

TORONTO, MAY 15th, 1852.

AN IMPORTANT MOVEMENT.

WE solicit an earnest compliance with the invitation contained in the letter of the Honorable Dr. Widmer, which is given under the heading, correspondence. We cannot refrain from expressing our conviction that if there should be a good attendance of the Profession on this occasion, the most important steps will be taken to place its members on that footing throughout the Province, to which they are justly entitled, and from which they have been hitherto debarred. The notice given is ample—the time chosen very favorable—and the place selected is, under all circumstances the most convenient and appropriate for the purpose. We therefore hope to see a full attendance upon that occasion. We have reason to know that it is only after mature reflection and some degree of hesitancy arising from personal considerations, that Dr. Widmer has formed the resolution of appealing to the Profession; let not the appeal be in vain; his age, his acquirements, his standing in the Profession and in society and the prominent part he has filled in the history of the Country, entitle him to what we know he fully enjoys, the respect and confidence of the Profession and the Public generally.

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NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

“MEDICUS.”—From the description you give of the case, there can be little doubt that it was one of “Purpura.” The treatment we have generally found most successful, has been *tonic* and mild diuretics. We refer you to Cazenave, Willan and Bateman, Wilson cum multis aliis. In almost every periodical for the last twenty years you will find cases recorded of a similar character. Will Medicus say why he has departed from the general rule of giving his real name to the Editor?

MR. JARROX’S letter and enclosures are thankfully acknowledged, his hints will be attended to.

DR. KELLOGG’S communication in our next.

DR. MCKELCAN’S communication shall appear in our next issue. His suggestions, as far as practicable, will be complied with,