PRODUCT: 36 100-cc. bottles of water for injection at Peoria, Ill.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Water for Injection," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 29, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2875. Adulteration of isotonic solution of sodium chloride. U. S. v. 248 Packages

* * * (F. D. C. No. 27402. Sample No. 51822-K.)

LIBEL FILED: June 8, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 25, 1949, from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: 248 100-cc. size packages of isotonic solution of sodium chloride at Columbus, Ohio.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Isotonic Sodium Chloride Solution," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: August 2, 1949. Default decree of destruction.

2876. Adulteration and misbranding of estrogenic substances. U. S. v. 13 Cartons, etc. (F. D. C. No. 27281. Sample Nos. 19859-K, 19860-K.)

LIBEL FILED: May 27, 1949, Middle District of Tennessee.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 5, 1948, and April 5, 1949, by Reed & Carnrick, from Jersey City, N. J.

PRODUCT: 39 cartons, each containing a circular entitled "Estrogenic Substance R&C" and one 20-cc. vial of estrogenic substances. Examination showed that the product consisted of a mixture of the natural estrogens, estrone, equilin, and equilenin, normally found in pregnant mares' urine, together with alpha estradiol.

LABEL, IN PART: "Estrogenic Substances (R&C) Solution in Peanut Oil."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the purity of the article fell below that which it purported to possess since it contained alpha estradiol, which is not a constituent of natural estrogens from pregnant mares' urine, the purported active ingredient of the article.

Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the label statement "Estrogenic Substances * * * Natural Estrogens from pregnant mares' urine was false and misleading as applied to the article, which contained alpha estradiol, an estrogen which does not occur in pregnant mares' urine.

Disposition: July 15, 1949. Reed & Carnrick, claimant, having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed.