3151. Adulteration and misbranding of castor oil. U. S. v. William Hoyt Elliott (National Specialty Co.). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, $101. (F. D. C. No. 26689. Sample No. 23242–K.)

INFORMATION FILED: April 18, 1949, Middle District of Tennessee, against William Hoyt Elliott, trading as the National Specialty Co., Nashville, Tenn.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about October 20, 1947, from the State of Tennessee into the State of Louisiana.

LABEL, IN PART: "Nasco Brand Castor Oil."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (d) (2), a substance, spirits of turpentine, had been substituted for *castor oil.*

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Castor Oil" was false and misleading since the article did not consist of *castor oil* but did consist of spirits of turpentine.

DISPOSITION: May 15, 1950. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the court imposed a fine of $101.

3152. Adulteration and misbranding of Vitramone and A–Vee. U. S. v. 87 Vials, etc. (F. D. C. No. 29317. Sample Nos. 73928–K, 73929–K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 17, 1950, Southern District of New York.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 21, 1950, by Harvey Laboratories, Inc., from Philadelphia, Pa.

PRODUCT: 87 vials of *Vitramone* and 93 vials of *A-Vee* at New York, N. Y. Examination showed that the products contained less than the declared amount of riboflavin.

LABEL, IN PART: (Vial) "1–10 cc. Ampul-Vial Vitramone * * * Intramuscular Injection of Vitamin B Complex * * * Each cc. contains: * * * Riboflavin 2 Mg." and (vial) "1–10 cc. Ampul-Vial A-Vee Sterile solution for parenteral use containing Vitamin B-Complex factors * * * Each cc. contains: * * * Riboflavin 2 Mg."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the articles fell below that which they purported and were represented to possess, namely, 2 mg. of riboflavin per cc.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the statements on the labels of the articles "Each cc. contains: * * * Riboflavin 2 Mg. * * *" were false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: June 22, 1950. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the products be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration.

3153. Adulteration and misbranding of hydrogen peroxide. U. S. v. 39 Dozen Bottles * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28966. Sample No. 76410–K.)

LIBEL FILED: April 13, 1950, Eastern District of Arkansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 8, 1949, and January 17, 1950, from St. Louis, Mo.

PRODUCT: 39 dozen bottles of *hydrogen peroxide* at Little Rock, Ark.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as a drug, "Solution of Hydrogen Peroxide," the name