

**6684. Misbranding of Kampfmüller's Rheumatic Remedy. U. S. * * *
v. Kampfmüller Rheumatic Remedy Co., a corporation. Plea of
guilty. Fine, \$25. (F. & D. No. 8981. I. S. No. 11994-m.)**

On October 1, 1918, the United States attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, 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 Kampfmüller Rheumatic Remedy Co., a corporation, Louisville, Ky., alleging shipment by said company, in violation of the Food and Drugs Act as amended, on or about December 8, 1916, from the State of Kentucky into the State of Tennessee, of a quantity of an article labeled in part, "Kampfmüller's Rheumatic Remedy," which was misbranded.

Analysis of a sample of the article by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department showed that it consisted essentially of potassium iodid, extract from a laxative plant drug, alcohol, and water.

It was alleged in substance in the information that the article was misbranded for the reason that certain statements appearing on the labels of the cartons and bottles falsely and fraudulently represented it as a remedy for rheumatism, and as a remedy, treatment, and cure for arthritic rheumatism, articular rheumatism, inflammatory rheumatism, muscular rheumatism, and rheumatic fever, when, in truth and in fact, it was not.

On October 16, 1918, the defendant company entered a plea of guilty to the information, and the court imposed a fine of \$25.

C. F. MARVIN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*