



FIG. 196.—The upper illustration is the anterior surface of the right thigh with a debrided high-explosive wound. This wound had apparently been debrided and is covered with a shaggy exudate. The muscles left after the débridement extrude into the wound and are apparently under extreme internal pressure from the formation of gas in the deeper muscles. The lower illustration is a mid section of the limb. Numerous gas bubbles are present in the undébrided muscle. Accession number 2914, Army Medical Museum. Negative number 30882