ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 4, 1949, by the C. F. Kirk Co., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 65 30-cc. vials of *procaine hydrochloride* at Newark, N. J.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Procaine Hydrochloride Ampuls," a drug the name of which is recognized in the National Formulary, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material.

DISPOSITION: July 25, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2817. Adulteration and misbranding of Thiocyl. U. S. v. 17 Boxes, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27195. Sample Nos. 11277-K, 11287-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 9, 1949, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 21, 1949, by Torigian Laboratories, Inc., from Queens Village, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 17 12-ampul boxes, 4 25-ampul boxes, 3 100-ampul boxes, and 45 3-ampul boxes of *Thiocyl* at Montclair, N. J. Analysis showed that the product consisted of a solution containing not more than 7.3 percent of sodium thiosalicylate.

LABEL, IN PART: "Ampul 2 cc. Size Thiocyl Sod. Thiosalicylate 10%."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c) the strength of the article differed from that which it purported to possess, namely, sodium thiosalicylate 10 percent.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Sod. Thiosalicylate 10%" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: July 11, 1949. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that a portion of the product be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration, and the remainder be destroyed.

2818. Adulteration and misbranding of adhesive bandages. U. S. v. 74 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27295. Sample No. 62214-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 2, 1949, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 26, 1949, by the Hampton Mfg. Co., from Carlstadt, N. J.

PRODUCT: 74 cartons, each containing 36 packages, of *adhesive bandages* at Boston, Mass.

LABEL, IN PART: (Package) "Blue Cross Sterilized 6 Adhesive Bandages."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be "Adhesive Absorbent Gauze [or "Adhesive Absorbent Compress"]," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since the article was not sterile but was contaminated with living micro-organisms.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Sterilized" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: July 12, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.