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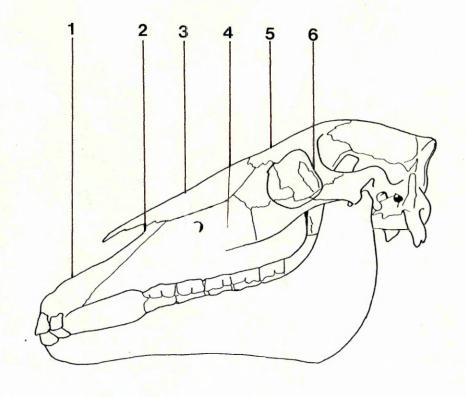
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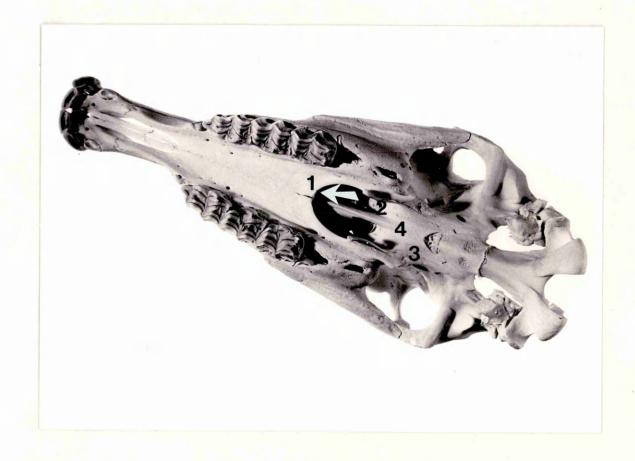


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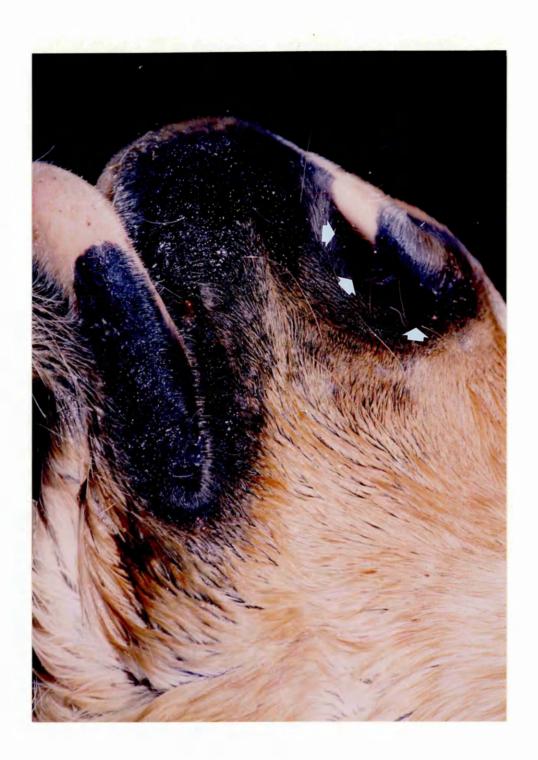
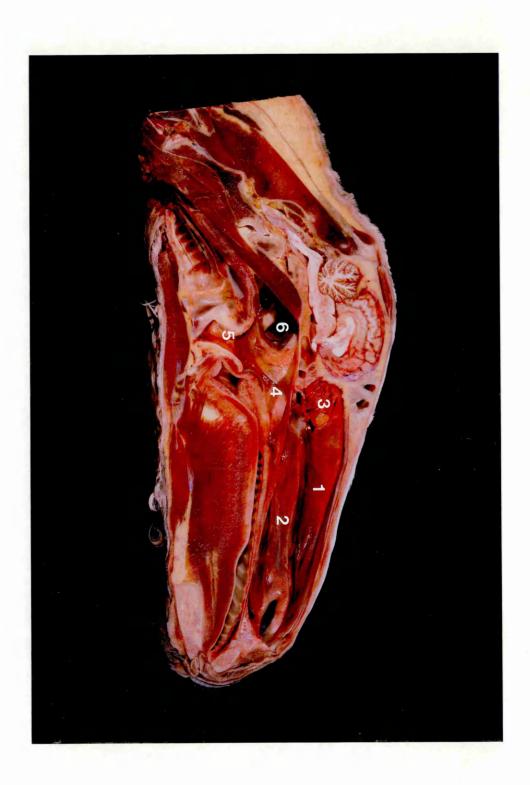


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- 3. Ethmoidal conchae
- 4. Nasopharynx
- 5. Larynx
- 6. Guttural pouch



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- 5. Dorsal masal meatus
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- 7. Ventral masal meatus

Arrow indicates the position of the rostral end of the vomeronasal duct.

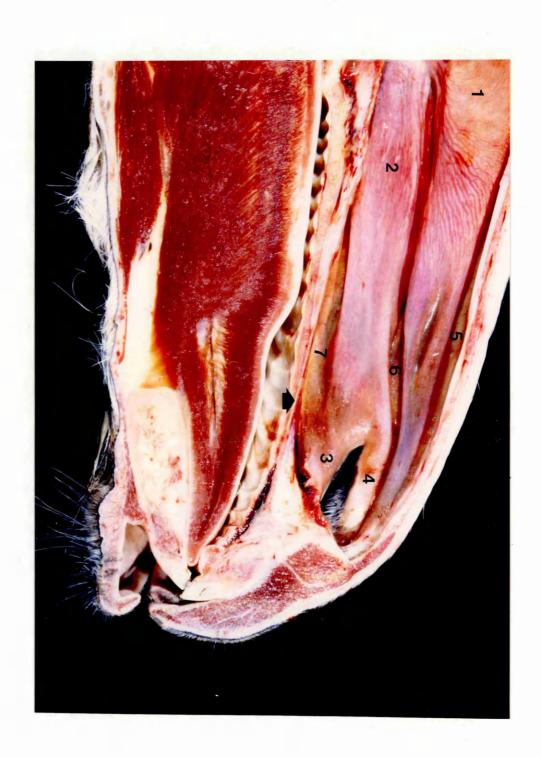


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Note the abrupt junction between the pigmented hairy skin of the vestibule and the nasal mucosa. (Arrows)

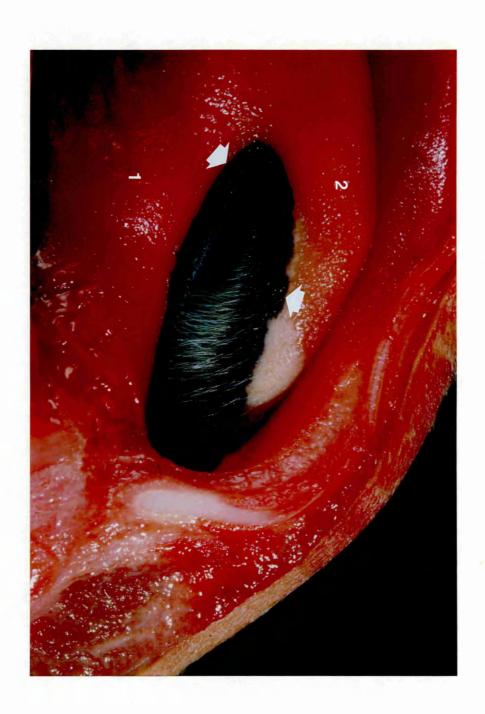
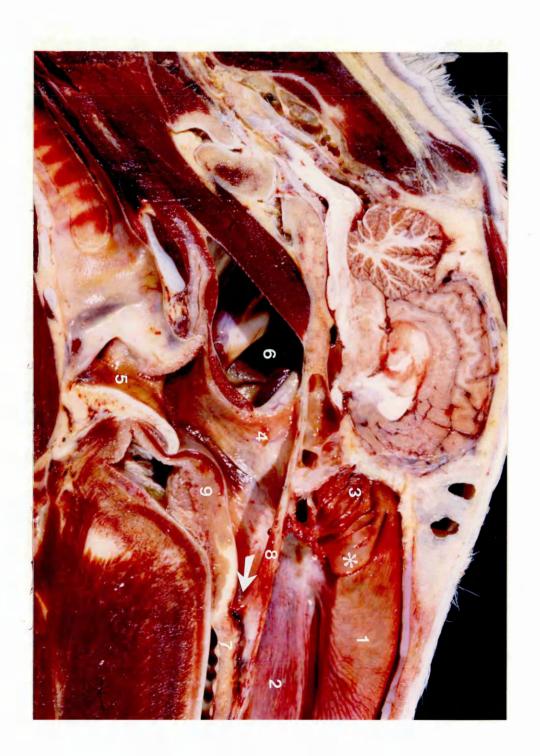


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- 5. Larynx
- 6. Guttural pouch
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- 8. Vomer
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- 9. Soft Palate



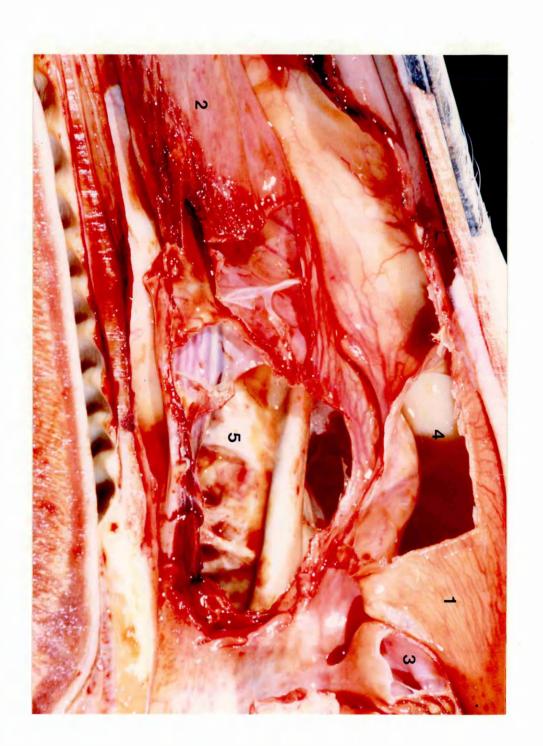
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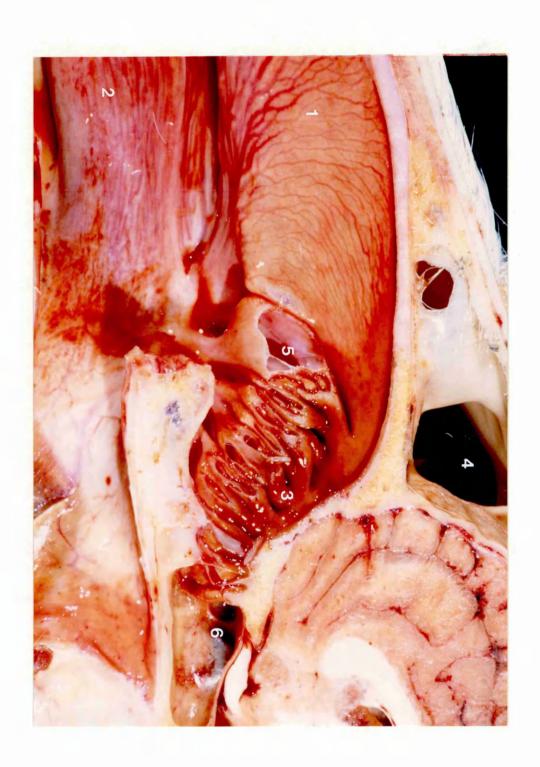
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 of the dorsal and ventral nasal

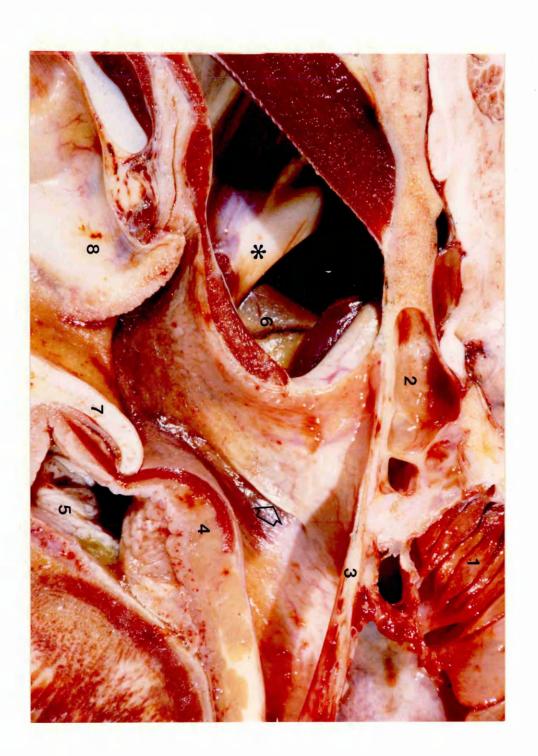
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 - 1. Dorsal nasal concha
 - 2. Ventral nasal concha
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 - 4. Conchofrontal sinus (dorsal conchal sinus + frontal sinus)
 - 5. Conchomaxillary sinus (ventral conchal sinus + rostral maxillary sinus)



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 - 2. Ventral nasal concha
 - 3. Ethmoidal conchae
 - 4. Frontal sinus
 - 5. Middle conchal sinus
 - 6. Sphenopalatine sinus



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 - 3. Vomer
 - 4. Soft palate
 - 5. Oropharynx
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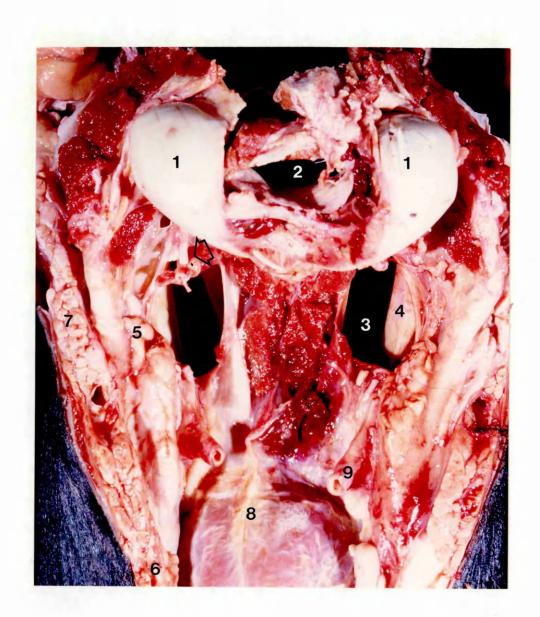


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- 1. Epiglottic
- 2. Cuneiform
- 3. Thyroid
- 4. Arytenoid
- 5. Corniculate process of the arytenoid
- 6. Cricoid
 Trachea (Asterisk)

Fig. 2.13 Sagittal section of a horse larynx.

