

alleging that the article had been shipped by the Maine Cooperative Sardine Co., Eastport, Me., July 22, 1925, and transported from the State of Maine into the State of North Carolina, and charging adulteration in violation of the food and drugs act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that it consisted in whole or in part of a filthy, decomposed, or putrid animal substance.

On October 11, 1926, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

**14722. Misbranding of Moorite mineral powder. U. S. v. 32 Packages, et al., of Moorite Mineral Powder. Default decrees of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction.** (F. & D. Nos. 20969, 20970, 21024. I. S. Nos. 10671-x, 10672-x, 10674-x, 10675-x, 10784-x, 10785-x. S. Nos. W-1930, W-1931, W-1961.)

On March 29 and April 19, 1926, respectively, the United States attorney for the Northern District of California, acting upon reports by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district libels, and on April 10, 1926, amended libels in certain instances, praying seizure and condemnation of one hundred and sixteen 4-ounce packages and seven hundred and twenty-six 1-pound packages of Moorite mineral powder, in various lots at Petaluma, Santa Rosa, and Sacramento, Calif., respectively, alleging that the article had been shipped by the Moorite Products Co., from Seattle, Wash., between the dates of February 2, 1925, and January 23, 1926, and transported from the State of Washington into the State of California, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis by the Bureau of Chemistry of this department of a sample of the article showed that it consisted of clay.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded, in that the following statements regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the said article were false and fraudulent, since it contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed: (Carton, both sizes) "contains wonderful Healing Properties and when properly applied equal the best Medicinal Springs \* \* \* Take \* \* \* in any quantity the system may require \* \* \* especially recommended for the treatment of Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Neuritis, Indigestion, Stomach Trouble, Kidney and Liver Trouble, Catarrh, Varicose Veins, Burns, Scalds, in fact all inflamed conditions \* \* \* Purifies the Blood, Aids Digestion Eliminates Bowel and Stomach Gases, Relieves Aches and Pains, Unequalled for Scalds and Burns." (circular, both sizes) "General Directions For Using Moorite \* \* \* In Treating Disease \* \* \* the body requires time to overcome the injuries of perhaps years of wrong living. Because health does not follow in a few days or weeks, Moorite must not be considered a failure. In many cases it must be repeated over and over again until health is attained. The principle of cure is correct and the results are uniform if the method and directions are correctly followed. \* \* \* Remember, There Are Many Diseases But Few Causes. The Object Is To Remove The Cause \* \* \* Indigestion \* \* \* If the Moorite Water makes your kidneys unusually active or causes dizziness, your body is simply taking more oxygen than it can assimilate, in which case the amount should be reduced for a time \* \* \* Rheumatism \* \* \* Catarrh and Hay Fever \* \* \* The eyes, ears and the glands of the throat are controlled by the adenoid gland. Take care of the glands \* \* \* and all other affections will disappear. Sore Eyes and Failing Eyesight \* \* \* Goitre, Tonsillitis and Croup \* \* \* Asthma, Pleurisy, Pneumonia, Chest Colds and Bronchitis \* \* \* Ulcers, Blood Poison, Boils and Old Running Sores \* \* \* Influenza and Grippe \* \* \* Bowel and Stomach Trouble and Anemia \* \* \* Kidney Diseases \* \* \* Erysipelas, Eczema and Skin Eruptions \* \* \* Bruises, Sprains and Scalds. Pyorrhea \* \* \* Toothache \* \* \* Hemorrhoids (Piles) \* \* \* Varicose Veins and Sore Feet \* \* \* Female Weakness \* \* \* Appendicitis \* \* \* In about half an hour or so the pain will stop. Then massage the abdomen in a circular motion from right to left. Then keep in motion until the bowels move. Paralysis and Locomotor Ataxia \* \* \* There is a wide difference of opinion as to the cause of paralysis, but constipation is considered the main cause. Locomotor Ataxia is a nervous disease caused by draining the vital forces from indulgence, or burning the candle at both ends, drink-

ing coffee, tea, wine, or liquor, and using tobacco, etc. \* \* \* colds on lungs, sciatic rheumatism, lumbago, pneumonia, etc. To reduce temperature in fevers \* \* \* for \* \* \* skin rashes," (testimonial sheet, inclosure)

