DRUG ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF CONTAMINATION WITH FILTH

4568. Juniper berries. (F. D. C. No. 37284. S. No. 68–649 L.)

QUANTITY: 30 130-lb. bags at New York, N. Y.

SHIPPED: Prior to 12–28–53, from Italy.

LIBELED: 10–6–54, S. Dist. N. Y.

CHARGE: 501 (a) (1)—contained insects while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: 10–29–54. Consent—claimed by Karl H. Landes & E. Balint, Inc., New York, N. Y. Segregated, 8 lbs. destroyed.

DRUGS ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF DEVIATION FROM OFFICIAL OR OWN STANDARDS

4569. Dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets. (F. D. C. No. 37377. S. No. 72–605 L.)

QUANTITY: 197 100–tablet btls. at Baltimore, Md.

SHIPPED: 1–27–54, from Philadelphia, Pa.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the article contained approximately 76 percent of the declared amount of dextro-amphetamine sulfate.

LIBELED: On or about 11–23–54, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: 501 (c)—the strength of the article while held for sale differed from that which it purported and was represented to possess, namely, 5 milligrams of d-amphetamine sulfate per tablet; and, 502 (a)—the label statement "Each Tablet Contains: * * * d-Amphetamine Sulfate . . . 5 mg." was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 12–15–54. Default—destruction.

4570. Lixerin. (F. D. C. No. 36850. S. No. 45–850 L.)

QUANTITY: 1,203 8-oz. btls. at Bridgeport, Conn.

SHIPPED: Between 2–28–52 and 7–21–52, from Worcester, Mass.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the article contained less than 75 percent of the declared amount of vitamin B_{12}.

LIBELED: 7–6–54, Dist. Conn.

CHARGE: 501 (c)—while the article was held for sale, its strength differed from that which it purported and was represented to possess, namely, 20 micrograms of vitamin B_{12} per fluid ounce; and, 502 (a)—the label statement "Each fluid-ounce contains: * * * Vitamin B–12 . . . 20 mcg." was false and misleading.

The libel alleged also that three other products, namely, Tobenex capsules, Heminal tablets, and Aronnol capsules, were adulterated and misbranded under the provisions of the law applicable to foods, as reported in notices of judgment on foods.

DISPOSITION: 9–14–54. Default—delivery to a charitable institution for its use and not for sale.