RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the tablets contained from 9.8 percent to 112.3 percent of the labeled amount of halazone. The National Formulary provides that halazone tablets contain not less than 90 percent of the labeled amount of halazone.

LIBELED: 7–22–55, S. Dist. Calif.

CHARGE: 501 (b)—the article, while held for sale, purported to be and was represented as "Halazone Tablets," a drug the name of which is recognized in the National Formulary, an official compendium, and its strength differed from the standard set forth in such compendium.

DISPOSITION: 8–15–55. Default—destruction.

4908. Petronet dressings. (F. D. C. No. 38218. S. No. 29–364 M.)

QUANTITY: 123 tins at Hackensack, N. J.

SHIPPED: 4–4–55, from Leicester, England, by Dalmas, Ltd.

LABEL IN PART: (Tin) "Petronet Dressings A non-adhesive open mesh petroleum gauze dressing * * * Sterilized * * * Size 8 yards x 3¾ inches * * * Made in England."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was not sterile but was contaminated with living micro-organisms.

LIBELED: 6–30–55, Dist. N. J.

CHARGE: 501 (c)—the purity and quality of the article, when shipped, fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess; and 502 (a)—the label statement "Sterilized" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 8–12–55. Default—destruction.

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DRUGS FOR HUMAN USE*

4909. Paracyl tablets. (F. D. C. No. 37613. S. Nos. 3–816/7 M.)

QUANTITY: 1 drum containing 19,900 tablets, and 94 btls., 50-tablets each, at Rochester, N. Y., in possession of Pharma-Seal, Inc.

SHIPPED: 11–22–54, from Philadelphia, Pa.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The tablets were shipped in interstate commerce in bulk, and, upon receipt by the consignee, a number of the tablets were repacked into bottles.

LIBELED: 1–19–55, W. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article (as repackaged), while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that it was an adequate and effective treatment for arthritis and rheumatism.

DISPOSITION: 3–4–55. Consent—claimed by Pharma-Seal, Inc. The article was relabeled.

4910. Rhu-Mart tablets. (F. D. C. No. 37684. S. No. 11–830 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,920 cartoned btls., each containing 60 tablets, at Newark, N. J., in possession of Rhu-Mart Drug Co.

SHIPPED: 12–1–54, from Cleveland, Ohio.

*See also Nos. 4882, 4888, 4889, 4891, 4893, 4894, 4899, 4901, 4902, 4908.