

**CHARGE:** Between 4-20-56 and 5-24-56, *Seconal Sodium capsules* were dispensed 4 times (counts 1 through 4) upon request for a prescription refill without authorization by the prescriber and *AM Plus capsules* were dispensed once (count 5) without a prescription.

**PLEA:** Guilty—by partnership to all 5 counts, by J. G. Rothkopf to counts 1 and 4, by H. Rothkopf to counts 2 and 5, and by Eichler to count 3.

**DISPOSITION:** 4-25-57, partnership—\$1,250 fine; J. G. Rothkopf—\$1,500 fine. 5-2-57, H. Rothkopf—\$1,000 fine; Eichler—\$500 fine.

5255. (F. D. C. No. 39397. S. Nos. 55-981 M, 55-984/5 M, 55-987 M, 55-996/7 M.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** 2-28-57, N. Dist. Ill., against Buena Drug Store (a partnership), Chicago, Ill., and Emmanuel H. Wasserman (apprentice pharmacist).

**CHARGE:** Between 4-26-56 and 5-3-56, *Gantrisin tablets* were dispensed 3 times and *apiol-ergot compound capsules* and *Ergotrate Maleate tablets* were each dispensed once, without a prescription.

**PLEA:** Guilty.

**DISPOSITION:** 3-19-57. Partnership—\$100 fine; Wasserman—\$350 fine.

5256. (F. D. C. No. 38597. S. Nos. 14-740 M, 14-747 M, 14-754/5 M, 30-157 M.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** 5-31-56, S. Dist. Ill., against Howard Drugs, Inc., Collinsville, Ill., and Sam Bierman (president).

**CHARGE:** Between 6-29-55 and 7-22-55, *triple sulfa tablets* and *dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets* were each dispensed once without a prescription and *secobarbital sodium capsules*, *dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets*, and *phenobarbital tablets* were each dispensed once upon request for prescription refills without authorization by the prescriber.

**PLEA:** Guilty.

**DISPOSITION:** 6-14-56. \$500 fine against each defendant, with payment of fine against individual to constitute full satisfaction of corporation's fine.

5257. (F. D. C. No. 39331. S. Nos. 33-033 M, 33-039/42 M.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** 7-30-56, Dist. Utah, against John E. Booth (partner in World Drug Co.), Spanish Fork, Utah.

**CHARGE:** Between 12-12-55 and 1-4-56, *Edrisal tablets*, *secobarbital sodium tablets*, and *pentobarbital sodium capsules* were each dispensed once without a prescription and *Amphedex tablets* and *Premarin tablets* were each dispensed once upon request for a prescription refill without authorization by the prescriber.

**PLEA:** Guilty.

**DISPOSITION:** 11-15-56. \$2,500 fine.

5258. (F. D. C. No. 39349. S. Nos. 27-964 M, 27-970 M, 28-083 M, 28-088 M, 39-208 M.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** 2-13-57, N. Dist. Ga., against V. M. Williams, t/a Williams Pharmacy, Atlanta, Ga., and George N. Snelling (pharmacist).

**CHARGE:** Between 2-23-56 and 3-5-56, *penicillin tablets* (count 1), *Dexedrine Sulfate tablets* (count 2), and *dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets* (count 5) were each dispensed once, and *Bicillin oral suspension* (counts 3 and 4) was dispensed twice, without a prescription.

**PLEA:** Nolo contendere by Williams to count 4 and by Snelling to remaining counts of information.

DISPOSITION: 3-11-57 with respect to Snelling and 9-9-57 with respect to Williams; each defendant placed on probation for 2 years.

5259. (F. D. C. No. 40023. S. Nos. 55-107 M, 55-115/6 M, 55-125 M, 55-144 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-21-57, S. Dist. Ohio, against Ross C. Spinning and Leonard Zakem (pharmacists for Sloan Drug Co.), Fairborn, Ohio.

CHARGE: Between 4-30-56 and 9-10-56, *penicillin G potassium tablets* (count 1), *buffered penicillin G potassium tablets* (count 2), and *Ethchlorvynol capsules* (count 3) were each dispensed once, and *Dexedrine Spansule capsules* (counts 4 and 5) were dispensed twice, without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 5-31-57. Spinning—\$250 fine on each of counts 1 and 5, a total of \$500; Zakem—\$200 fine on each of counts 2 and 4 and \$100 on count 3, a total of \$500.

5260. (F. D. C. No. 40019. S. Nos. 39-970/2 M, 56-222 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 6-3-57, N. Dist. Ill., against Goldsmith Drug Co., Inc., Chicago, Ill., and Paul Goldsmith (vice president and secretary) and Frank Marinelli (pharmacist).

CHARGE: Between 6-29-56 and 10-25-56, *Ergoapiol with savin capsules*, *penicillin G potassium tablets*, *Ergotrate Maleate tablets*, and *apiol-ergot compound capsules* were each dispensed once without a prescription.

PLEA: Nolo contendere by corporation and Goldsmith to all 4 counts of information and by Marinelli to counts involving dispensing of *Ergotrate Maleate tablets* and *apiol-ergot compound capsules*.

DISPOSITION: 6-24-57. Corporation fined \$100, plus costs; Goldsmith, \$400; and Marinelli, \$100.

5261. (F. D. C. No. 40004. S. Nos. 38-383 M, 38-402/3 M, 38-408 M, 38-703 M, 38-705 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 4-16-57, E. Dist. Ill., against Robert Gaffner Co. (a corporation), Olney, Ill., and Robert L. Blackburn (president), Robert C. Edwards (pharmacist), and Charles A. Webster (pharmacist).

CHARGE: Between 6-26-56 and 8-3-56, *sulfisoxazole tablets* (count 2) and *capsules containing a mixture of secobarbital sodium and amobarbital sodium* (count 4) were each dispensed once, and *thyroid tablets* (counts 1 and 5) and *dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets* (counts 3 and 6) were each dispensed twice, without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty by corporation to all counts; by Blackburn to counts 5 and 6; by Edwards to counts 3 and 4; and by Webster to counts 1 and 2.

DISPOSITION: 4-30-57. Corporation—\$500 fine, plus costs; Blackburn, Edwards, and Webster—each \$250 fine, plus costs.

5262. (F. D. C. No. 40021. S. Nos. 34-253/6 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 7-9-57, W. Dist. Okla., against Ira L. Rowe, t/a Buck Rowe's Drug, Ponca City, Okla., and William H. Hester (employee).

CHARGE: Between 8-23-56 and 10-29-56, *Achromycin tablets* were dispensed 4 times without a prescription.

PLEA: Nolo contendere by Rowe to each of 4 counts of information and by Hester to 3 counts.

DISPOSITION: 9-6-57. Rowe fined \$40 and Hester \$30.