NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use, and the article was not entitled to any exemption from that requirement.

DISPOSITION: September 2, 1954. Default decree of forfeiture and destruction.

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4490. Adulteration and misbranding of chorionic gonadotropin. U. S. v. 200 Packages * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36878. Sample No. 80671-L.)

LIBEL FILED: July 14, 1954, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 22, 1953, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 200 packages, each containing 1 vial, of *chorionic gonadotropin* and 1 vial of diluent at Philadelphia, Pa. Examination showed that the strength of the article was less than 50% of that which it was represented to possess.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it was represented to possess.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the statements "Chorionic Gonadotropin * * * 5,000 I. U." appearing on the package label and "Chorionic Gonadotropin—Vials, 5,000 I. U. in dry form" appearing on the package insert were false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained less than 2,500 International Units of chorionic gonadotropin activity per vial.

The article was adulterated and misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: October 6, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

4491. Adulteration and misbranding of Poya-Liver Stronger. U. S. v. 11 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36857. Sample No. 48090-L.)

LIBEL FILED: July 2, 1954, Middle District of Alabama.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 12, 1954, by Testagar & Co., Inc., from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: 11 vials of *Poya-Liver Stronger* at Montgomery, Ala. Analysis showed that the product contained less than 60 percent of the declared amount of vitamin B_{12}.

LABEL, IN PART: (Vial) "10 cc. No. 414A Poya-Liver Stronger Liver-Folic Acid-B_{12} Combination Intramuscular Use * * * Each cc. contains: * * * Vitamin B_{12} . . . . . 60 mcg. * * * For use in the treatment of all types of anemia other than hypochromic."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it purported and was represented to possess, namely, 60 micrograms of vitamin B_{12} per cubic centimeter.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Each cc. contains: * * * Vitamin B_{12} . . . . . 60 mcg." was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: July 27, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.