impression that the product would be efficacious in the treatment of gonorrhea, whereas it would not be efficacious for such purpose; and, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the portion that was not accompanied by the leaflet failed to bear adequate directions for use.

DISPOSITION: August 19, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered destroyed.

2008. Misbranding of Dupree Brand Pills. U. S. v. 67 Boxes, 114 Boxes, and 34 Packages of Dupree Brand Pills. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. Nos. 19944, 19945. Sample Nos. 19755–H, 43923–H, 43924–H.)

LIBELS FILED: May 28, 1946, Southern District of California and District of Minnesota.