"Freed Of Rheumatism By Moorite \* \* \* Relieved By Famous Remedy After Spending Two Months in Hospital \* \* \* curing him of a stubborn case of rheumatism which had made his life a burden for months. Although he spent two months in the hospital and had had his teeth extracted, he could find no relief until he heard of Moorite \* \* \* The wonderful relief I received in a few days was amazing \* \* \* to anyone suffering from rheumatism \* \* \* I owe my health today to Moorite and I want sufferers to use it and recover as I have done. \* \* \* pleased to recommend Moorite after using it for varicose veins, swollen limbs and ankles. I \* \* \* give a great deal of credit to Moorite \* \* \* used Moorite and for scalds and burns, have not found its equal. \* \* \* this wonderful remedy \* \* \* I had suffered so from pyorrhea that I could not eat a peanut or take a bite of apple. But three days after using Moorite I could eat anything. I am now taking Moorite internally to cleanse my system completely \* \* \* cured my daughter of skin trouble \* \* \* the results \* \* \* obtained were wonderful \* \* \* could not lay a hot towel on her face so sore and tender was her skin, but after a few applications of Moorite she was completely cured \* \* \* Recommend Moorite to pyorrhea sufferers \* \* \* Great Remedy Relieved \* \* \* of Chronic Stomach Trouble and Pyorrhea \* \* \* suffers from stomach trouble and pyorrhea \* \* \* I have been troubled with pyorrhea and stomach trouble for about 15 years \* \* \* I have spent hundreds of dollars searching for relief, but I never found it until taking Moorite \* \* \* my stomach is feeling fine and my pyorrhea is fast disappearing. Anyone troubled with these painful diseases will realize how grateful I am \* \* \* I recommend Moorite to all sufferers such as I was \* \* \* After seven years of suffering with stomach trouble \* \* \* is now completely cured. Not only did he have stomach trouble, but rheumatism as well. Now he is restored to his former health \* \* \* To have a worn out, tired feeling, to be in such health that to work was a burden and with a desire to remain in bed instead of feeling the bountiful flow of life \* \* \* dragged along for years \* \* \* After taking one \* \* \* can he felt like a new man and today is the picture of health. Moorite gives all the benefits to be derived from mineral springs secured by using nature's own remedy at home. \* \* \* anyone feeling depressed \* \* \* need not take one chance \* \* \* Pyorrhea Can Be Banished! The personal experience of users is proving this true every day \* \* \* completely cured of pyorrhea \* \* \* was told by \* \* \* dentists that I would have to have my teeth pulled \* \* \* Urged by this need, I began taking Moorite, and also using Moorite Pyorrhea Powder for treating the gums. The result is that I have saved my teeth. \* \* \* I never found no other medicine that did such wonders as it has for me. I have been for the last eighteen months with sores breaking out on my body and have tried many other so-called medicines, but none seemed to have any effect \* \* \* within two weeks I began to take it the sores were completely healed up and I feel almost a new man, and I am giving Moorite full credit for the health I now have. So I advise one and all who need a blood purifier to give this wonderful medicine a fair trial \* \* \* I had my fingers badly torn with a rusty cable, causing an infection and open sores. My fingers would crack open and I doctored for years trying to get them healed up. The doctors called it chronic eczema, the blood would just run from my fingers. But the doctors could give me nothing to heal them up. \* \* \* after using less than one \* \* \* can of Moorite, I was completely cured. \* \* \* hope that other sufferers may be cured as I have by the use of Moorite. \* \* \* I have talked Moorite to everyone I meet that is ailing. \* \* \* the best thing for burns and for soreness in lungs; it beats all," (circular, enclosed in shipping, case) "Disease Goes \* \* \* Health's Secret New Health Message \* \* \* A simple truth has won back health for people who have never drawn a well breath in years. Learning just one fact has banished sickness in hundreds of cases where thousands of dollars and months or years of time spent, brought no relief; has put people on their feet who were bedridden for years; has freed them from suffering and pain and made them again know the happiness of perfect health and robust body. \* \* \* No matter what you suffer from, how long you have been sick, how weak and rundown you may be, how hopeless your case may seem; no matter what name the doctors have given your

