



FIG. 289.—Anterior aspect of the left leg with the foot disarticulated at the ankle joint. A debrided wound approximately 8 cm. in length has been dissected away, exposing the fractured ends of the tibia and fibula. The muscles, especially those between the two bones, show gas bubbles. Beneath the skin in front of the tibia is a putrefactive reaction which parallels this bone. Accession number 2802, Army Medical Museum. Negative number 32256