- 1. Epiglottic cartilage
- 2. Arytenoid cartilage
 Corniculate process (Asterisk)
- 3. Thyroid cartilage
- 4. Cricoid cartilage
- 5. Vestibular fold
- 6. Vocal fold
 Lateral ventricle (Arrow)
- 7. Aryepiglottic fold
- 8. Infraglottic cavity
- 9. First tracheal cartilage

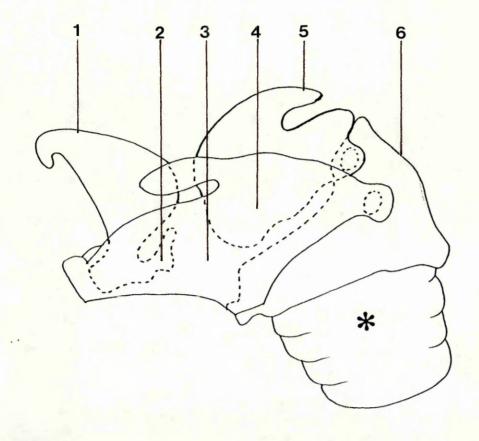




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- 1. Trachea
- 2. Left cranial lobe
- 3. Left caudal lobe

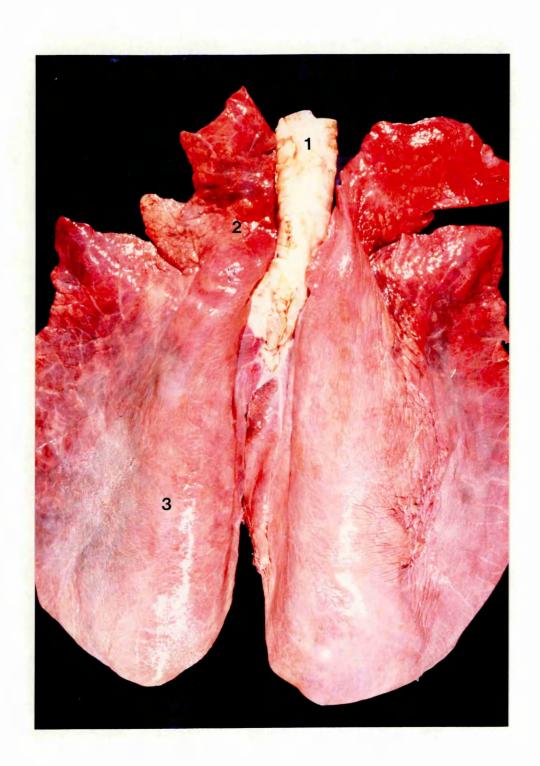
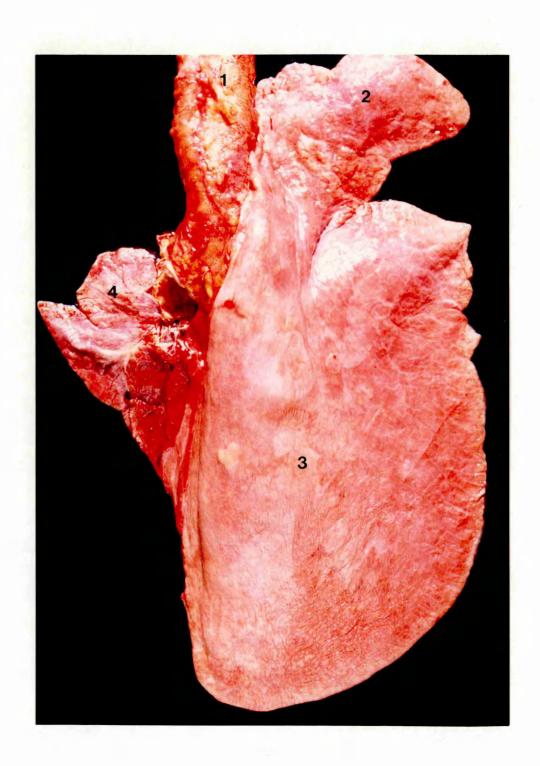
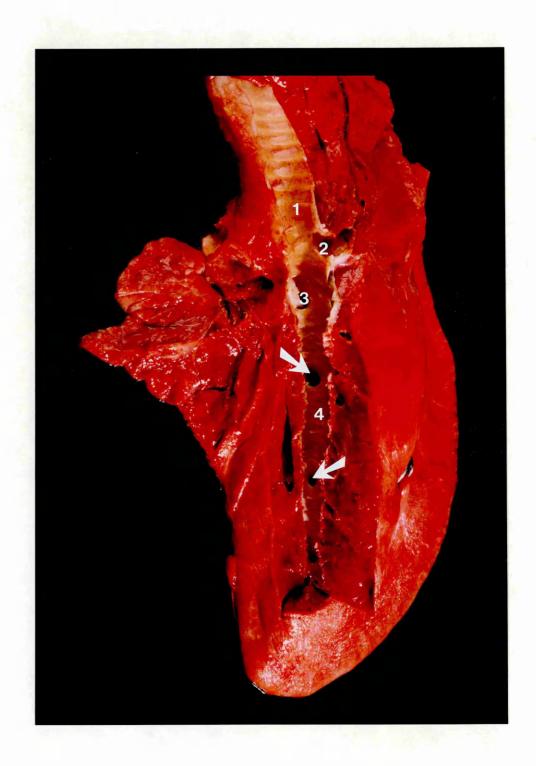


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- 1. Trachea
- 2. Cranial lobe
- 3. Caudal lobe
- 4. Accessory lobe



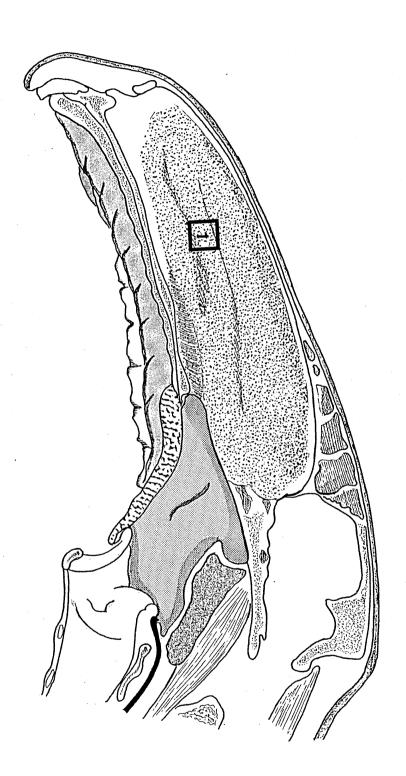
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 - 2. Cranial lobar bronchus
 - 3. Accessory lobar bronchus
 - 4. Caudal lobar bronchus
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CHAPTER 4

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1. Region sampled



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- Fig. 4.2 Diagram of a sagittal section of a horse head with the nasal septum removed, showing the areas of the nasal cavity, nasopharynx and larynx sampled.
 - 2. Ventral nasal concha
 - 3. Basal fold of ventral nasal concha
 - 4/5 Dorsal nasal concha and conchofrontal sinus
 - 6. Nasopharynx
 - 7/8 Pharyngeal opening of the auditory tube
 - 9. Guttural pouch
 - 10. Epiglottis
 - 11. Ventral larynx
 - E. Ethmoidal conchae

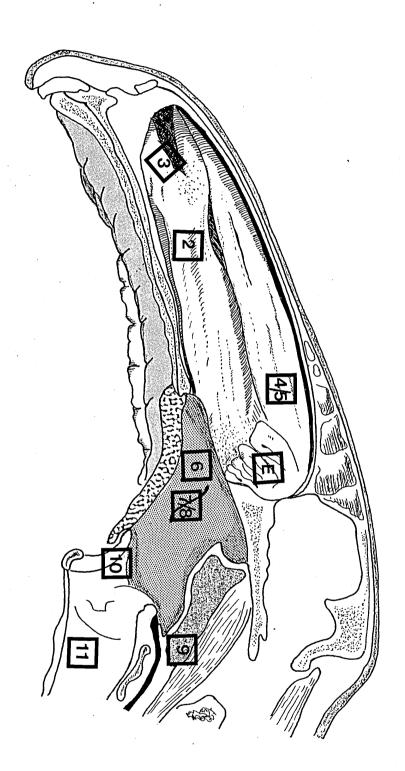


Fig. 4.3 Nasal septum. A low power view of the surface with numerous duct orifices of the underlying mucosal glands.

SEM x 160

Fig. 4.4 Nasal septum. Surface cells

with distinct boundaries give a

"cobblestone" appearance to the

epithelium. Note the mucus
secreting cells (Arrows).

SEM x1,280

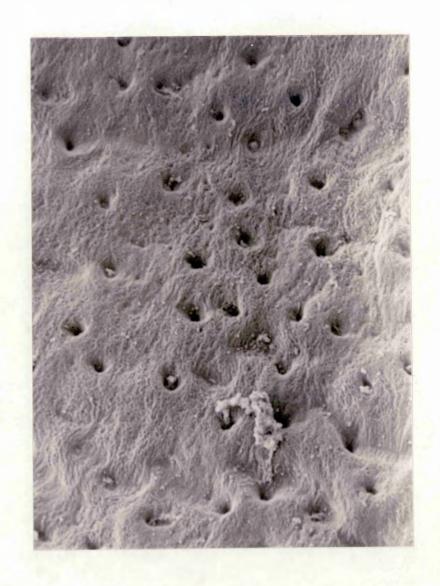




Fig. 4.5 Nasal septum. The "cobblestone"

epithelium of microvillous cells

with distinct boundaries (Arrows).

Note the mucus-secreting cells (M)

on the right.

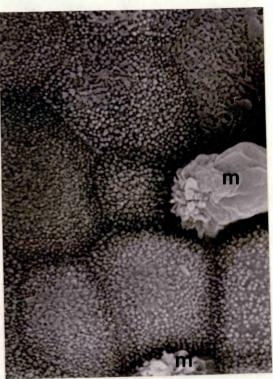
SEM x 2,500 and 5,000

Fig. 4.6

Nasal septum. Two mucus-secreting cells in the initial stages of development. A cell with a domeshaped central area (left). A second cell shows mucous droplets visible through the surface cell membrane of its bulging central area (right).

SEM x 10,000





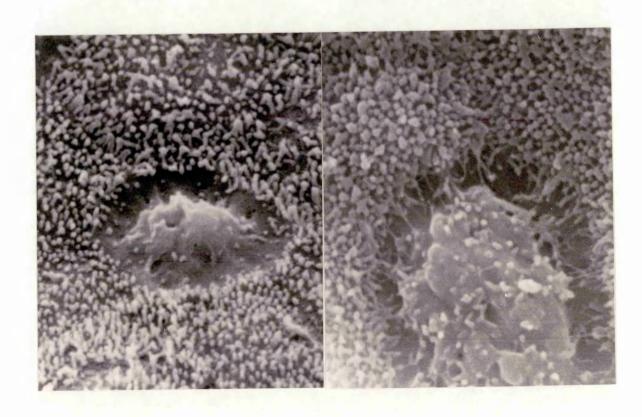


Fig. 4.7 Nasal septum. Mucus streams

from the centre of a

discharging cell.

Note the sparse surface microvilli

of the mucous cell compared with

surrounding cells.

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 4.8 Nasal septum. Discharged

mucus collects to form a sheet

covering the surface.

SEM x 5,000



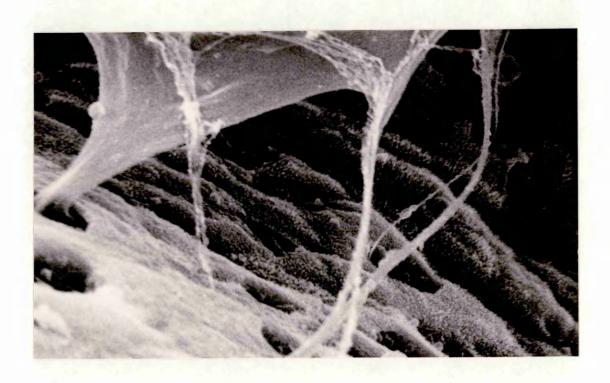


Fig. 4.9 Nasal septum. After discharge of mucus, cells appear empty with surface pores and craters (Arrows).

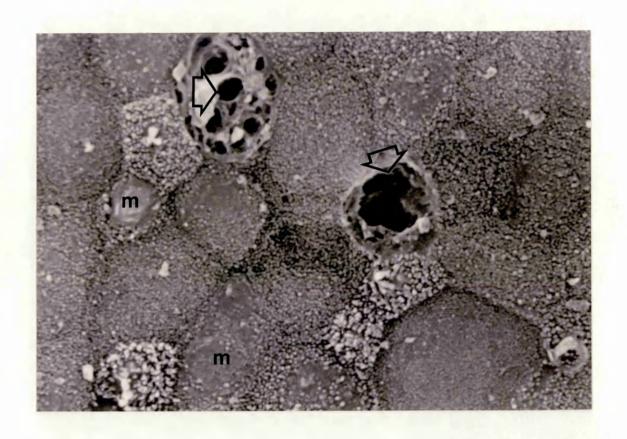
Note also the presence of developing mucous cells (M).

