



FIG. 153.—Exposure of the sciatic in the middle and lower thirds of the thigh by lateral retraction of the short head of the biceps. Branches to the short head of biceps is shown emerging from the lateral side of the peroneal division of the sciatic trunk about the middle of the thigh. A, Semi-membranosus; B, tibial nerve; C, biceps, long head; D, branch to biceps, short head; E, peroneal nerve; F, sciatic trunk