

On 11-5-56, upon the consent of the parties that a condemnation decree might be entered without any adjudication as to any issue of fact or law, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the device and accompanying labeling be turned over to the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare.

**DRUGS AND DEVICES ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF DEVIATION FROM OFFICIAL OR OWN STANDARDS\***

**5314. Elixir Sonidel, triple sulfa suspension, and elixir butabarbital sodium.**  
(F. D. C. No. 39844. S. Nos. 30-398 M, 43-265 M, 43-305 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 7-24-57, E. Dist. Mo., against Halitosine Co., t/a Allan & Co., St. Louis, Mo.

SHIPPED: Between 1-30-56 and 10-30-56, from Missouri to Tennessee.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "One Pint Elixir Sonidel [or "Contents I Pint Triple Sulfa Suspension" or "One Gallon Elixir Butabarbital Sodium"] \* \* \* Allan & Co., St. Louis, Mo."

CHARGE: *Elixir Sonidel*. 501 (c)—the strength of the article, when shipped, differed from that which it purported and was represented to possess since the article contained more phenobarbital than declared on its label; and 502 (a)—the label statement "Each 5 cc contains: Phenobarbital \* \* \* 16.20 mg." was false and misleading.

*Triple sulfa suspension*. 501 (b)—the article, when shipped, purported to be a drug, the name of which "sulfacetamide, sulfadiazine, and sulfamerazine suspension" is recognized in the National Formulary, an official compendium, and its strength differed from the official standard since it contained less than 90 percent of the labeled amounts of sulfacetamide, sulfadiazine, and sulfamerazine, the minimum permitted by the standard; and 502 (a)—the label statement "Each 5 cc Contains: Sulfadiazine .167 gms. Sulfamerazine .167 gms. Sulfacetamide .167 gms." was false and misleading.

*Elixir butabarbital sodium*. 501 (c)—the strength of the article, when shipped, differed from that which it purported and was represented to possess since the article contained more butabarbital sodium than declared on its label; and 502 (a)—the label statement "Each 30 cc Contains \* \* \* 0.2 gms. Sodium Butabarbital" was false and misleading.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 9-20-57. \$150 fine.

**5315. First aid kits containing halazone tablets.** (F. D. C. No. 39426. S. No. 51-900 M.)

QUANTITY: 818 *first aid kits*, each containing 1 bottle of *halazone tablets* at Denver, Colo.

SHIPPED: Between 1-26-56 and 5-10-56, from Tulsa, Okla.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "100 Water Purification Tablets For Purifying Drinking Water In Canteens Halazone N. N. R. (P-sulfonedichloramidobenzoic acid) Each tablet contains 0.004 Gm. (1/16 grain) of Halazone with sodium carbonate, sodium chloride and boric acid."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the tablets contained from 75 percent to 98 percent of the declared amount of halazone. The National

\*See also Nos. 5301, 5320 (veterinary preparation).