

### News, Notes and Queries

theories reached by Manson, Brault and Maxwell-Adams and this episode is thus of some interest to students of the history of ideas.

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#### SEMMELWEIS ANNIVERSARY WEEK BUDAPEST, 10-16 NOVEMBER, 1968

The 150th anniversary of the birth of the great Hungarian obstetrician Ignaz Philipp Semmelweis is to be celebrated with a special anniversary week, organized with the participation of the Hungarian Ministry of Health, the Hungarian Academy of Sciences, the Union of Medical Workers, and the Medical University of Budapest. A very full programme has been planned, and there will be sessions on both modern clinical subjects and historical topics.

Participants in the conference will have opportunities for sightseeing in Budapest, and excursions will be organized to local places of interest.

All correspondence and enquiries concerning the conference should be addressed to the Secretariat: Motesz, Budapest I, Apród u. 1/3, Hungary.