VIOLATIVE SALES OF PRESCRIPTION DRUGS

5421. (F.D.C. No. 39977. S. Nos. 34-658 M, 34-663 M, 34-671 M, 34-675 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 5-9-57, S. Dist. Ind., against Louis F. Wolf (pharmacist for Oakley Drug Store), Terre Haute, Ind.

CHARGE: Between 2-21-56 and 3-15-56, Benzedrine Sulfate Spansule capsules and pentobarbital sodium capsules were each dispensed twice without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 6-27-57. \$2,000 fine, plus costs.

5422. (F.D.C. No. 40466. S. Nos. 56-151 M, 56-153 M, 56-157 M, 71-919 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 11-26-57, N. Dist. Ill., against Lawndale Drug Co. (a partnership), Chicago, Ill., and Irving Feldman and Barney Goldberg (partners).

CHARGE: Between 1-21-57 and 4-11-57, Devedrine Sulfate capsules (counts 1 and 2) and Butisol Sodium tablets (counts 3 and 4) were each dispensed twice without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty by partnership to all 4 counts of information, by Feldman to counts 1, 3, and 4, and by Goldberg to count 2.

DISPOSITION: 12-16-57. Fine of \$200, plus costs, against partnership, \$450 against Feldman, and \$100 against Goldberg.

5423. (F.D.C. No. 39848. S. Nos. 45-088/93 M, 45-102/3 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 8-21-57, Dist. Md., against Jerome Richmond, t/a Capitol Drug Store, Baltimore, Md., and Vincent J. Piraino (pharmacist).

CHARGE: Between 7-31-56 and 8-31-56, Devedrine Sulfate tablets, which had been shipped in interstate commerce into the State of Maryland (counts 1, 2, and 3), and pentobarbital sodium capsules, which had been fabricated in the State of Maryland from pentobarbital sodium powder that had been shipped in interstate commerce (counts 4, 5, and 6), were each dispensed 3 times upon requests for prescription refills without authorization by the prescriber; and crystalline procaine penicillin troches (count 7) and buffered penicillin tablets (count 8), which had been shipped in interstate commerce into the State of Maryland, were each dispensed once without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty by Richmond to all counts of information and by Piraino to counts 1, 2, 4, 5, and 8.

DISPOSITION: 9-27-57. Richmond fined \$1,000, plus costs, and Piraino fined \$100, plus costs. Each defendant placed on probation for 5 years.

5424. (F.D.C. No. 39973. S. Nos. 40-479 M, 40-588/9 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 4-1-57, W. Dist. Wis., against Oliver P. Mueller, t/a Mueller Drugs, Prairie du Sac, Wis.

CHARGE: Between 6-21-56 and 8-14-56, Devedrine Spansule capsules were dispensed once without a prescription and twice upon request for a prescription refill without authorization by the prescriber.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 4-9-57. \$150 fine.

5425. (F.D.C. No. 39963. S. Nos. 22–898 M, 49–557 M, 49–632 M, 49–640 M 49–668 M, 49–670/1 M, 49–816 M.) INFORMATION FILED: 6-5-57, Dist. Mass., against Edward L. Doolan, t/a Raleigh Drug Co., Springfield, Mass., and Robert J. O'Neil (pharmacist).

CHARGE: Between 5-8-56 and 6-14-56, Dexedrine Spansule capsules (counts 1 and 7), Gantrisin tablets (counts 2 and 5), secobarbital sodium capsules (counts 3 and 6), and Butazolidin tablets (counts 4 and 8) were each dispensed twice upon requests for prescription refills without authorization by the prescriber.

PLEA: Guilty by Doolan to all counts of information and by O'Neil to counts 1, 3, 4, 5, and 8.

Disposition: 10-7-57. Doolan fined \$1,000 and O'Neil \$200.

5426. (F.D.C. No. 40442. S. Nos. 62–462 M, 62–465 M, 62–480 M, 63–293 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 10-3-57, E. Dist. N. Y., against Pincus Goldman, Brooklyn, N.Y.

CHARGE: Between 2-5-57 and 3-7-57, Gantrisin tablets and Dexedrine Sulfate tablets were each dispensed once upon request for prescription refills without authorization by the prescriber, and AM Plus capsules and Banthine tablets were each dispensed once without a prescription.

PLEA: Nolo contendere.

DISPOSITION: 11-5-57. \$400 fine.

5427. (F.D.C. No. 40425. S. Nos. 43-447/8 M, 44-526/7 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 7-5-57, W. Dist. Ky., against Herschel G. Compton, t/a Rogers Rexall Drug Store, Barlow, Ky.

CHARGE: Between 3-22-57 and 3-29-57, thyroid tablets, Dexedrine Sulfate tablets, Equanil tablets, and secobarbital sodium capsules were each dispensed once without a prescription.

PLEA: Guilty.

Disposition: 10-29-57. \$200 fine.

5428. (F.D.C. No. 35147. S. Nos. 2-527 L, 2-530 L, 2-548 L, 59-621 L, 59-624/5 L.)

INFORMATION FILED: 1-6-54, S. Dist. Fla., against Rutherford T. Carlisle, t/a Carlisle Drugs, Jacksonville, Fla.

CHARGE: Between 12-8-52 and 2-16-53, dextro-amphetamine sulfate tablets were dispensed twice (counts 1 and 2) and thyroid tablets were dispensed once (count 3) without a prescription, and secobarbital sodium capsules were dispensed twice (counts 4 and 5) and pentobarbital sodium capsules were dispensed once (count 6) upon request for a prescription refill without authorization by the prescriber.

DISPOSITION: On 1-27-54, the defendant entered a plea of not guilty. Thereafter, he filed a motion for discovery and inspection, a motion for return of seized property and suppression of evidence, a motion for bill of particulars, and a motion to dismiss. On 8-4-55, the court denied the motion for return of seized property and suppression of evidence; granted the motion for discovery, in part; granted the motion for bill of particulars, in part; and denied the motion to dismiss as to counts 1 through 3, and granted the motion to dismiss as to counts 4, 5, and 6, thereby dismissing those counts.

The defendant filed a motion for rehearing; and the Government filed a motion for rehearing and a motion for order clarifying the basis for the