5002. Powdr-X. (F. D. C. No. 38953. S. No. 26–434 M.)

QUANTITY: 100 cases, 12 6-oz. pkgs. each, at Minneapolis, Minn., in possession of L. M. Gray, t/a Powdr-X Co.

SHIPPED: During 1946, from Westcliffe, Colo.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Powdr-X For Internal Use * * *An impalpable mineral powder consisting of complex silicates of sodium, potassium, calcium, magnesium, aluminum, iron, manganese, zinc, cobalt, nickel, vanadium and titanium, having approximately the following composition: SiO_2 70.00% MnO .39% Al_2O_3 12.54% ZnO .076% Fe_2O_3 2.39% CoO Trace CaO .87% NiO Trace MgO .78% TiO_2 Trace K_2O 4.99% V_2O_5 Trace Na_2O 2.73% Powdr-X Company 5025 Queen Avenue South Minneapolis 10, Minnesota."

LIBELED: 2–16–56, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for gastric ulcers and gastric intestinal distress; and 502 (f) (1)—the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use in the treatment of glaucoma, osteomyelitis, tuberculosis of the bone, gangrene, cancer, and cataracts, for which it was recommended orally by L. M. Gray.

DISPOSITION: 4–12–56. Default—destruction.

5003. Pastilla candy, Albert Christy's Big 3 Compound capsules, Mellanine capsules, and rubber exercisers. (F. D. C. No. 38729. S. Nos. 7–484/5 M, 7–487/8 M, 42–390 M, 42–394 M.)

QUANTITY: 15 ½-lb. boxes of *Pastilla candy*, 51 60-capsule boxes of *Albert Christy's Big 3 Compound capsules*, 47 100-capsule boxes of *Mellanine capsules*, and 56 unlabeled *rubber exercisers* at Denver, Colo., in possession of Albert Christy.

SHIPPED: The candy and devices were shipped from Hollywood, Calif., on an unknown date, and *Albert Christy's Big 3 Compound capsules* and *Mellanine capsules* were shipped from Detroit, Mich., on 9–29–55.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: During the course of lectures by Albert Christy, representations were made concerning the efficacy of the above-mentioned articles for the conditions and purposes set forth below.

The device involved was a strip of rubber approximately 22 inches long and 2 inches wide.

LIBELED: 12–12–55, Dist. Colo.

CHARGE: 502. (f) (1)—the labeling of the articles, while held for sale, failed to bear adequate directions for use for the diseases, conditions, and purposes for which they were recommended orally by Albert Christy, namely, (Pastilla candy) to prevent piles, constipation, congestion, asthma, hay fever, and sinus trouble; (Albert Christy's Big 3 Compound capsules) to treat arthritis and to enable one to live longer; (Mellanine capsules) to treat arthritis, muscular atrophy, rheumatism, stiff and swollen joints, high blood pressure, low blood pressure, anemia, leukemia, cataract, glaucoma, hardening of the arteries, gallstones, and kidney stones; and (rubber exercisers) to prevent cancer of the breast and to treat varicose veins and bursitis.

DISPOSITION: 2–15–56. Default—destruction.

5004. Electrosonic ultrasonic therapy device. (F. D. C. No. 37309. S. No. 88–898 L.)

QUANTITY: 2 devices at Milwaukee, Wis.