

54. 96 ct
Friday, April 7

98 DAYS PAST

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.

Warmer to day
I took Melba to school & Mrs
McLean came home with
me. Then I took her home
where I went for Melba. Maudie
went back to Mrs McLean
this morning. John & I had
finished drawing up the
wood. Then this afternoon
Pa cleaned out the
best bushes Polley & Billy &