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 4.10 Nasal septum. A final stage in the cycle of mucus secretion.

A smooth raised edge of the surface cell membrane surrounds a central depressed area with sparse microvilli in cells in the process of regeneration.

SEM x 5,000



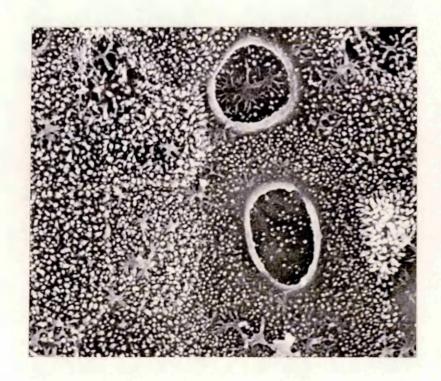


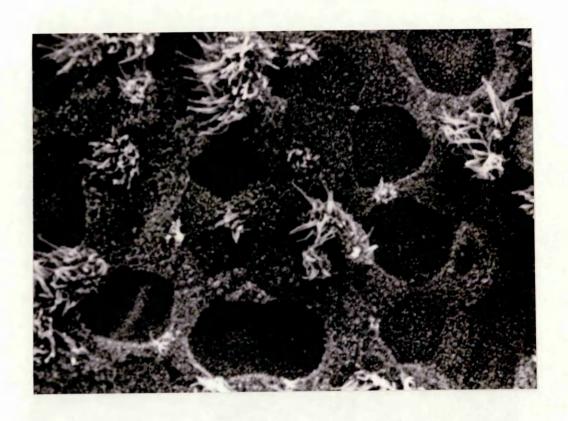
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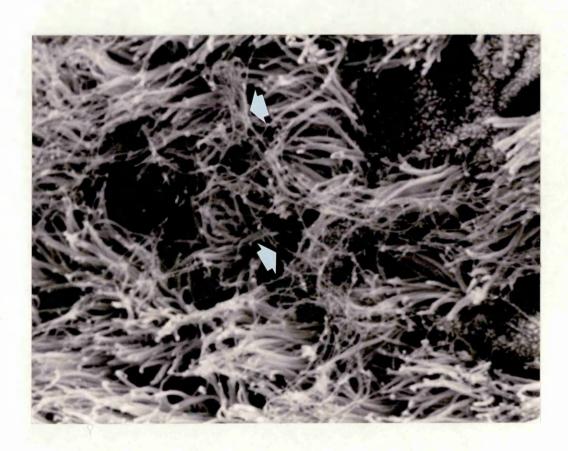
SEM x 1,500

Fig. 4.12 Ventral nasal concha. Ciliated cells with well developed cilia and microvillous cells.

Note the fine strands of mucus on the surface of the cilia (Arrows)

SEM x 5,000





- Fig. 4.13 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. A low power view to show the three distinct surface areas.
 - 1. Squamous surface cells and
 projecting hairs (Arrows)
 - 2. Narrow hairless squamous area
 - 3. Deeply folded surface of the nasal mucosa.

SEM x 160

Fig. 4.14 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. Squamous cells with surface microplicae.

SEM x 10,000



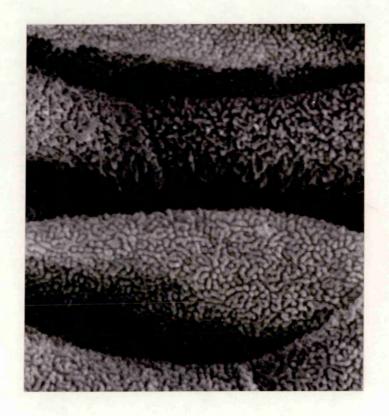


Fig. 4.15 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. Squamous surface cells and numerous protruding hairs in the most rostral area. (1 in Fig. 4.13).

SEM x 160

Fig. 4.16 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. A high power view of the rostral hairy area. Note the surface mucus (M) which has trapped desquamated surface cells, RBCs and other debris.

SEM x 1,280



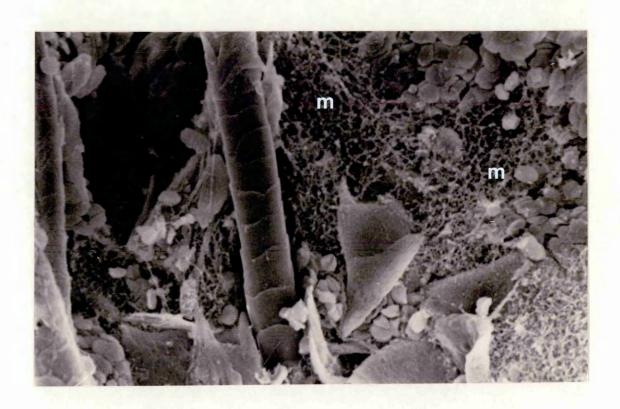
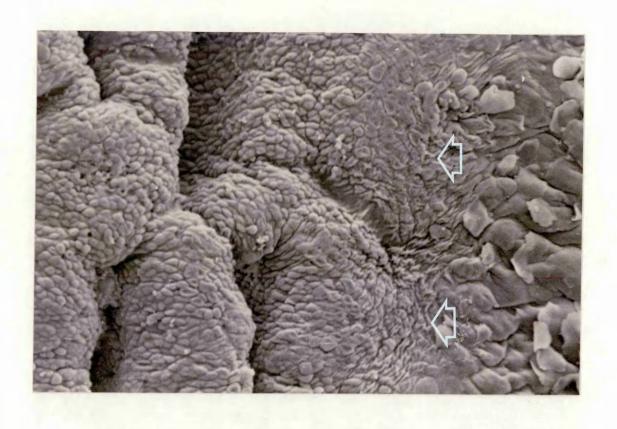


Fig. 4.17 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. Arrows indicate the abrupt junction between the hairless squamous area and the nasal mucosa proper where the bulging surface cells give a "cobblestone" appearance to the epithelium.

SEM x 1,280

Fig. 4.18 Dorsal nasal concha. A sheet of mucus partially obscures the surface. Nonciliated cells among the ciliated cells give a characteristic "moth-eaten" appearance to the surface.

SEM x 1,280



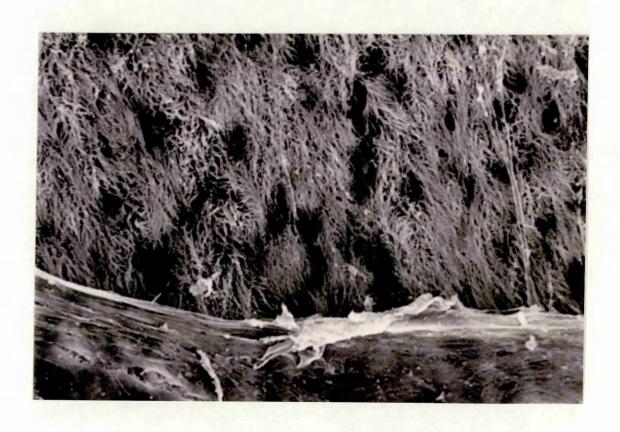


Fig. 4.19 Dorsal nasal concha. The nonciliated cells actively discharging mucus (arrow) on the left, or may be flat with sparse microvilli (right).

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 4.20 Conchofrontal sinus. Large patches of nonciliated microvillous cells interrupt the ciliated surface.

SEM x 2,500

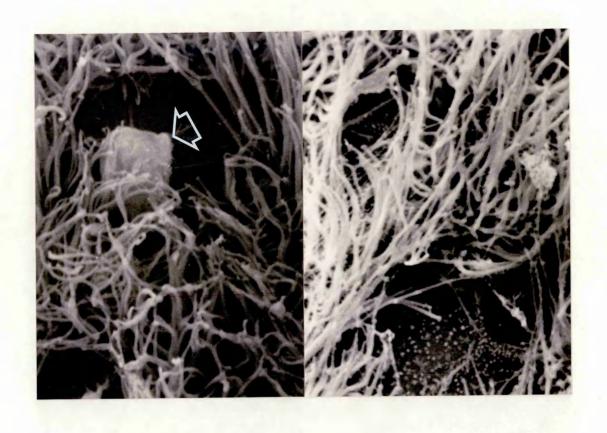




Fig. 4.21 Nasopharynx, showing the deeply folded mucosal surface.

SEM x 80

Fig. 4.22 Nasopharynx, ciliated cells

and mucus-secreting cells (Arrows).

Note the thick strands of

mucus (M) adhering to the

surface.

SEM x 5,000





Fig. 4.23 Nasopharynx. A mixture of ciliated and nonciliated cells.

The latter vary in size and shape and are studded with numerous microvillous processes. This surface is similar to that of the nasal septum, illustrated in Fig. 4.11.

SEM x 1,300

Fig. 4.24 Nasopharynx. A large patch of nonciliated microvillous cells with a cell discharging mucus in the centre of the picture.

SEM x 2,500

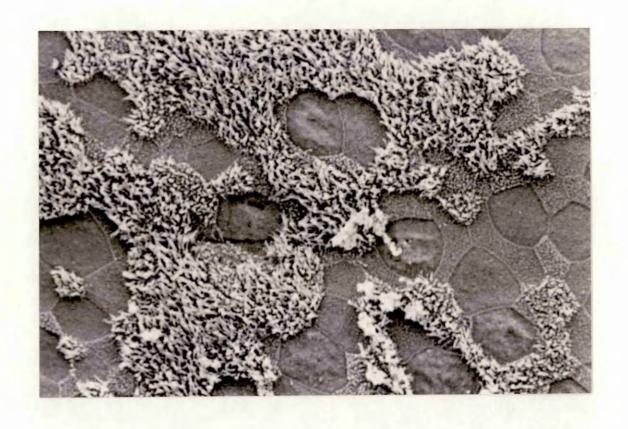


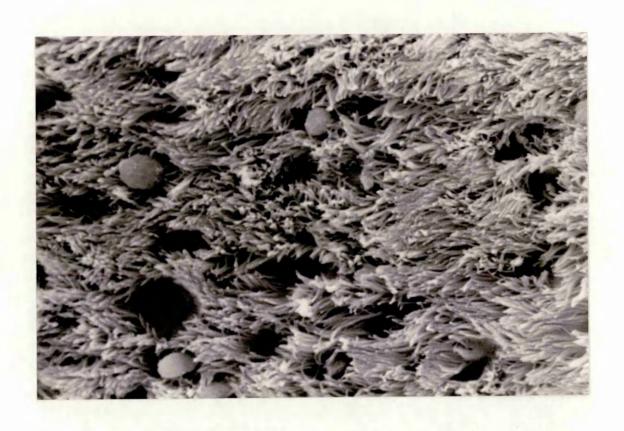


Fig. 4.25 Lateral surface of the pharyngeal opening of the auditory tube. Many discharging mucous cells protrude between the ciliated cells.

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 4.26 Lateral surface of the pharyngeal opening of the auditory tube. Patches of ciliated cells and nonciliated microvillous cells give a surface appearance similar to that of the nasopharynx and nasal septum. (See Fig. 4.23, Fig. 4.11).

SEM x 2,500



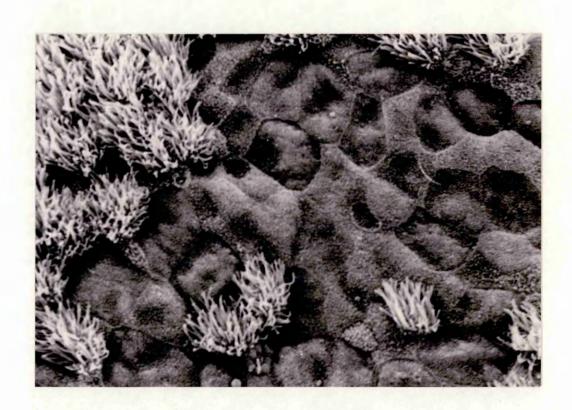


Fig. 4.27 Guttural pouch. A low power view of the folded surface. SEM \times 160

Fig. 4.28 Guttural pouch. Numerous mucussecreting cells (Arrows) bulge
from the surface between ciliated
cells.

SEM \times 5,000



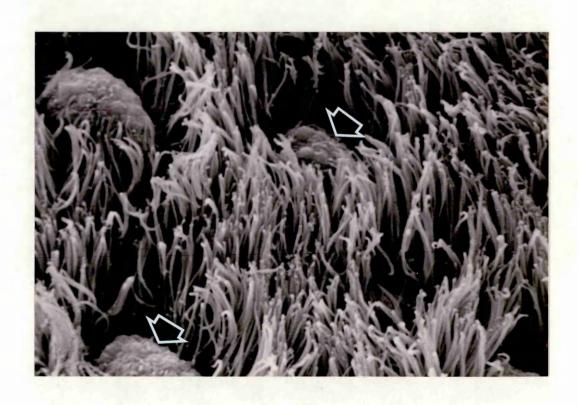


Fig. 4.29 Guttural pouch. The regularly folded mucosal surface is interrupted by a well defined protruberant smooth area.

