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Anders Vahlquist

Artur Schmidtchen

See also some news from ActaDV on page 48–50 with some glimpses from recent articles written by Nordic authors.

This issue is also filled with many other interesting papers: An educational review on Erosive pustular dermatosis of the scalp, a paper on Babiosis, a few dissertation abstracts, and some other reports. You can also find an updated information on the boards of the Nordic Societies.

Please enjoy!

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