

DIARY—CONTENTS—EDITORIAL ITEMS.

DIARY FOR APRIL.

- 2. SUN...5th Sunday in Lent.
- 3. Mon...County Court Term begins. County Court sittings in trial without Jury.
- 5. Wed...Canada discovered, 1499. Last day for Secretary of Law Society to receive voting papers for Benchers.
- 6. Thur...Election of Benchers by Bar (34 Vict., c. 15).
- 8. Sat....County Court Term ends. Trinity College Lent Term ends. Last day notice primary examination.
- 9. SUN...6th Sunday in Lent.
- 14. Frid...Good Friday. Princess Beatrice born, 1857.
- 16. SUN...Easter Sunday.
- 17. Mond...Easter Monday.
- 18. Tues...Easter Tuesday.
- 22. Sat....Trinity College Easter Term begins.
- 23. SUN...1st Sunday after Easter. Princess Alice born, 1843.
- 24. Mond...Earl Cathcart, Governor-General, 1846.
- 25. Tues...University of Toronto, Session of Senate begins. Parliament Buildings at Montreal burnt, 1849.
- 27. Thur...Battle of York, 1813.
- 29. Sat....Candidates for Attorney to leave papers with Secretary Law Society.
- 30. SUN...2nd Sunday after Easter.

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OUR readers will notice in this number the first instalment of the "Notes of Cases," directed by the Law Society to be published in this journal. Hereafter they will appear with regularity, and give the profession earlier information of recent decisions than has heretofore been possible.

PROBABLY before this reaches our readers the election for Benchers will have taken place, and the result known. We may have something further to say on the subject by and by; but at present we cannot say that we have much reason to recede from the position we took some years ago, viz.: that "The game is not worth the candle."

WE are glad to learn that His Honour Judge Gowan has been added to the Commission for Consolidating the Statutes of Ontario, and is taking an active part in the revision of the work already done, and in suggestions for its future prosecution. Probably no man in Canada could be found who is more familiar with the statute book; and his ripe judgment, and the experience gained by him when on the Commission for the Consolidation of the Statutes of old Canada will be of the greatest benefit. We congratulate Mr. Mowat on securing his services.

WE notice in the *Albany Law Journal* a very commendatory notice of Mr. Rogers' book on the "Wrongs and Rights of a Traveller." We are glad to see a work of so much merit, and written by a Canadian author, so well appreciated by such a competent authority. It is spoken of as not only "pleasantly and entertainingly" written, but also "as in