SEM x 80

Fig. 4.30 Guttural pouch. A high power

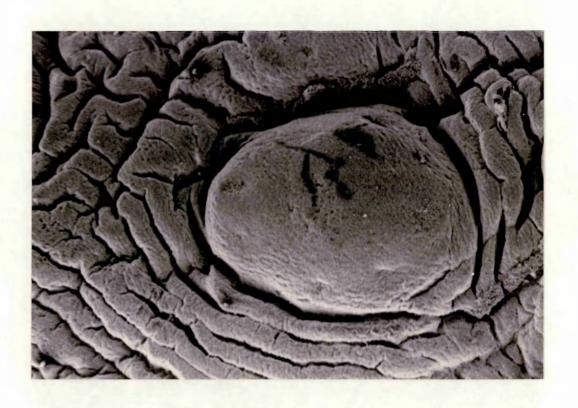
view of the centre of the smooth

area illustrated in Fig. 4.29,

showing ciliated cells and

microvillous cells.

SEM x 5,000



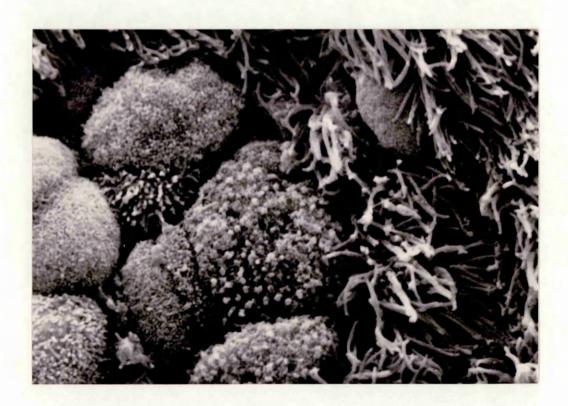


Fig. 4.31 Epiglottis. Small, rounded cells with distinct boundaries give a "cobblestone" appearance to the epithelium very similar to that of rostral nasal cavity surfaces (See Fig. 4.4).

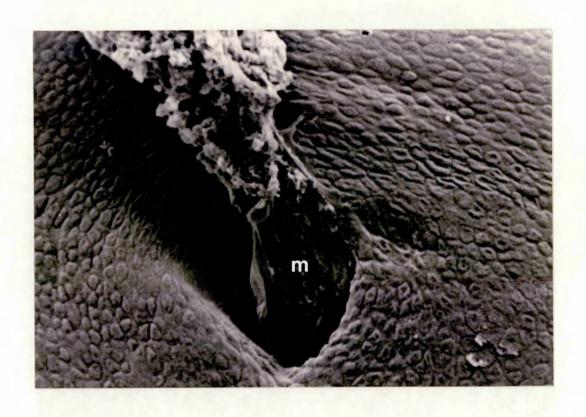
Mucus (M) flows from a gland duct orifice.

SEM \times 640

Fig. 4.32 Epiglottis. A high power view of the surface microvillous cells.

Note the distinct cell boundaries (Arrows) and a developing mucous cell (M) with sparse microvilli.

SEM x 10,000



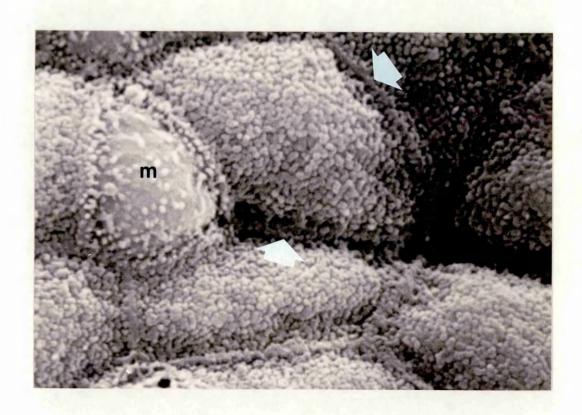
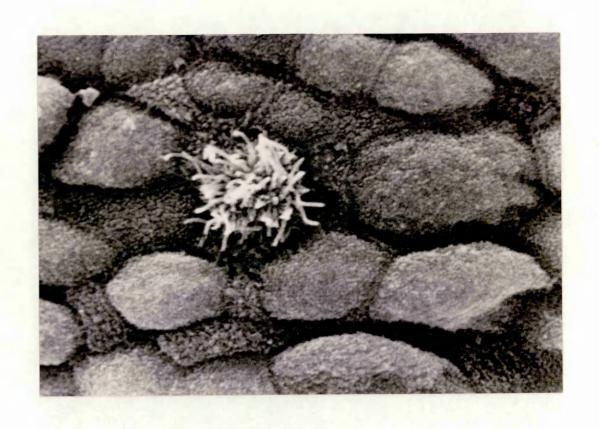


Fig. 4.33 Epiglottis. A single ciliated cell among the microvillous cells.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 4.34 Ventral larynx. The laryngeal surface, caudal to the glottis, was characterized by regular, parallel folds.

SEM x 160



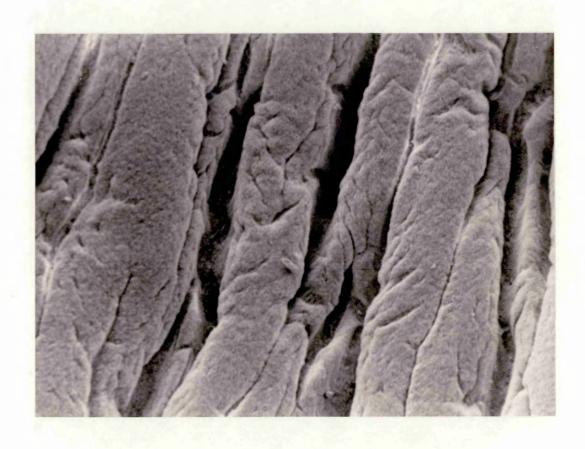


Fig. 4.35 Ventral larynx. Ciliated cells,
with well developed cilia,
cover the surface. An occasional
mucus-secreting cell (M) may be
seen.

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 4.36 Ventral larynx. Patches of microvillous cells with a few ciliated cells among them were seen in some horses.

SEM x 5,000

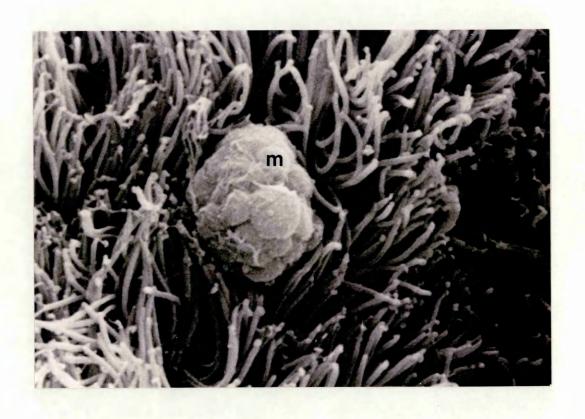




Fig. 4.37 Nasal septum. The epithelium is stratified cuboidal. Some of the surface cells secrete neutral or mixed staining mucus (Arrows).

There are numerous serous secreting mucosal glands (G) and their ducts (D). The latter are lined by mucous cells close to the surface.

AB-PAS x 180

Fig. 4.38 Nasal septum. Stratified

cuboidal epithelium with a gland

duct (D) lined by neutral and

mixed staining mucous cells.

The outer epithelial cells

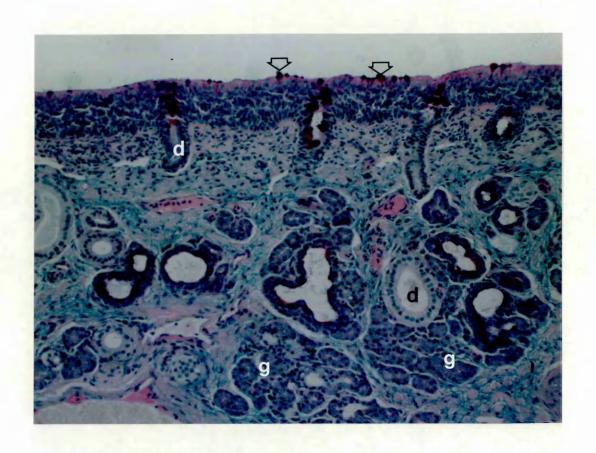
bulge from the surface and some

secrete mucus (Arrows). These

features were also noted with SEM

(See Figs. 4.4 and 4.5).

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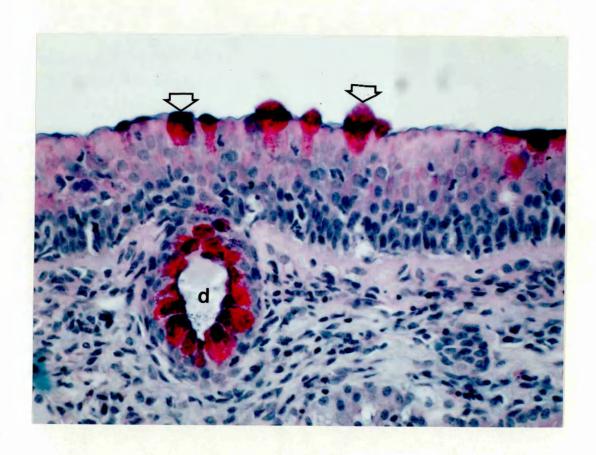


Fig. 4.39 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. Keratinized stratified squamous epithelium of the nasal vestibule. Note the hair follicles (Arrows) with associated sebaceous (S) glands.

HE x 180

Fig. 4.40

Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. The junction between the keratinized stratified squamous epithelium (S) of the nasal vestibule and the stratified cuboidal epithelium (C) of the nasal mucosa is abrupt (Arrow).

This feature was also obvious with SEM (Fig. 4.17) and in the gross specimen (Fig. 2.6).

HE x 180

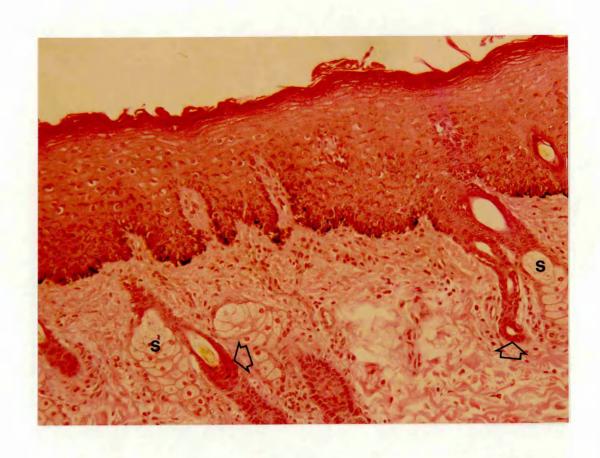




Fig. 4.41 Dorsal nasal concha. Showing pseudostratified columnar ciliated epithelium with mucous cells (respiratory epithelium) which covered surfaces in the caudal nasal cavity, guttural pouches and ventral larynx and was also present on some nasopharyngeal surfaces.

HE x 250

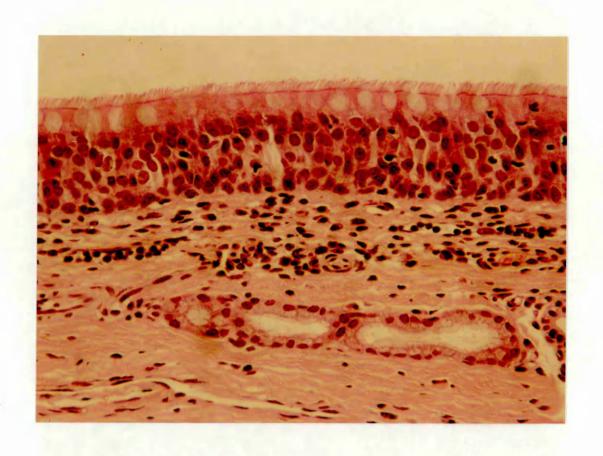
Fig. 4.42 Dorsal nasal concha. The

numerous mucus-secreting cells

contain mostly mixed

mucosubstances (Arrows).

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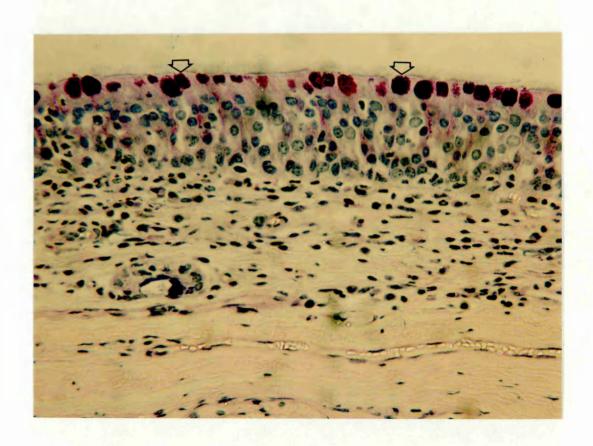


Fig. 4.43 Nasopharynx. Stratified cuboidal type of epithelium with a sub-epithelial aggregation of lymphocytes (Arrows).

HE x 250

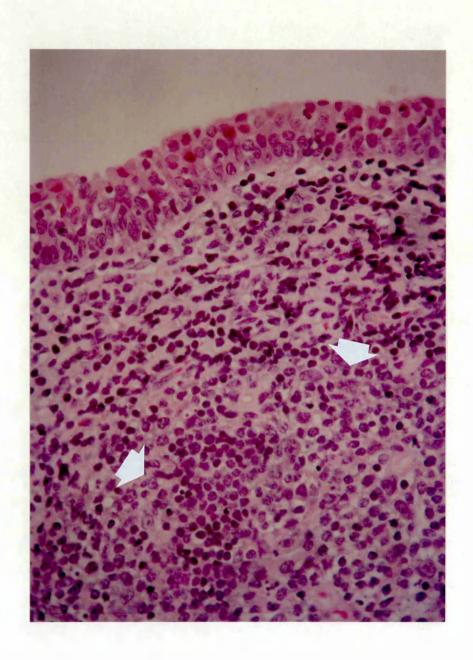


Fig. 4.44 Olfactory epithelium. A tangled mass of cilia clothe the surface. A few olfactory vesicles can be seen (Arrows).

