

Sick headache, Backache, Irritations of the Stomach, Spinal Irritation, pain between the shoulders, distressing sensation in the back of the head and numbness and coldness of the extremities. Constipation and Piles. The Womb being enlarged, down and out of place, crowds against the rectum (or back passage) causing Constipation and producing Piles. In hundreds of cases this is the sole cause of Constipation and piles, and if allowed to go on, much suffering will ensue. Inflammation of the Bladder. Again, when the womb is down and out of place, it presses against the bladder, causing frequent urination with a burning and scalding sensation; in fact, a diseased Womb is the origin of nearly all the suffering of women. Every application of The Uterine Tablets reduces inflammation and also the size and weight of the Womb, and as the conditions improve it will resume its natural position, all disagreeable symptoms will disappear and good health will follow. Directions—Every night on retiring, place one of the tablets well up in the vagina as far as the index finger will reach, placing it as near the mouth of the womb as possible, where it will slowly dissolve. A warm water injection may be used the next morning in which two of the Tablets have been dissolved in one quart of water. This is not necessary unless there is a profuse discharge from the vagina. As an antiseptic preventative for disease, place one or two of the Tablets well up in the vagina. This will insure complete destruction of any germ present on the surface of the tissues, thus rendering the parts aseptic and safe."

On May 13, 1932, 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.

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**19487. Misbranding of Weldona. U. S. v. 897 Packages of Weldona. Default decree of destruction entered. (F. & D. No. 27995. I. S. No. 50450. S. No. 6040.)**

Examination of a drug product, known as Weldona, disclosed no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the curative and therapeutic effects claimed for the article in the labeling.

On April 9, 1932, the United States attorney for the Southern District of Mississippi, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for the district aforesaid a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 897 packages of the said Weldona, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Vicksburg, Miss., alleging that the article had been shipped by the Kells Co., from Newburg, N. Y., on or about March 4, 1932, and had been transported from the State of New York into the State of Mississippi, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis of a sample of Weldona by this department showed that each tablet contained acetylsalicylic acid (0.8 grain), extracts of plant drugs including licorice, calcium carbonate (1.7 grains), magnesium carbonate (0.2 grain), sugar, and starch.

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in that the following statements appearing in the labeling, regarding the curative or 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: (Shipping container) "For Rheumatism;" (carton containing 6 single packages) "For Rheumatism For Rheumatism of the Joints, Sciatica, Lumbago and Rheumatic Neuritis, or Muscular Rheumatism;" (carton, single) "For Rheumatism \* \* \* For Rheumatism of the Joints, Sciatica, Lumbago and Rheumatic Neuritis, or Muscular Rheumatism, Directions: \* \* \* For Severe Cases;" (card circular) "Free book on rheumatism \* \* \* 'The Germs of Rheumatism—How They Live—How They Die.' Also any other information useful to a sufferer from rheumatism. \* \* \* suffering from rheumatism \* \* \* 'Germs of Rheumatism' \* \* \* Rheumatism 3700 B. C. \* \* \* Rheumatism. Muscle Education. \* \* \* Helps Rheumatism. Helpful Hints to Relieve Pain, etc. This book should be in the hands of every sufferer."

On May 17, 1932, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment was entered finding the product subject to condemnation, and ordering that it be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*