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Of the North American College of Health.

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Because they completely cleanse the stomach and bowels from those bilious and corrupt humors which paralyze and weaken the digestive organs, and are the cause of headache, nausea, and sickness, palpitation of the heart, rheumatic pains in various parts of the body, and many other unpleasant symptoms.

In all disordered motions of the Blood, called Intermittent, Remittent, Nervous, Inflammatory, and Putrid

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Being a Cleanser of the stomach and bowels, and a **DIRECT PURIFIER** of the Blood, are certain not only to remove pain or distress of every kind from the body, but if used occasionally, so to keep the body free from those humors which are the **CAUSE OF EVERY MALADY INCIDENT TO MAN,** they will most assuredly promote such a just and equal circulation of the blood, that those who lead a sedentary life, will be able to enjoy sound health, and **DISEASE OF ANY KIND WILL BE ABSOLUTELY IMPOSSIBLE.**

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September 21, 1842.—1y.

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