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 4.45 Olfactory epithelium. Many gland ducts open on the surface (Arrows). Note the numerous secretory droplets.

SEM x 640



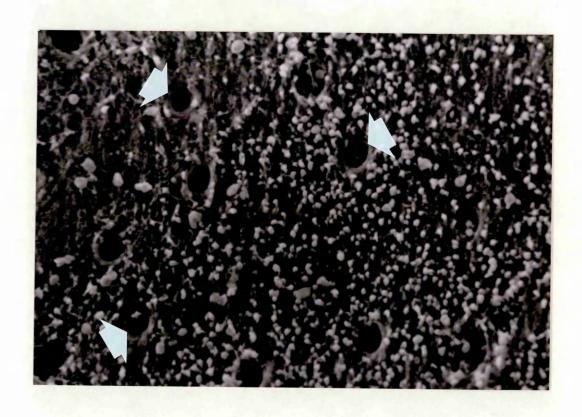


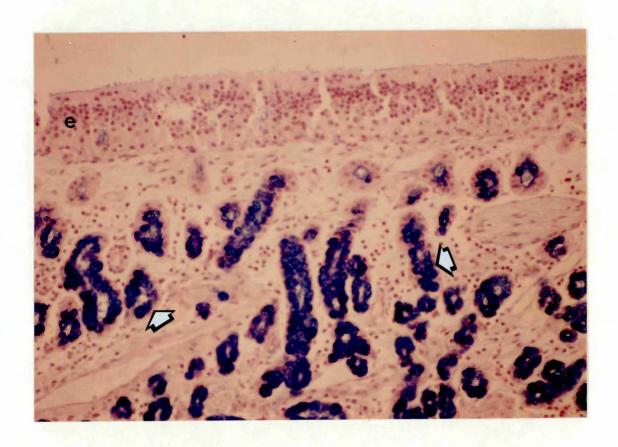
Fig. 4.46 Olfactory epithelium. At higher power the olfactory vesicles (Arrows) are more obvious.

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 4.47 Olfactory mucosa. The thick pseudostratified columnar olfactory epithelium (E) covers the surface. The numerous glands (Arrows) contain alcianophilic granules.

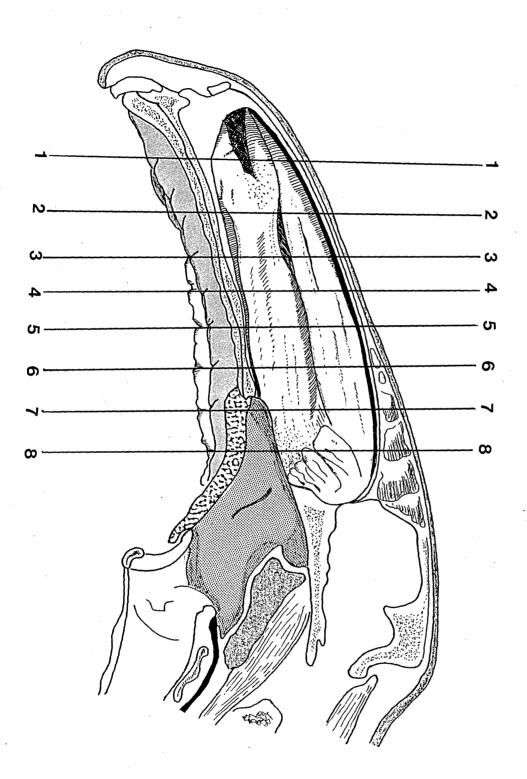
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CHAPTER 5

- Fig. 5.1 Diagram of a sagittal section of a horse head with the nasal septum almost completely removed to show the levels in the nasal cavity which were sampled.
 - 1. Icm rostral to the angle between the basal and alar folds of the ventral nasal concha
 - 2. The caudal border of the cartilage supporting the alar fold
 - 3-8 The rostral border of the first to sixth cheek tooth respectively.



- Fig. 5.2 Diagram of a sagittal section of a horse head with the nasal septum (Red) almost completely removed.
 - A. Nasal septum
 - B. Ventral nasal concha
 - Bl. Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha
 - B2. Alar fold of the ventral nasal concha
 - C. Dorsal nasal concha

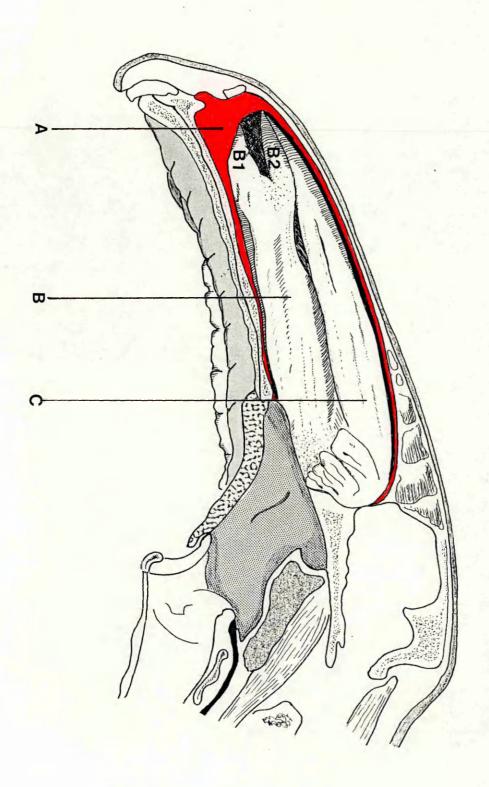


Fig. 5.3 Diagram of a sagittal section of a horse head with the nasal septum intact.

Levels indicated as in Fig. 5.1.

Graduated colour to illustrate

the extent of surface ciliation.

White indicates nonciliated

surface.

Deep pink indicates almost completely ciliated surface. Yellow indicates area of olfactory epithelium.

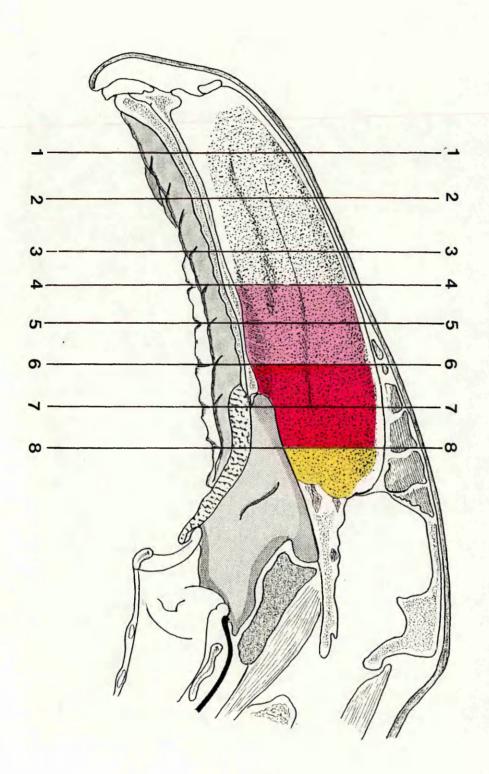


Diagram of a sagittal section Fig. 5.4 of a horse head with the nasal septum almost completely removed to show the nasal conchae (see Fig. 5.2). Levels indicated as in Fig. 5.1. Graduated colour to illustrate the extent of surface ciliation. White indicates nonciliated surface. Red indicates completely ciliated surface. Yellow indicates area of olfactory epithelium.

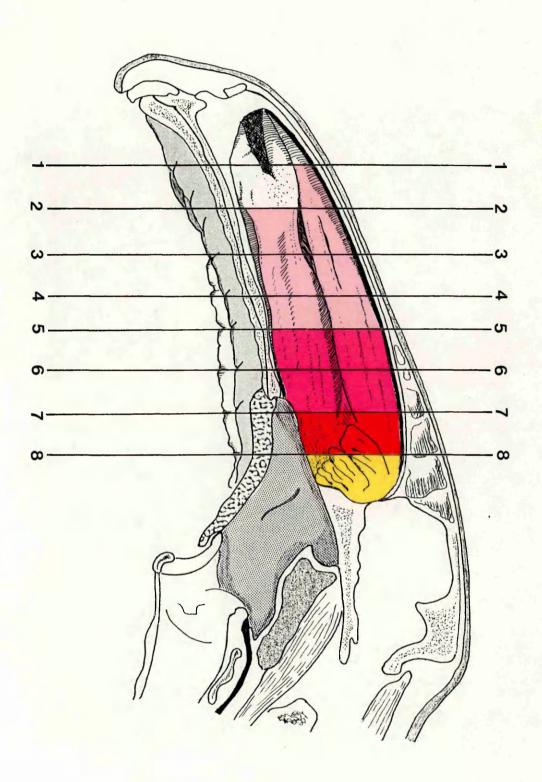


Fig. 5.5 Nasal septum. Microvillous

cells with distinct cell

borders bulge from the surface

and give a "cobblestone"

appearance to the epithelium.

A few mucous cells (M) are

present.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 5.6 Dorsal nasal concha. The surface is covered by microvillous cells. Note the conspicuous gland duct opening (Arrow).

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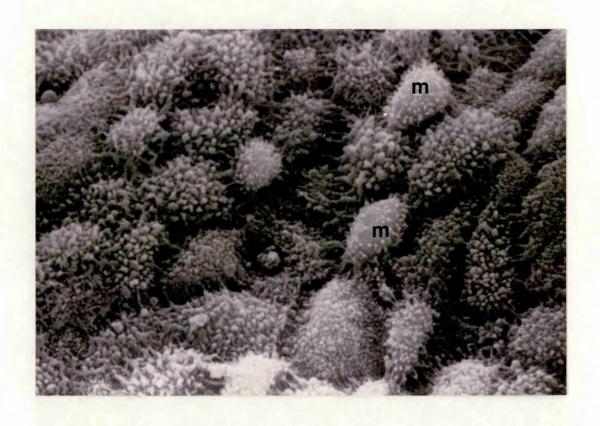




Fig. 5.7 Nasal septum. Mucous cells.

On the left a small mucous
droplet oozes from the centre
of the cell (Arrow).

Later in the secretory cycle
mucus bulges from the cell (top
right) and a second mucous cell
below is in the process of
discharge.

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 5.8 Nasal septum. Mucous cells.

Following on from Fig. 5.7,

the cell on the left has almost

completed secretion. The final

mucous droplets (M) are

extruded leaving a central

crater surrounded by the

remnants of the cell membrane.

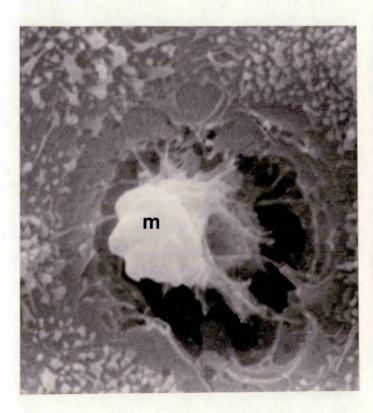
The latter forms a smooth raised

edge and the cell subsequently

regenerates (Right).







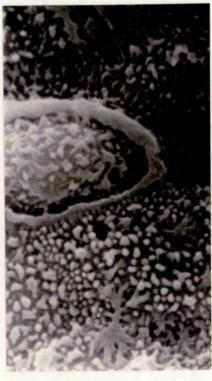


Fig. 5.9 Dorsal nasal concha. A single ciliated cell among microvillous cells.

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Fig. 5.10 Nasal septum. An aggregation of lymphocytes (L) lies below the stratified cuboidal epithelium. Note the numerous gland ducts (Arrows).

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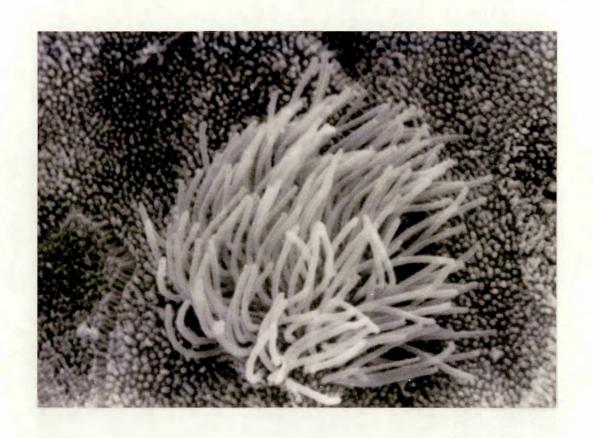


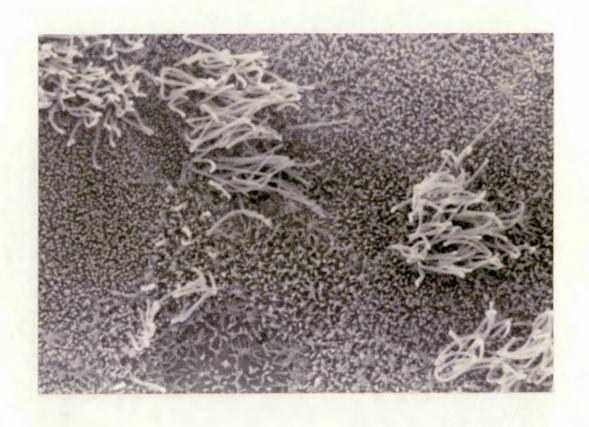


Fig. 5.11 Ventral nasal concha. Sparsely ciliated cells among microvillous cells.

