

PRODUCT: 3 100-tablet cartons of *Luebert's Iron Tonic Compound Tablets*, 21 60¢-size cartons and 9 \$1.20-size cartons of *Luebert's Nox'em Brand Tablets*, and 57 30¢-size cartons and 42 60¢-size cartons of *Luebert's Ka-No-Mor Capsules*, at Wilmington, Del. Examination showed that the *Iron Tonic Compound Tablets* consisted essentially of ferrous carbonate (approximately 1 grain per tablet), manganese, a phosphide, and a laxative plant drug; that the *Nox'em Brand Tablets* consisted essentially of sodium salicylate, caffeine, and a laxative plant drug; and that the *Ka-No-Mor Capsules* consisted essentially of acetphenetidin, aspirin, and caffeine.

NATURE OF CHARGE: *Iron Tonic Compound Tablets*, misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the label of the article and in a circular enclosed with the article were false and misleading since they represented and suggested that the article would be efficacious for those conditions which call for an effective tonic, such as loss of appetite and simple anemia; that the article would assist nutritive functions, thereby promoting the activity and nutrition of nerves and muscles; that it would act as a general tonic to the digestive tract; that it would produce rich red blood, good health, strong nerves, normal vitality, and new vim and vigor; that it would give more strength and vigor to the entire system; that it was an iron tonic, and was valuable in helping the nervous system when phosphorus was deficient. The article would not be effective in accomplishing the effects represented, and when used as directed it would not supply sufficient iron to be an iron tonic.

Nox'em Brand Tablets, misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the label of the article and in the circular enclosed with the article were false and misleading since they represented and suggested that the article would be effective in the relief of rheumatic pains, neuralgia, and gout. The article would not be effective in accomplishing those effects.

Ka-No-Mor Capsules, misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements on the label of the article and in a circular enclosed with the article were false and misleading since they represented and suggested that the article would be effective in the relief of head cold, fever and ague, irritated sore throat, neuralgia, common colds, and rheumatic pains. The article would not be effective for such purposes. Further misbranding, Section 502 (e) (2), the label of the article failed to bear the common or usual name, aspirin, for one of the active ingredients, "acetosalicylic acid."

DISPOSITION: September 11, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products were ordered destroyed.

2036. Misbranding of radioactive preparations and appliances. U. S. v. 10 Packages of "DeRays" Radium-Active Emanation Bath, 8 Bottles of Chloradium Ophthalmic Ointment, 2 Boxes of Radium Appliance, 16 Bottles of Internal Chloradium Solution, 1 Tube of Chloradium Vaginal Jelly, 2 Boxes of Chloradium Suppositories, 4 Radium Vitalizer Generators, 2 Jars of Narada Ointment, and a quantity of printed matter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 19411. Sample Nos. 41710-H to 41712-H, incl., 41714-H to 41718-H, incl., 41741-H.)

LABEL FILED: On or about March 12, 1946, Southern District of West Virginia.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: By the Denver Radium Service, from Denver, Colo. The products were shipped between the approximate dates of February 19, 1945, and January 22, 1946, and the printed matter was shipped during the year 1945.

PRODUCT: The above-named products at Charleston, W. Va., together with a number of booklets and leaflets entitled "Radium Therapeutics," "The Radium-active Vitalizer," "Radium Emanation Preparations * * * Price List," "Therapeutic Use Radium Emanation Preparations," "D. R. S. Radium Appliances," "D. R. S. Radium Ointment," "Reprinted from the Rocky Mountain Druggist."

These products consisted of preparations containing small proportions of radioactive substances, and devices which produced small amounts of radium emanations.

