



FIG. 307.—Cross section of a small vessel in the putrefactive area. There are many large, evenly staining, Gram-positive rods in the perivascular lymphatics. The circulation of this vessel remained intact to the time of amputation, and these organisms had not invaded its lumen. Accession number 4717, Army Medical Museum. Negative number 46067. MacCallum stain; $\times 870$