SEM x 5,000

- Fig. 5.12 Nasal septum. Microvillous cells and many mucous cells in various stages of secretion.
 - 1. Developing
 - 2. Early
 - 3. Active
 - 4. Completed

SEM \times 5,000



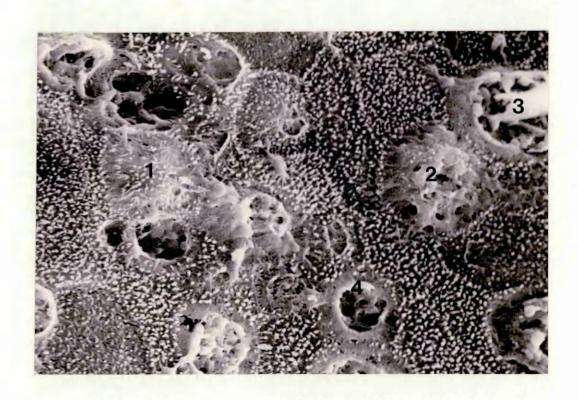
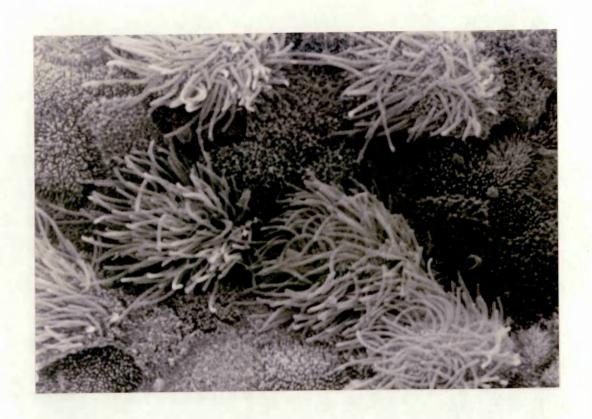


Fig. 5.13 Nasal septum. Ciliated cells and microvillous cells.

Although still relatively sparse, the cilia are more luxuriant than those in Fig. 5.11.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 5.14 Ventral nasal concha. Well ciliated surface cells and intervening mucous cells (M). SEM \times 5,000



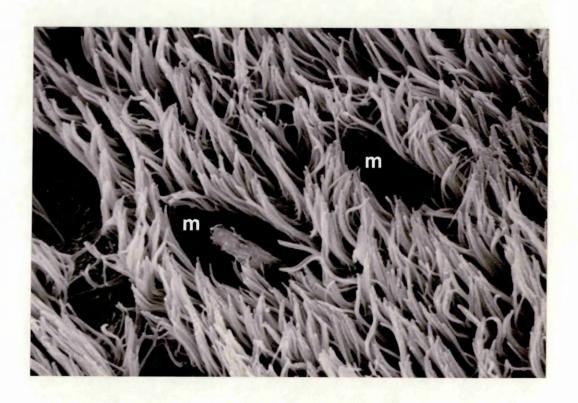


Fig. 5.15 Nasal septum. Basal cells (B)

rest on the thin basal lamina

(Arrows). Note a lymphocyte (L)

in the process of migrating

through the epithelium.

TEM x 5,400

Fig. 5.16 Nasal septum. A basal cell
with a deeply indented
nucleus (N) and fine lateral
cytoplasmic processes (Arrows).
Desmosomes join adjacent cells
(Small arrows).
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Fig. 5.17 Nasal septum. Intermediate

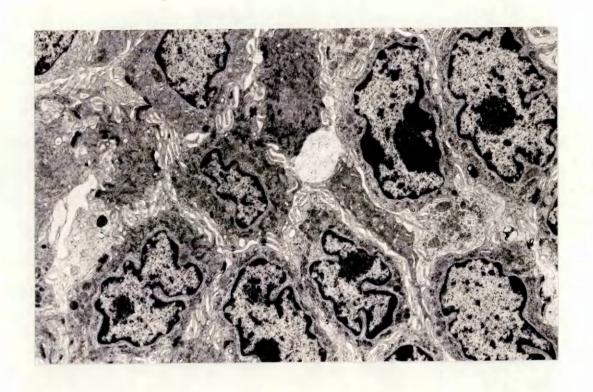
cells with irregular nuclei

form a layer several cells deep.

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Fig. 5.18 Nasal septum. Polygonal intermediate cells in transverse section. Many cytoplasmic projections extend from the cell borders. Desmosomes (Arrows) join adjacent cells.

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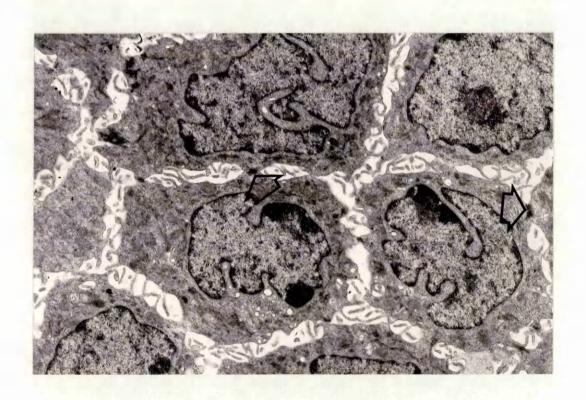


Fig. 5.19 Nasal septum. Surface cells.

A microvillous cell (M) with

part of its nucleus (N) and

an adjacent secretory (mucous)

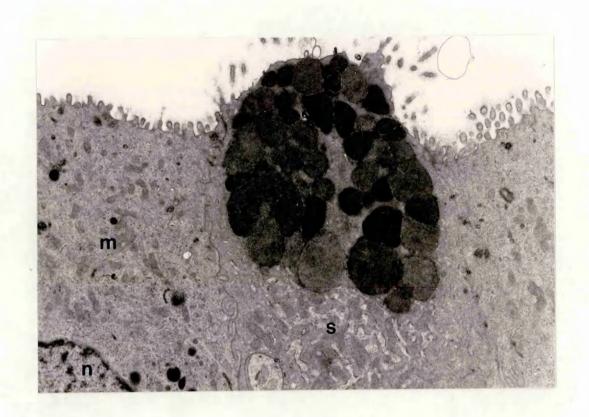
cell (S).

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Fig. 5.20 Nasal septum. Microvillous cells bulge from the surface and correspond to similar cells viewed with SEM (see Fig. 5.5).

Lateral cytoplasmic processes of adjacent cells interdigitate and are joined in places by desmosomes.

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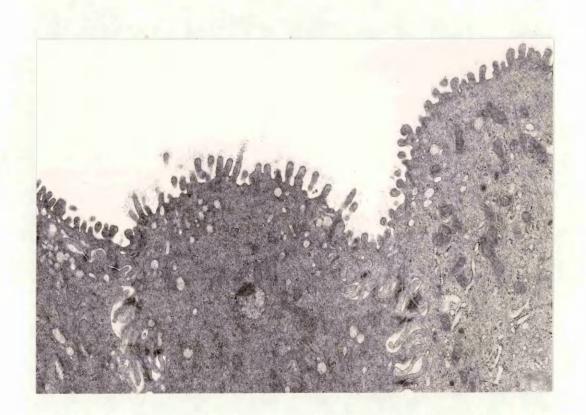


Fig. 5.21 Nasal septum. A tight junction

(Arrow) joins adjacent

microvillous cells at their

lumenal surface.

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Fig. 5.22 Nasal septum. A narrow, more electron dense cell sandwiched between two other microvillous cells. The microvilli on the former are longer and more erect than those of adjacent cells.

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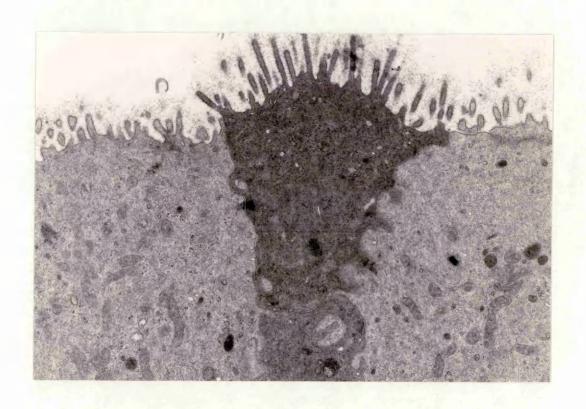
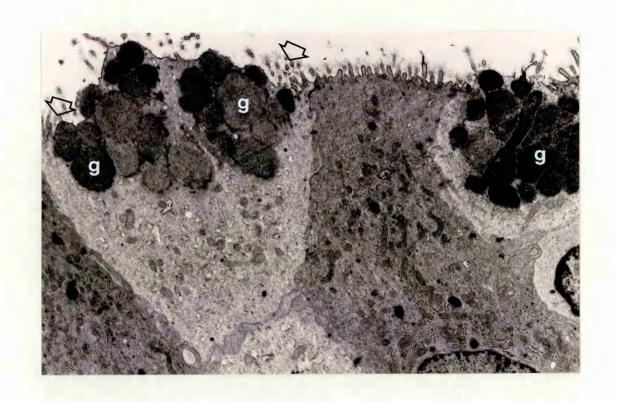


Fig. 5.23 Nasal septum. Mucus-secreting surface cells with a microvillous cell between them. The secretion granules (G) vary in electron density. The granules bulge from the surface in the cell on the left, the few surface microvilli tend to be peripheral (Arrows). Compare with the SEM appearance in Fig. 5.5 and Fig. 5.7

Fig. 5.24 Nasal septum. The surface cell membrane has ruptured (Arrows) and mucous granules are in the process of being discharged.

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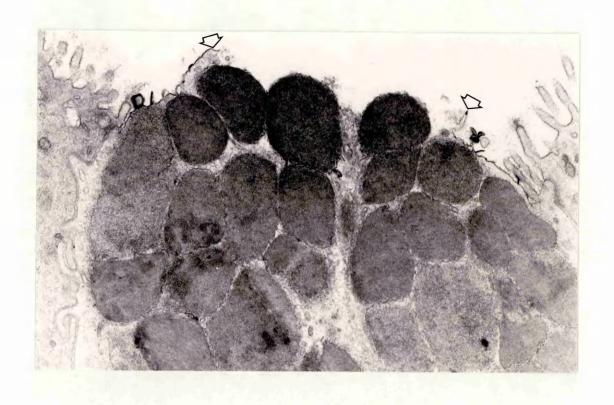


Fig. 5.25 Nasal septum. A mucous cell
between two microvillous cells.

The former has almost completely
discharged its granules and the
cell surface is depressed below
the level of adjacent cells.

Note a lymphocyte (L) migrating
between the epithelial cells.

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Fig. 5.26 Nasal septum. The remnants

of the surface cell membrane

(Arrows) are almost all that

remains of a discharged mucous

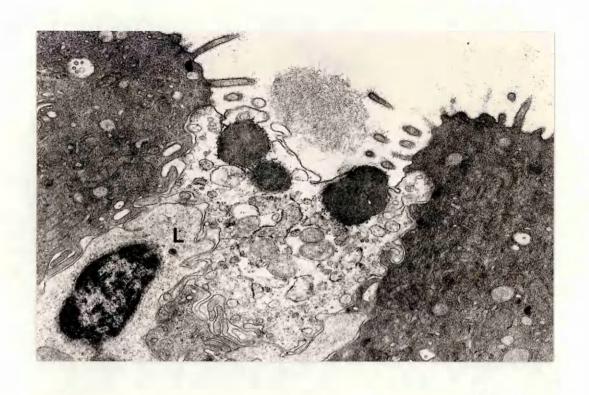
cell. The features illustrated

in Fig. 5.25 and Fig. 5.26 are

comparable with SEM features in

Fig. 5.12 (4).

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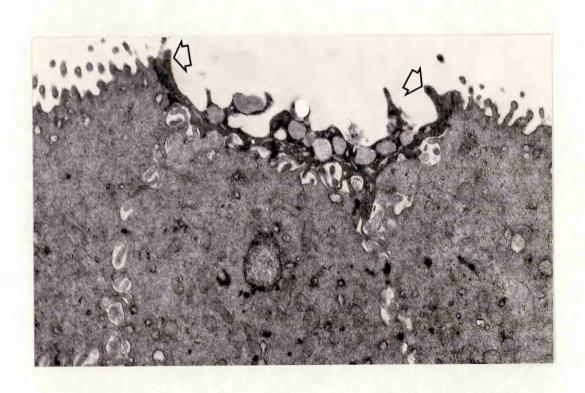


Fig. 5.27 Ventral nasal concha. A ciliated cell with the nucleus (N) situated well below the surface.

Lateral cytoplasmic processes interdigitate with those of an adjacent microvillous cell (M).

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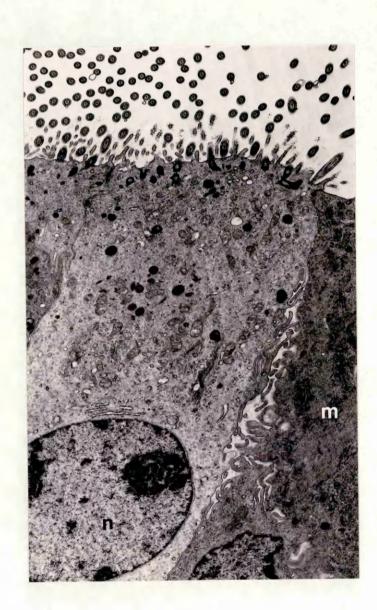


Fig. 5.28 Dorsal nasal concha. Part of
a ciliated cell on the left
and an adjacent mucus-secreting
cell (M). Note the
lymphocytes (L) migrating
between the epithelial cells.
TEM x 8,000



CHAPTER 6

- Fig. 6.1 Diagram of a dorsal view of the trachea and lungs of a horse with the sample sites indicated by black squares for SEM and red squares for light microscopy.
 - 1 and 2. Dorsal and ventral
 trachea
 - 3. Cranial lobar bronchus
 - 4. Caudal lobar bronchus
 - 5. Small bronchus
 - 6, 7 and 8. Lung slices.

