

# United States Department of Agriculture,

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

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## NOTICE OF JUDGMENT NO. 276, FOOD AND DRUGS ACT.

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### MISBRANDING OF A DRUG PRODUCT—"ANALGINE TABLETS."

On or about January 25, 1909, George W. Burns, trading as The Analgine Tablet Company, Bernardsville, N. J., shipped from the State of New Jersey to the State of Michigan a consignment of a drug labeled "Analgine Tablets." Samples from this shipment were procured and analyzed by the Bureau of Chemistry, United States Department of Agriculture, and as the findings of the analyst and report thereon indicated that the product was misbranded within the meaning of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906, the Secretary of Agriculture afforded The Analgine Tablet Company, and the dealer from whom the samples were purchased, opportunities for hearings. As it appeared after hearings held that the shipment was made in violation of the act, the Secretary of Agriculture reported the facts to the Attorney-General, with a statement of the evidence upon which to base a prosecution. In due course a criminal information was filed in the District Court of the United States for the District of New Jersey, charging the above shipment and that the product was misbranded, in that it contained acetanilid and the label did not show the quantity or proportion of such acetanilid contained therein.

On October 25, 1909, the defendant entered a plea of guilty, and the court imposed upon it a fine of \$15.

This notice is given pursuant to section 4 of the Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906.

JAMES WILSON,  
*Secretary of Agriculture.*

WASHINGTON, D. C., *April 6, 1910.*