trouble come and hear this simple truth—It will cost you nothing and it may be your salvation. \* \* \* our bodies can be reduced to about twenty basic chemical elements \* \* \* Your stomach with the help of other organs serves as a laboratory which extracts these chemicals from the foods you eat. When these elements are present in your body in their correct proportion, you are healthy, but when thru some cause or other your body is not supplied with enough of one or more of these life-giving chemicals in its correct proportion, then trouble commences. You become weak or run-down—perhaps the germs which your well body was able to fight and throw off get a foothold. Then, certain symptoms develop and the doctors say you have this disease or that disease. The Moorite Laboratory has demonstrated \* \* \* that almost all diseases spring from the same cause—lack of one or more of the twenty basic chemical elements. Replace the needed element in your body and quick recovery of health and strength will frequently follow. \* \* \* The Way to Glorious Health Moorite contains many of the most precious of life-giving chemicals—but that is not all. Experimentations covering years of time and proved by hundreds of cases show that Moorite thru a remarkable action stimulates the stomach and other organs to extract the deficient elements from the food one eats so that soon after you start taking Moorite your body regains its correct chemical adjustments, and stubborn sickness vanishes and the body recovers its old health and strength. The above seems so incredible that we can understand that at first it will seem almost impossible to you \* \* \* hear all of the facts \* \* \* marvelous cures effected by the use of Moorite \* \* \* hundreds of testimonials from people whose lives have been saved by the use of Moorite \* \* \* We are so sure of what Moorite will do in banishing disease and restoring health that we will take all the chance \* \* \* if it does not help you your money will be refunded \* \* \* Moorite has brought glorious health to hundreds of sufferers from stomach and kidney troubles, blood impurities and other ailments.” (testimonials) “I was Relieved of Stomach Trouble After 20 years of Suffering: \* \* \* this great remedy \* \* \* was guaranteed to relieve stomach trouble \* \* \* When I learned that Moorite was an acknowledged stomach remedy I decided to give it a trial. \* \* \* I have been so well and strong since \* \* \* a sufferer of a very serious case of stomach trouble and rheumatism for seven years \* \* \* was worn out and in such poor health that work was a burden \* \* \* forced to spend much of his time in bed \* \* \* tried Moorite and stomach trouble and rheumatism vanished and he is now robust and in perfect health and never misses a day’s work. \* \* \* I am thankful to Moorite for restoring me to health, if not actually saving my life. Without it I was destined to continue in ill health, a discouraging view of life and despair. Now I am feeling fit and fine and can thank Moorite for what it has done. \* \* \* my stomach had bothered me so badly for five years that I could not sleep well and could not enjoy my meals. Every time I ate anything I was distressed. I had boils all over my face and body and I was so sore that I felt uncomfortable all the time. \* \* \* My case was \* \* \* nervous prostration. I was threatened with nervous paralysis. I had kidney trouble. I was just a nervous wreck. I got so bad I was confined to my bed, and suffered terribly. \* \* \* began its use with astonishing results \* \* \* to anyone suffering from nervousness that Moorite is worthy of a thorough trial. I owe my health today to Moorite.”

On November 9, 1926, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgments of condemnation and forfeiture were entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

W. M. JARDINE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

**14723. Misbranding of Montague's petroleum emulsion with hypophosphites. U. S. v. 31 Bottles of Montague's Petroleum Emulsion. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. Nos. 16173, 16174. S. No. E-3860.)**

On April 27, 1922, the United States attorney for the Western District of North Carolina, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 31 bottles of Montague's Petroleum emulsion with hypophosphites, at Winston-Salem, N. C., alleging that the article had been shipped in interstate commerce by the J. Kyle Montague Medicine Co., from Rocky-mount, Va., March 22, 1921, into the State of North Carolina, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.