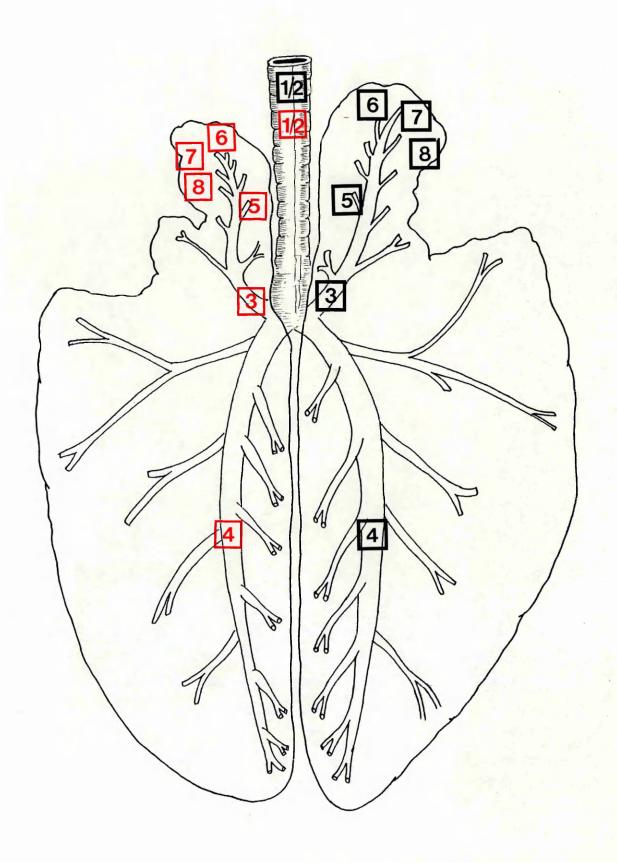


Fig. 6.2 Trachea. The regularly folded epithelial surface (left) clothed with a carpet of cilia (right).

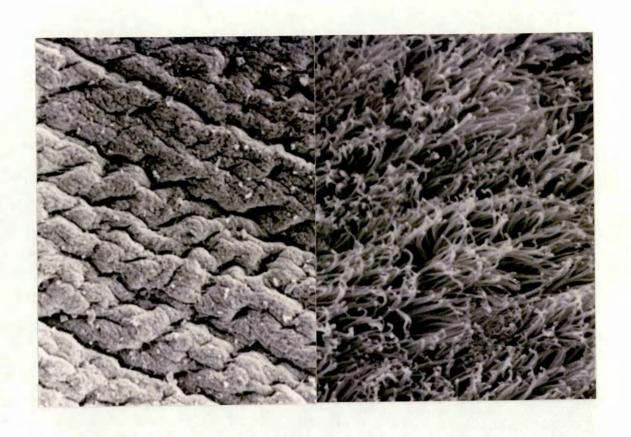
SEM \times 80 and \times 5,000

Fig. 6.3 Trachea. Mucus-secreting cells

(Arrows) among the ciliated cells.

Note that the former have sparse surface microvilli and mucous droplets are visible through the surface cell membrane.

SEM x 10,000



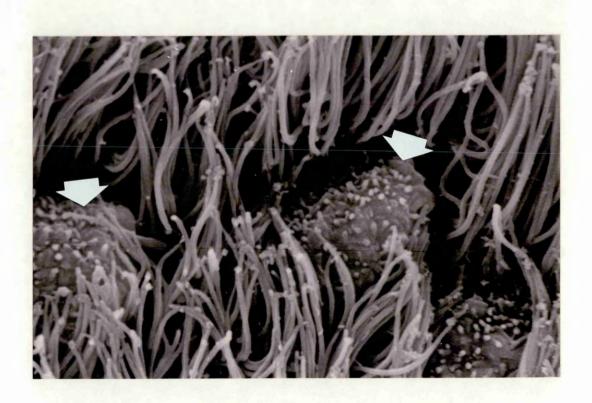


Fig. 6.4 Trachea. Fractured edge of the epithelium showing ciliated cells (C) and mucus-secreting cells (M). The latter are packed with mucous droplets.

SEM x 10,000

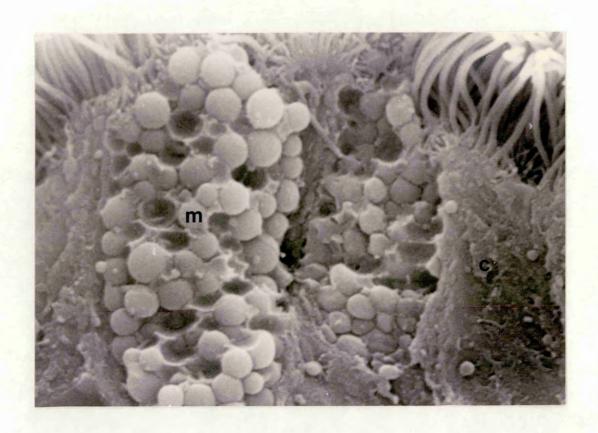
Fig. 6.5 Trachea. Ciliated cells

surrounding a patch of nonciliated

microvillous cells with distinct

boundaries.

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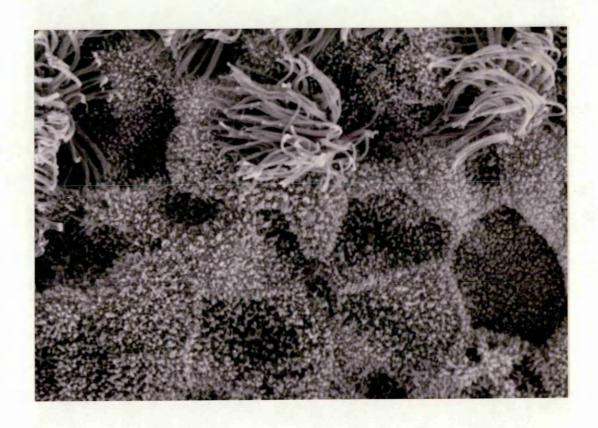
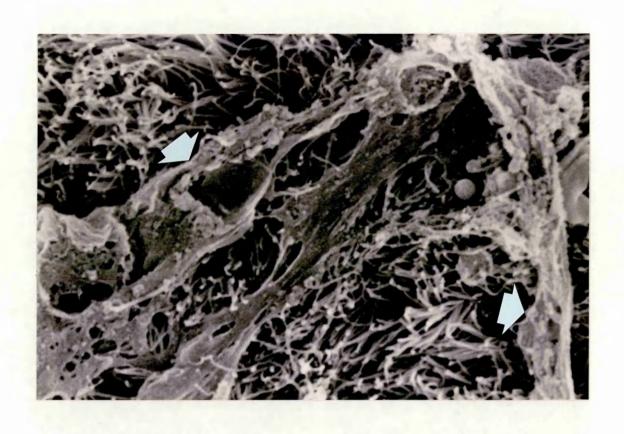


Fig. 6.6 Lobar bronchus. Thick strands of mucus (Arrows) partially obscure the well ciliated surface.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 6.7 Lobar bronchus. Many mucussecreting cells (Arrows)
bulge from the surface between
ciliated cells.
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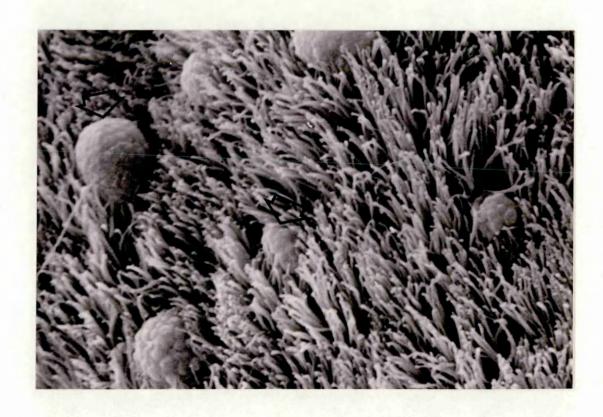


Fig. 6.8 Small bronchus. Nonciliated cells with sparse microvilli lie among the more numerous ciliated cells and give a "moth-eaten" appearance to the surface. This resembles caudal nasal cavity surfaces (See Fig. 4.18).

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 6.9 Small bronchus. A higher power view reveals mucous droplets

(Arrows) below the surface cell membrane of many nonciliated cells. Note that their sparse microvilli tend to be peripheral.

SEM x 10,000



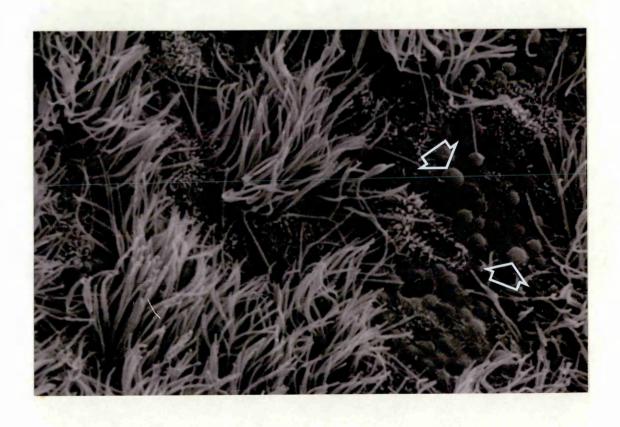


Fig. 6.10 Small bronchus. A flat
nonciliated cell (Asterisk)
with sparse microvilli.
Another cell bulges from the
surface and extrudes a
droplet of mucus (Arrow).
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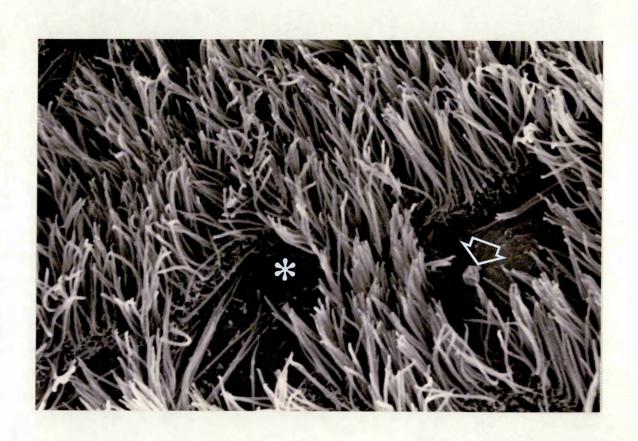


Fig. 6.11 Lung. Interlobular septae

(Arrows) divide the lung

parenchyma into lobules

composed of many alveoli.

Note the small bronchiole (B).

SEM x 80

Fig. 6.12 Lung. Many alveoli surround

a small bronchiole (B) which

branches forming a terminal

bronchiole (T). This in turn

leads into an alveolar duct (D).

SEM x 160



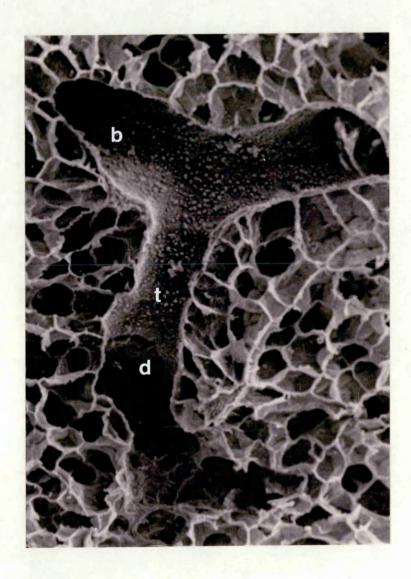


Fig. 6.13 Bronchiole. Ciliated cells and nonciliated bronchiolar epithelial (Clara) cells populate the surface.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 6.14 Bronchiole. Some Clara cells

are distinctly dome-shaped and

project from the surface while

others are flatter. Note the

surface wrinkles and clefts and

stubby microvilli.

The ciliated cells are sparsely

ciliated and their surface

microvilli (Arrows) are clearly

visible.

SEM x 10,000





Fig. 6.15 Lung. Arrows indicate the abrupt junction between a terminal bronchiole (T) and an alveolar duct (D).

SEM x 320

Fig. 6.16 Bronchiole/alveolar duct junction.

A Clara cell (Asterisk) and

ciliated cells (C) lie adjacent to

a Type I pneumocyte (1) of the

alveolar membrane.

The ciliated cells have sparse,

tangled cilia and the wrinkled

surface of the Type I pneumocyte is

studded with stubby microvillous

processes.





Fig. 6.17 Alveolar membrane. Type I

pneumocytes with distinct cell

boundaries (Arrows) cover the

surface which is interrupted by

3 alveolar pores (P).

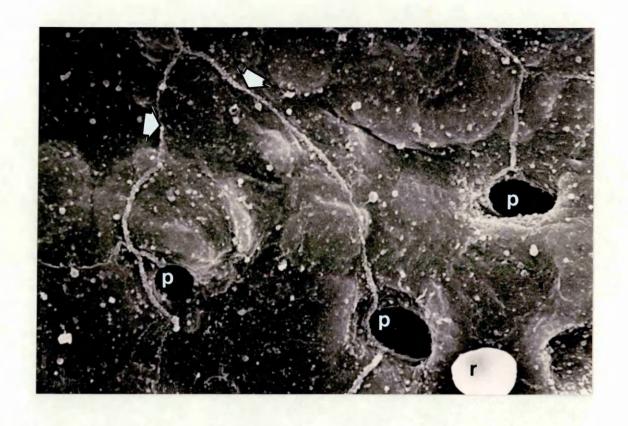
A red blood corpuscle (R) lies

on the alveolar surface.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 6.18 Alveolar membrane. On the left
a capillary bulges from the
surface close to an alveolar
pore. Small microvillous
processes are present on the
surface of the Type I
pneumocytes.

