

Friday, April 7

98 DAYS PAST

SUNDAY

64
268 TO COME

Diabetic Furunculosis.

Furunculosis in diabetics shows but little tendency to heal. The cause of this phenomenon seems to be an acidity or at least sub-alkalinity of the tissues. On the basis of this hypothesis, Brunner treated two cases of furunculosis in diabetics by means of alkaline irrigations. The abscess cavities were washed out daily with a 5 per cent. solution of sodium bicarbonate. Both cases healed promptly. He suggests that in operations upon diabetics, good results might follow alkaline irrigation of the wound surfaces.—Brunner; *Med. Klinik.*

Weather

Temp.

cloudy, girls went to school church then down to Mr. Abello for dinner. Then the girls went to Sunday school then came home & to night Melba & I went to church to night. Miss Gale sang & Herald Cambridge.

March 16