

4474. Misbranding of "Quaker Herb Extract," "Payne's New Discovery," "Payne Quick Relief," and "Quaker Oil of Balm." U. S. * * * v. The Quaker Herb Co., a corporation. Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$100 and costs. (F. & D. No. 6549. I. S. Nos. 5898-e, 8213-e, 8214-e, 9413-e.)

On October 15, 1915, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Ohio, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district an information against The Quaker Herb Co., a corporation, Cincinnati, Ohio, alleging shipment by said company, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, as amended:

(1) On or about November 4, 1912, from the State of Ohio into the State of Georgia, of a quantity of "Quaker Herb Extract," which was misbranded. This article was labeled: (On carton) (Front) "Quaker Herb Extract Contains Alcohol 18 Per Cent. For Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Kidneys The Great Quaker System Purifier and Worm and Germ Destroyer. Price \$1.00 Style of Package Adopted July 1st, 1895. Address All Orders to The Quaker Herb Co. 721 to 727 West Fourth St., Cincinnati, O." (Back) "Quaker Herb Extract. Is carefully prepared from a proper combination of the Herbs, Barks, Roots, Berries, Leaves and Blossoms that have been used with such wonderful results for years in the families of our forefathers, the Friends or Quakers. The selection has been made of those herbs, etc., that cleanse and strengthen the human system consequently it may be used beneficially in a great variety of disorders and by its very purifying nature is also a wonderful preventative from long spells of sickness when taken in time for Catarrh, Indigestion or Dyspepsia, Bilioussness, Costiveness, Rheumatism, Kidney and Bladder Troubles, Scrofula and so-called Blood Diseases, Chills, Fever, Ague, Nervousness, Male and Female Weakness, Female Complaints, Worms, Impurities and Disease Germs that are the true cause of many disorders. United States Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906. Serial No. 936. Canadian Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act. Serial No. 1683. The Quaker Herb Co., 721 to 727 W. Fourth St., Cincinnati, O." (One side) "Quaker Herb Extract. The Great System Purifier." (Other side) "Quaker Herb Extract. Directions and Circulars Inside." (On bottle) "Quaker Herb Extract. Alcohol 18 Per Cent Reg. Guar. No. 936. Dose:—The usual dose is a small tablespoonful two or three times a day, before or after eating, as is found best. Children, aged 2 to 5 years, $\frac{1}{2}$ to 1 teaspoonful. Older Children, 1 to 2 teaspoonsful. Natures differ, and it may be necessary to increase or lessen the dose, as enough should be taken to make the bowels act freely, in order to cast the impurities forever out of the system. Address all orders to The Quaker Herb Co., 723-727 W. Fourth Street, Cincinnati, O." The circular or pamphlet accompanying the article contained, among other things, the following: "The reason Quaker Herb Extract has astonished the world by permanently curing Catarrh when all other remedies and methods have failed, is more readily explained when the fact is known that it acts upon every part of this mucous or catarrhal surface, heals the soreness and inflammation and tones it up to a healthy and natural action." "Grip is peculiarly a disease of the mucous lining and leaves this lining in a weak, irritated condition, and consequently deranges the functions of the whole system. Quaker Herb Extract brings back the natural strength and action of the mucous lining and so removes the cause of the trouble. It is the grandest tonic made." "By thus removing the cause, Quaker Herb Extract gives lasting relief from all the pains, aches and bearing down sensations, and from the worn-out debilitated conditions that accompany prolapsus uteri." "Change of Life. Women approaching this stage of life will find great comfort and relief in the use