

On inspecting the nasal cavity afterwards the left middle turbinate was absent, either removed at the previous operation twenty years ago or it had disappeared by absorption. A number of the anterior ethmoid cells were open.

There were no other polypi anywhere to be seen. The whole mass was removed in toto. The growth looked very much like adenoid tissue and I thought possibly it might have been a polypo-adenoma.

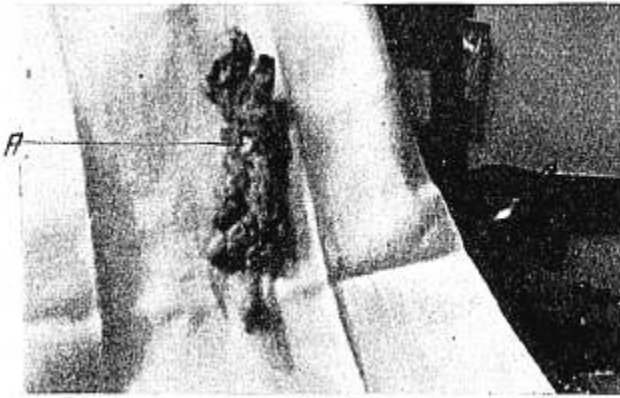


Fig. 1.

The report from the pathologists stated that the growth from the ethmoid shows it to be a polypus with edematous and inflammatory products, showing no malignancy.

The accompanying picture gives a fair idea of the contour of the growth, it being the largest entirely nasal polypus I have ever seen. The man made an uninterrupted recovery.

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Acute Exophthalmos in Quincke's Disease. MEYER HEURLIMANN, *Correspond.-Blatt f. Schweizer Aerzte*, Feb. 10, 1917.

Patient a woman 51 years old. Disease characterized by acute circumscribed swelling of the face, ear, leg, soft palate and pharynx, edema of larynx, sudden starting and ceasing diarrhea, and great exophthalmos first of one and then of the other eye. There was no fever. The attacks were recurrent, each lasting from one to fourteen days. General condition not much affected. Ed.