product, which contained relatively few *Bacillus acidophilus* organisms and large numbers of *Streptococci*.

DISPOSITION: April 2 and May 1, 1947. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

2272. Adulteration and misbranding of Trench Mouth Solution. U. S. v. 123 Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24325. Sample No. 18865-K.)

LIBEL FILED: February 4, 1948, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 13, 1947, by Thompson Laboratories, Inc., from Richmond, Ind.

PRODUCT: 123 12-ounce bottles of *Trench Mouth Solution* at Dayton, Ohio. Analysis disclosed that the product consisted of water, potassium arsenite, dipotassium arsenate, potassium iodide, and alcohol, colored red and flavored with oil of cloves. Each fluid ounce of the article contained not less than 0.27 grain of potassium arsenite and not less than 1.82 grains of potassium iodide.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it was represented to possess, i. e., (label) "Each fluid ounce represents Potassium Arsenite ⅕ gr. * * * Potassium Iodide 1⅕ gr."

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the following label statements were false and misleading: "Trench Mouth Solution * * * a supplementary aid in the treatment of Vincent's Infection (Trench Mouth) and is also recommended for use after tooth extraction * * * for treatment of mucous membranes of the mouth and throat." These statements represented and suggested that the article was effective in the treatment of trench mouth, of conditions following tooth extraction, and of conditions involving the mucous membranes of the mouth and throat, whereas the article was not effective for such purposes.

DISPOSITION: March 11, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2273. Adulteration and misbranding of Elastoplast Coverlets. U. S. v. 18 Boxes * * *. (F. D. C. No. 24419. Sample No. 26735-K.)

LIBEL FILED: On January 21, 1948, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 25, 1947, by Duke Laboratories, Inc., from Stamford, Conn.

PRODUCT: 18 boxes of *Elastoplast Coverlets* at St. Louis, Mo.

LABEL, IN PART: (Box) "No. 303 100 1¼ inch Oval Elastoplast Coverlets Elastic Adhesive Coverings Unmedicated Not Sterilized."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be "Adhesive Absorbent Gauze [Adhesive Absorbent Compress]," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, but its quality and purity fall below the standard set forth in such compendium since it was not sterile.

Misbranding, Section 502 (g), the article was not packaged as prescribed in the United States Pharmacopoeia, since each adhesive absorbent gauze was not packaged individually in such manner that sterility was maintained until the individual package was opened, and one or more individual packages were not packed in a second protective container, as required by the Pharmacopoeia.

DISPOSITION: March 8, 1948. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2274. Adulteration and misbranding of Sanacal, Verma-Caps, Anti-Flatulence Tablets, San-Areck Capsules, and Equine Purgative Capsules, and misbranding of Breeder's Compound. U. S. v. Curts-Folse Laboratories, Lloyd M. Curts, and Charles D. Folse. Plea of guilty. Fine, $1,100 against the defendants, jointly. (F. D. C. No. 17804. Sample Nos. 66674-F, 66676-F, 98816-F, 99049-F, 99051-F, 13005-H.)

INDICTMENT RETURNED: October 4, 1946, District of Kansas, against the Curts-Folse Laboratories, a partnership, Kansas City, Kans., and Lloyd M. Curts and Charles D. Folse, partners in the partnership.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of March 28 and December 26, 1944, from the State of Kansas into the States of Indiana, Missouri, and Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Sanacal * * * Santonin 2½ grs. Calomel 2½ grs. Aloin 5 grs. * * * Distributed By Anchor Serum Co., Indianapolis, Ind.," "Farmers Friend Brand 1 Pint Breeder's Compound Contains Yohimbine 3 grs. Sod.