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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

COMMUNICATIONS FOR DR. CORMACK TO 37, RUSSELL SQUARE, LONDON.

PAPERS by Mr. BOTTOMLEY, Mr. BRAID, Mr. HUNT, and Mr. FLETCHEE have been received, and will be inserted.

Dr. DAVET'S Lecture is in type; its length occasions its being delayed. Many friends are thanked for their letters regarding the York Meeting, which will be answered with as little delay as possible.

PAYMENT OF SUBSCRIPTIONS. An important notice on this subject will be found at p. 815.

The Augusts List of Subscriptions received for 1855 will be published next weak: the last list to be brought out by Dr. Cormack. A post-office order for One Guines reached Dr. Cormack some time ago, from Preston, without advice as to the name of the sender. Who is he?

YORK AND LANCASTER.

Ir the number and the earnestness of the letters which we have received, and are daily receiving, regarding the proceedings of the two last Annual Meetings of the PROVINCIAL Association, be any indication of the importance which attaches to their opposing decisions, we cannot doubt that, in the future history of the profession, as conspicuous a place will be given to the medical contests between York and Lancaster, as the ancient wars of these illustrious houses now occupy in the History of England. All seem agreed that to the one hundred and one men of Lancaster who attended last year at Manchester the defeat of the "provincial" party was due; and all seem equally to admit that mainly by the men of Yorkshire was the party beaten at Manchester rendered victorious at York. This is doubtless quite true : but in its truth we can see no argument for re-fighting the "provincial" battle in the pages of the JOUBNAL. Brief and non-argumentative expressions of opinion we may find space for; but to re-argue at length a question which is legally settled for the present, seems unfair; and we are, indeed, by our own acts, shut out from permitting such a course to be pursued, at least in the non-official department of the JOURNAL; inasmuch as we declined, after the annual meeting of last year, to allow Dr. Lyon to controvert, through our medium, the decision of an annual meeting. Moreover, being only temporary occupants of the Editorial chair, why should we begin work which we must of necessity leave unfinished? We, therefore, feel constrained to conclude our notice of the wars of medical York and Lancaster by publishing an accurate list of the names of those members who attended the Manchester meeting last year, prefixing an asterisk to such names as are likewise to be found attached to the manifesto presented at York, and which was signed by 453. From the subjoined list, and from that which we inserted last week, our correspondents can for themselves deduce various arguments and conclusions.

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