LABEL, IN PART: "DeRays' Radium-Active Emanation Bath * * * Epsom Salt-Radium Chloride 1 microgram"; "Chloradium Ophthalmic Solution * * * Radium Chloride Ephedrine 1/4 %"; "Radium Appliance * * * Approx 25 MCGMS"; "Internal Chloradium Solution * * * Approximately 10 micrograms Radium (chloride 99 %)"; "Chloradium Vaginal Jelly * * * Quinine Hydrochloride-Lactic Acid-Boric Acid-Tanic Acid-Resorcinol-Radium Chloride"; "Chloradium Suppositories Vaginal * * * Boric Acid, Lactic

Acid, Resorcinol, Tanic Acid, Salicytic Acid, Glycerin"; (Certificate wrapped around *Radium Vitalizer Generator*) "The amount of Radon delivered from this Generator has been calculated by radiosopic and electrosopic tests. The equilibrium gas accumulation is estimated on an average gallon basis and approximates 5.7×10^{-5} MC Cu. Ra. per liter, after 24 hours"; and "Narada Ointment . * * . Menthol-Camphor-Eucalyptol-Radium Chloride."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), certain statements in the accompanying booklets and leaflets, relating to the articles were false and misleading since the articles would not be effective for the purposes claimed. The false and misleading statements regarding the products were to the following effect:

That the *Radium-Active Emanation Bath* would be effective in the treatment of arthritis, rheumatism, lumbago, neuritis, gout, nervous troubles, noninfectious skin diseases, high blood pressure, kidney, liver, and bladder complications, neurasthenia, insomnia, and eczema.

That the *Chloradium Ophthalmic Solution* would be effective in the treatment of eye irritations, granulated lids, eyes subject to unusual strain, cataract and other eye affections where vision is not involved, bronchial asthma, and hay fever and similar maladies.

That the *Radium Appliance* would be effective in the treatment of dysmenorrhea, pain incident to menstrual periods, neuritis, lumbago, neuralgia, headache, climacteric complaints, pain due to inflammation, burns and wounds, insomnia, neuritic pains, and pains due to congestion.

That the *Internal Chloradium Solution* would be effective in the treatment of rheumatism, neuritis, cystitis, sciatica, insomnia, high blood pressure, vaginitis, cervicitis, chronic hypertrophic endometritis, metritis and pelvic congestions, arthritis, anemia, and neurasthenia and nervous disorders.

That the *Chloradium Vaginal Jelly* would be effective in the treatment of the female organs.

That the *Chloradium Suppositories* would be effective in the treatment of vaginal, cervical, and rectal disorders, inflammations, ulcerations, exudations and infections of the vaginal tract, metrorrhagia, leucorrhea, vaginitis, cervicitis, disease of the vaginal tract, ovarian and uterian derangement, uterine fibroids, amenorrhea, dysmenorrhea, vaginal irritations and discharge, and menopause.

That the *Radium Vitalizer Generator* would be effective in the treatment of rheumatism, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, arteriosclerosis, nephritis, diabetes, constipation, locomotor ataxia, anemia, arthritis deformans, diseases of the heart, arteries, and kidneys, neuralgia, Bright's disease, chlorosis, and interstitial nephritis.

That the *Narada Ointment* would be effective in the treatment of burns, open sores, wounds, inflamed surfaces, rheumatic pains, lumbago, neuralgic pains, noninfectious skin diseases, throat and bronchial affections, chronic or acute inflammations, catarrh, hemorrhoids, eczema, oak and ivy poisoning, boils, skin eruptions, and chest affections.

DISPOSITION: April 9, 1946. No claimant having appeared, judgment of condemnation was entered and the products and printed matter were ordered destroyed.

2037. Misbranding of McCall's Desert-Air Lamps. U. S. v. 86 McCall's Desert-Air Lamps, together with quantities of printed matter. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 20708. Sample No. 59456-H.)

LIBEL FILED: August 16, 1946, Western District of Washington.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: By McCall's Desert-Air Lamp, from Los Angeles, Calif. The devices were shipped on various dates during January and February 1946, and a number of booklets and cards were shipped on or about November 1945, and May 1946.

PRODUCT: 86 *McCall's Desert-Air Lamps* at Seattle, Wash., together with attached tags entitled "McCall's Desert Air Lamp Does These Things to Help Your Baby," and a number of booklets and cards entitled "McCall's Desert-Air Lamps." Examination of the device showed that it consisted of a stand holding a parabolic reflector with a central core electric heating unit mounted at the center of the reflector.