

**DISPOSITION:** 10-28-55. Consent—claimed by Star Coffee Co., St. Louis, Mo. An attempt to recondition the products was unsuccessful and the products were destroyed.

**22844. Poppyseed.** (F. D. C. No. 38382. S. No. 26-161 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 1 100-lb. drum at Minneapolis, Minn.

**SHIPPED:** 11-17-54, from New York, N. Y.

**LIBELED:** 10-27-55, Dist. Minn.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained moldy poppyseed while held for sale.

**DISPOSITION:** 12-19-55. Default—destruction.

**22845. Turmeric.** (F. D. C. No. 37978. S. No. 1-117 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 1 225-lb. drum at Atlanta, Ga.

**SHIPPED:** 4-4-55, from Chicago, Ill., by American Spice Mills, Inc,

**LABEL IN PART:** "268-18 Fine Ground Alleppey Turmeric."

**LIBELED:** 5-17-55, N. Dist. Ga.

**CHARGE:** 402 (a) (3)—contained insects and insect parts when shipped.

**DISPOSITION:** 6-22-55. Default—destruction.

## VITAMIN, MINERAL, AND OTHER PRODUCTS OF SPECIAL DIETARY SIGNIFICANCE\*

**22846. Basic Food Supplement tablets.** (F. D. C. No. 38138. S. No. 9-214 M.)

**INFORMATION FILED:** 11-18-55, S. Dist. Calif., against Joseph L. Jones, t/a J. L. Jones & Co., North Hollywood, Calif.

**ALLEGED VIOLATION:** On 7-16-51, the defendant gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping various foods, including "Basic Food Supplement Tablets," in interstate commerce, a guaranty to the effect that articles shipped or delivered by it under the guaranty would not be adulterated or misbranded.

On 10-26-54, the defendant caused to be delivered to the holder of the guaranty at Glendale, Calif., quantities of "Basic Food Supplement Tablets" which were adulterated.

**CHARGE:** 402 (b) (1)—valuable constituents, carotene (provitamin A), vitamin A, and vitamin B<sub>12</sub>, had been in part omitted from the article.

**PLEA:** Guilty.

**DISPOSITION:** 12-30-55. \$150 fine.

**22847. Multivitamins.** (F. D. C. No. 38208. S. No. 18-386 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 30 1,000-capsule btls., 1 500-capsule btl., and 3 100-capsule btls. at Montclair, N. J.

**SHIPPED:** 3-25-55, from Floral Park, Long Island, N. Y., by Intermedico Corp., in a bulk container.

**LABEL IN PART:** (Bulk container) "30,000 Multohab, S. C., Red Each tablet contains: Vitamin A. Palmitate (Synthetic) 5,000 U. S. P. Units \* \* \* Control No. 35173."

\*See also Nos. 22783, 22784, 22813.

**RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION:** The article was repackaged into the above-described bottles by the consignee. Analysis showed that the article contained less than 50 percent of the declared amount of vitamin A.

**LIBELED:** 6-27-55, Dist. N. J.

**CHARGE:** 402 (b) (1)—a valuable constituent, vitamin A, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article when shipped; and 403 (a)—the label statement "Each tablet contains: Vitamin A. Palmitate \* \* \* 5,000 U. S. P. Units" was false and misleading.

**DISPOSITION:** 7-27-55. Default—destruction.

**22848. Vicaltein tablets.** (F. D. C. No. 38205. S. Nos. 1-101 M, 1-126 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 28 btls. at Atlanta, Ga.

**SHIPPED:** 11-20-54 and 4-12-55, from Greenville, S. C., by Tablerock Laboratories.

**LABEL IN PART:** (Btl.) "250 Tablets Vicaltein A Palatable Dietary Supplement Furnishing Proteins, Vitamins, Minerals and Carbohydrates. \* \* \* Three Tablets Supply: \* \* \* Vitamin B<sub>1</sub>... 2.5 Mg."

**LIBELED:** 6-24-55, N. Dist. Ga.

**CHARGE:** 402 (b) (1)—a valuable constituent, vitamin B<sub>1</sub>, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article when shipped; and 403 (a)—the label statement "Three Tablets Supply: \* \* \* Vitamin B<sub>1</sub> . . . 2.5 Mg." was false and misleading as applied to a product containing less than the stated amount of vitamin B<sub>1</sub>.

**DISPOSITION:** 7-21-55. Default—destruction.

**22849. Special Formula tablets.** (F. D. C. No. 38033. S. No. 10-388 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 1 drum containing 5,840 tablets at Minneapolis, Minn.

**SHIPPED:** 12-24-54, from Cedar Rapids, Iowa, by Barlow-Maney Laboratories, Inc.

**LABEL IN PART:** (Drum) "Special Formula Tablets S. C. Orange \* \* \* Ingredients in each tablet are: \* \* \* Vitamin B-12 (As Vitamin B-12 Concentrate) 1 MCGM."

**RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION:** Analysis showed that the article contained 60 percent of the declared amount of vitamin B<sub>12</sub>.

**LIBELED:** 5-4-55, Dist. Minn.

**CHARGE:** 402 (b) (1)—a valuable constituent, vitamin B<sub>12</sub>, had been in part omitted or abstracted from the article when shipped; and 403 (a)—the label statement "Ingredients in each tablet are: \* \* \* Vitamin B-12 \* \* \* 1 MCGM." was false and misleading.

**DISPOSITION:** 7-8-55. Default—destruction.

**22850. Bernalac.** (F. D. C. No. 38194. S. No. 7-379 M.)

**QUANTITY:** 3 cases, 6 cans each, at Denver, Colo.

**SHIPPED:** 3-8-55 and 3-22-55, from San Jose, Calif., by Bernard Food Industries, Inc.

**LABEL IN PART:** (Can) "Bernard Bernalac Net Weight 4 Lbs. A Low Sodium, High Value Protein Food Supplement \* \* \* Approximate Analysis \* \* \* Including Sodium—0.15%."

**LIBELED:** 6-23-55, Dist. Colo.