

DISPOSITION: April 25, May 14, and June 6, 1947. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

2244. Misbranding of Niko Niko-Lene and Gold Medal Niko-Lene. U. S. v. 23 Bottles, etc. (F. D. C. No. 20568. Sample Nos. 35995-H, 35996-H.)

LIBEL FILED: On or about August 2, 1946, Western District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about June 6, 1946, by Niko Laboratories, from Clay Center, Kans.

PRODUCT: 23 1-pint bottles of *Niko Niko-Lene* and 4 1-quart bottles of *Gold Medal Niko-Lene* at St. Joseph, Mo. Analysis disclosed that the articles consisted essentially of water, with small amounts of sulfates of copper, iron, manganese, aluminum and magnesium, potassium dichromate, and methyl violet.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label designations of the articles, i. e., "Niko Niko-Lene" and "Niko-Lene," were misleading since they suggested and implied that the articles contained nicotine which would be effective in the treatment of large round worms that infest poultry, whereas the articles did not contain nicotine and would not be effective in the treatment of any species of worms which infest poultry. Further misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the label of the articles were false and misleading since they represented and suggested that the articles would be effective as a flock treatment of diseased conditions of poultry, including those diseased conditions which may cause bloody droppings, and that they would be effective as an intestinal astringent, whereas the articles would not be effective in the treatment of any diseased condition of poultry and would not be effective as an intestinal astringent.

DISPOSITION: March 3, 1947. Niko Laboratories, claimant, having withdrawn its answer to the libel, judgment was entered ordering that the products be destroyed.

2245. Misbranding of Kent-Kaps Garlic Capsules and Kent Pure Garlic Extract. U. S. v. 98 Boxes * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 20219, 21007. Sample Nos. 45065-H, 54567-H.)

LIBELS FILED: June 10 and September 24, 1946, Southern District of California and Southern District of Florida.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of February 6 and March 8, 1946, by Kent Laboratories, Inc., from Wilmette, Ill.

PRODUCT: 98 boxes of *Kent-Kaps Garlic Capsules* at Pasadena, Calif., and 74 bottles of *Kent Pure Garlic Extract* at St. Petersburg, Fla. The *Kent-Kaps Garlic Capsules* consisted of a mixture of castor oil and garlic extract.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the labels were false and misleading. These statements represented and suggested that the *Kent-Kaps Garlic Capsules* would be an effective treatment and preventive for worm infestation in puppies, cats, foxes, mink, and all pets and game; and that the *Kent Pure Garlic Extract* would be effective as a gastric stimulant to help keep dogs and other animals in a healthier condition, as a treatment for diarrhea, and to reduce worm infestation of dogs, cats, foxes, mink, and other small game. The articles would not be effective for the purposes claimed.

DISPOSITION: September 23 and October 29, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgments of condemnation were entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

2246. Misbranding of Foxco Vineland Flock Treatment for Worms. U. S. v. 7 Jugs * * *. (F. D. C. No. 23451. Sample No. 74824-H.)

LIBEL FILED: July 15, 1947, District of New Hampshire.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 11, 1947, by the Fox Co., from Newfield, N. J.

PRODUCT: 7 1-gallon jugs of *Foxco Vineland Flock Treatment for Worms* at Dover, N. H. Analysis showed that the product consisted essentially of a light mineral oil with turpentine.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Flock Treatment for Worms (*Ascaridia Lineata*)" was false and misleading since it