THE CANADA LANCET.

# PAPOMA.

## A Nutritious and Easily Digested Food,

#### FOR INFANTS AND ADULT INVALIDS.

There can be no question that a vast amount of the mortality among infants and young children, is due to the improper or unsuitable food given them by their ignorant or injudicious care-takers. And those who are strong enough to survive the tests to which this bad management subjects them, are often stunted in growth, and spoiled in temper, while the foundation is laid for much suffering in after-life.

The great desideratum is a hearty and nourishing diet in an easily digestible form.

Many articles have been brought forward and some have been forced into extensive use, as answering the above requirements. But we feel confident that none have ever had the same claims as the one which we now offer.

Is made out of the entire kernels of the choicest wheat, subject to a peculiarly thorough process of torrefaction or roasting, by means of patented apparatus. The process of manufacture was explained and the products in the different stages of preparation were exhibited by the late Prof. Edward Parrish to the members of the American Medical Association when it met here in 1872, and attracted much favourable attention. Their commendation is perhaps the best testimony that could be given; the Association being composed of the most eminent medical men in the United States. The phosphates and all the constituents of the grain are rationed the gluten curbed, and the starch converted States. The phosphates and all the constituents of the grain are retained, the gluten cooked, and the starch converted into dextrine; and the result is, that the elements necessary for the nutrition and support of the infant body. are supplied in such a condition as to be easily digested and assimilated.

The superiority of this article over any mere starchy preparation, and over any flour obtained by the ordinary pro cess of manufacture, is not only a matter of theory, but it is simply verified by the results of experience.

Children to whom Papoma is administered as a diet, are found to enjoy an easy digestion, and to thrive in every way under its use. They find in it a readily available supply of what their tissues and organs need for their nourishment

and growth. We therefore ask, with full confidence, for the most thorough trial of this admirable article, as used that it will make good all our claims. Every package will be accompanied with directions as to the manner of using it.

Let it be remembered that the method of preparation of Papoma is such as to afford a guarantee that it will not change by keeping. It will neither become stale nor wormy if ordinary care is observed, and will keep in any climate and on ship-board.

and on ship-board. In the remarks we have now made, we have spoken only of the comparison of this article with other vegetable preparations. It is hardly necessary for us to quote the many authorities who have borne testimony to the unsuitable-ness of meat extracts and juices for very young children; available as these are for older invalids, they do not meet the requirements of the infant, upon whom they act as stimuli only. We feel certain that no such verdict can be brought in regard to Papoma, but that it will be found to be as we assert,

A NUTRITIOUS AND EASILY DIGESTED FOOD,

## JNO. WYETH & BRO.,

Manufacturers and Importers, PHILADELPHIA.

Samples will be sent to Practising Physicians free of cost by addressing the General Agents,

### PERRY DAVIS & SON & LAWRENCE, MONTREAL. P.Q.