

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "50 Tablets Caltimal * * * High Potency Multi Vitamin Formula Each tablet contains:—Vitamin A 10,000 USP Units Vitamin D 1,000 USP Units Thiamine Hydrochloride 6 mgm. Riboflavin 4 mgm. Ascorbic Acid 100 mgm. Calcium Pantothenate 5 mgm. Pyridoxine Hydrochloride 0.5 mgm. Vit. E (Mixed Tocopherols) 1 mgm. Folic Acid 0.25 mgm. Vitamin B-12 from Streptomyces Fermentation Extractives 3 microgram."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, vitamin A and vitamin B₁, had been in whole or in part omitted or abstracted from the article.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement "Each tablet contains:—Vitamin A 10,000 USP Units * * * Thiamine Hydrochloride 6 mgm." was false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained, per tablet, less than 10,000 U. S. P. units of vitamin A and less than 6 milligrams of thiamine hydrochloride. Further misbranding, Section 403 (j), the article purported to be and was represented as a food for special dietary uses by reason of its vitamin content, and its label failed to bear, as required by the regulations, a statement of the proportion of the minimum daily requirements of vitamin A, vitamin B₁ (thiamine hydrochloride), vitamin C (ascorbic acid), vitamin D, and riboflavin supplied by the article when consumed in a specified quantity during a period of 1 day; and, since the need for calcium pantothenate and vitamin E in human nutrition has not been established, the label of the article failed also to bear, as required by regulations, the statement "The need for calcium pantothenate and vitamin E in human nutrition has not been established."

DISPOSITION: June 16, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21743. Adulteration and misbranding of Orvita and Thyavals capsules and tablets. U. S. v. 59 Bottles, etc. (F. D. C. No. 37063. Sample Nos. 56266-L to 56268-L, incl.)

LABEL FILED: August 24, 1954, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 13 and September 28, 1951, from Los Angeles, Calif.

PRODUCT: 33 16-ounce bottles and 26 8-ounce bottles of Orvita, 48 90-capsule bottles and 38 45-capsule bottles of Thyavals B complex capsules, and 12 75-tablet bottles and 36 30-tablet bottles of Thyavals multivitamin Formula 621 tablets, at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Examination showed that the Orvita contained substantially less than the declared amount of vitamin D and that the Thyavals tablets and capsules contained substantially less than the declared amounts of vitamin B₁, vitamin B₆, vitamin C, and niacinamide.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), valuable constituents, (Orvita) vitamin D and (Thyavals) vitamin B₁, vitamin B₆, vitamin C, and niacinamide, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the articles.

Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statements: (Orvita) "3 teaspoonsful contains: * * * Vitamin D—(Fish Liver Oil) 400 U. S. P. Units," (Thyavals) "Each capsule * * * Fortified With Vitamin B-1 * * * 15,000 Mcg. (15 Mg.) * * * Vitamin B-6 * * * 125 Mcg. (0.125 Mg.) Vitamin C * * * 1,000 USP Units (50 Mg.) * * * Niacinamide 10,000 Mcg. (10 Mg.)," and (Thyavals) "One Red Thyaval Tablet Formula 621 provides: * * * Vitamin B-1 * * * 10 Mg. * * * Vitamin B-6 * * * 0.25 Mg. Vitamin C * * * 75 Mg. * * * Niacinamide 10 Mg." were false and misleading as applied to products which

contained less than the declared amounts of (Orvita) vitamin D and (Thyvals) vitamin B₁, vitamin B₆, vitamin C, and niacinamide.

The articles were adulterated and misbranded while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: October 1, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21744. Adulteration and misbranding of Fastabs tablets. U. S. v. 647 Boxes

* * * (F. D. C. No. 37029. Sample No. 80873-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 3, 1954, District of Massachusetts.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 10, 1953, from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 647 147-tablet boxes of Fastabs tablets at Boston, Mass. Analysis showed that the product contained 50 percent of the declared amount of vitamin D.

LABEL, IN PART: "147 Tablets Fastabs The Vitamin, Mineral, Protein Supplement For Reducing Each Brown Tablet contains: * * * Vitamin D (Irradiated Ergosterol) 200 U. S. P. Units * * * In addition 50 Mgs. of Calcium and 38 Mgs. of Phosphorus (from Dicalcium Phosphate) * * * Dietary Supplement."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, vitamin D, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article. Misbranding, Section 403 (a), the label statement, namely, "Each Brown Tablet contains: * * * Vitamin D (Irradiated Ergosterol) 200 U. S. P. Units," was false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained less than the stated amount of vitamin D. The article was adulterated and misbranded in the above respects while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

Further misbranding, Section 403 (j), the article purported to be and was represented as a food for special dietary uses by reason of its vitamin and mineral content, and its label failed to bear, as required by the regulations, a statement of the proportion of the minimum daily requirements of calcium and phosphorus supplied by the article when consumed in a specified quantity during a period of one day. The article was misbranded in the above respect when introduced into and while in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: October 18, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21745. Adulteration and misbranding of Fastabs tablets. U. S. v. 121 Boxes

* * * (F. D. C. No. 37027. Sample No. 87833-L.)

LIBEL FILED: August 19, 1954, Eastern District of Pennsylvania.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about September 30 and October 21, 1953, from Baltimore, Md.

PRODUCT: 121 147-tablet boxes of Fastabs tablets at Philadelphia, Pa. Analysis showed that the product contained 50 percent of the declared amount of vitamin D.

LABEL, IN PART: "147 Tablets Fastabs The Vitamin, Mineral, Protein Supplement For Reducing Each Brown Tablet contains: * * * Vitamin D (Irradiated Ergosterol) 200 U. S. P. Units * * * In addition 50 Mgs. of Calcium and 38 Mgs. of Phosphorus (from Dicalcium Phosphate) * * * Dietary Supplement."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (b) (1), a valuable constituent, vitamin D, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article.