SEM x 10,000



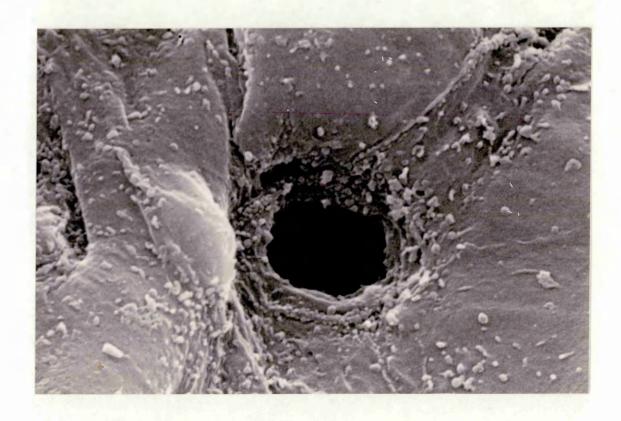


Fig. 6.19 Alveolar membrane. Type I pneumocytes (1) with distinct boundaries (Arrows), 2 Type II pneumocytes (2) and an adjacent alveolar macrophage (M) with uneven surface projections.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 6.20 Alveolar membrane. Type I (1)

and Type II (2) pneumocytes.

Note the peripheral, short

microvilli of the latter, with

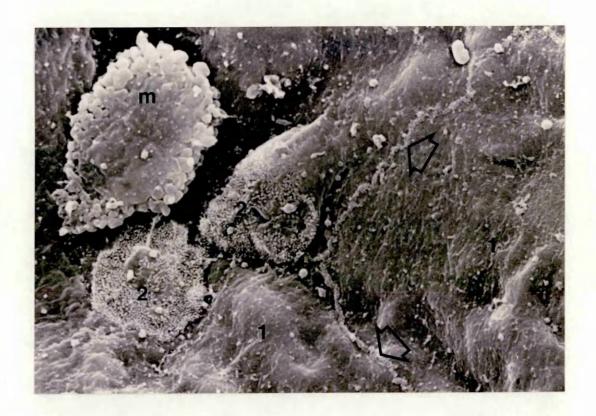
a smoother central area and small

pores (Arrows). An alveolar

macrophage (M) is close to the

edge of an alveolar pore (P).

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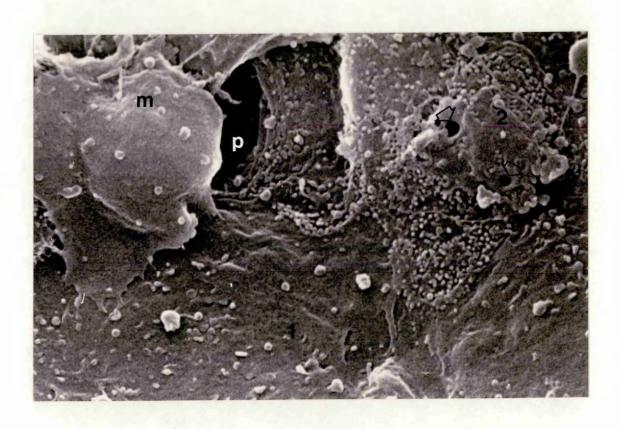


Fig. 6.21 Alveolar membrane. Type I

pneumocyte (1) with irregular

surface and a few stubby

microvillous processes.

Type II (2) pneumocyte with

many more surface microvilli

especially at the periphery of

the cell. Note the surface

pore (Arrow) and a small amount

of secretion (Asterisk).

SEM x 20,000

Fig. 6.22 Alveolar membrane. An alveolar macrophage (M) with long cytoplasmic processes (Arrows) is either emerging from or descending into an alveolar pore.

SEM x 10,000

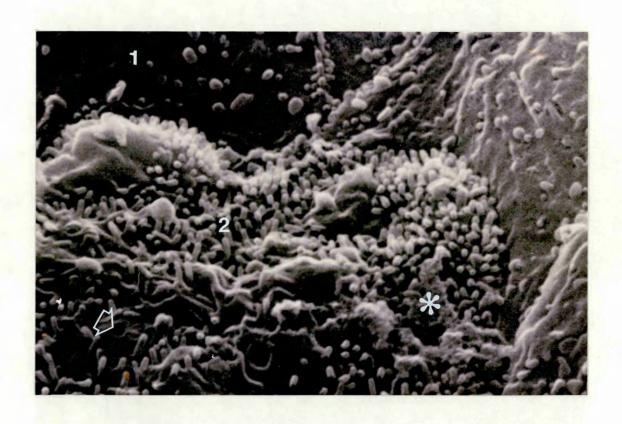


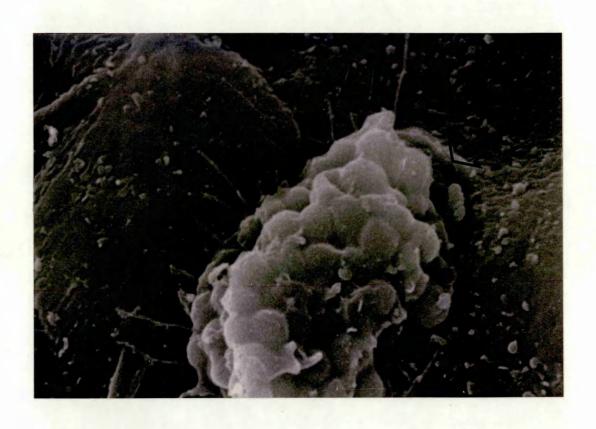


Fig. 6.23 Alveolar membrane. An aveolar macrophage with ruffled surface and slender cytoplasmic processes fills an alveolar pore (Edge marked with arrows).

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 6.24 Alveolar membrane. An alveolar macrophage with a ruffled edge and many cytoplasmic processes is seen close to an alveolar pore (P).

SEM x 10,000



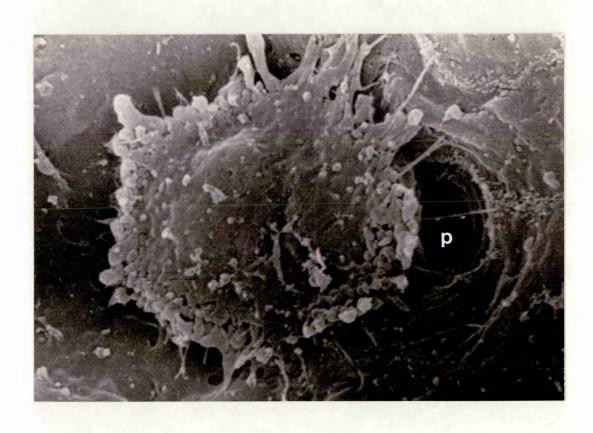


Fig. 6.25 Lung. Alveolar pores (Arrows)

are few in number in a

young, 2 years old horse.

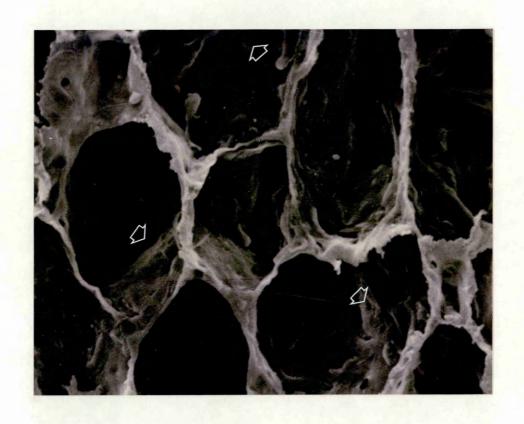
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Fig. 6.26 Lung. Numerous alveolar

pores (Arrows) in an older

animal of 15 years.

SEM x 320



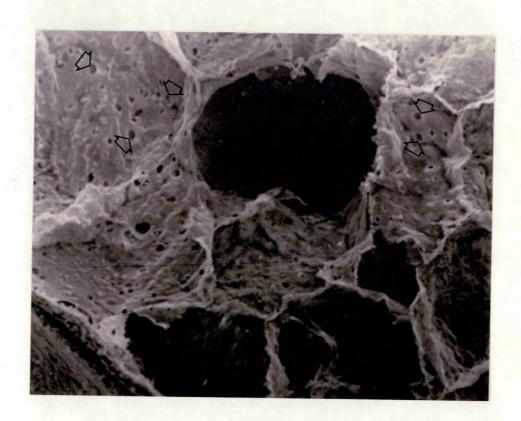


Fig. 6.27 Lung. The wrinkled surface of the pleura (P) covers the lung parenchyma.

SEM x 160

Fig. 6.28 The pleura. Many small microvilli cover the surface of the pleural cells. Cell boundaries are indistinct so individual cells cannot be distinguished.

SEM x 5,000

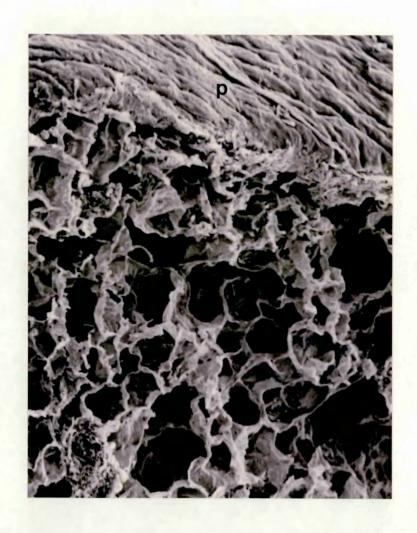




Fig. 6.29 Trachea. Thick pseudostratified columnar ciliated epithelium with mucus-secreting cells covers the surface. A few isolated lymphocytes are present in the lamina propria and within the epithelium (Arrows).

HE x 400

Fig. 6,30 Trachea. Some mucus (Arrows)

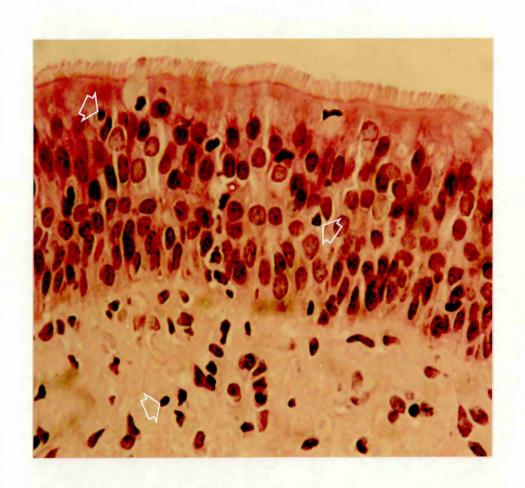
lies on the epithelial surface.

The mucus-secreting cells

contain mostly mixed

mucosubstances.

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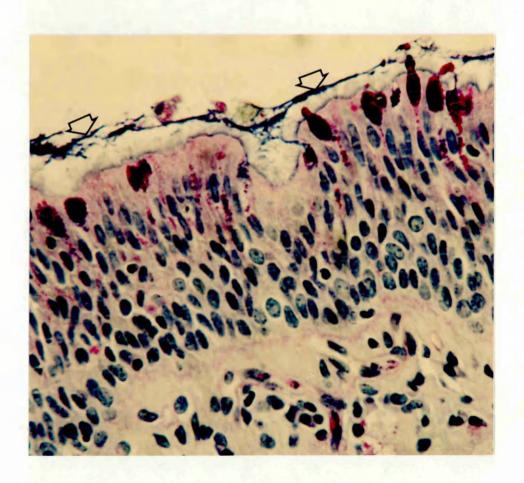
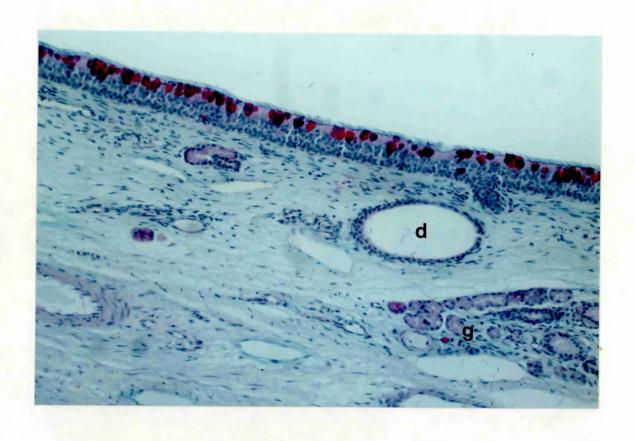


Fig. 6.31 Lobar bronchus. Pseudostratified columnar ciliated epithelium with many mucous cells covers the surface. Sero-mucous glands (G) and their ducts (D) are present below.

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Fig. 6.32 Lung. A terminal bronchiole (T) lined by simple cuboidal epithelium opens into an alveolar duct (A). HE \times 180



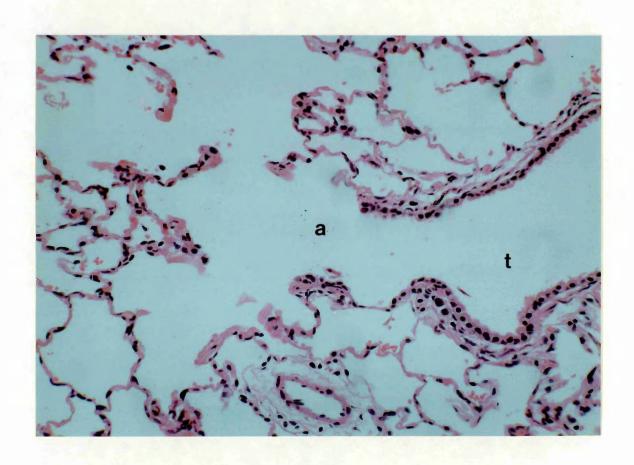


Fig. 6.33 Lung. A small bronchiole in the centre of the picture is lined by ciliated cells and nonciliated Clara Cells (Arrows).

A few alveolar macrophages
(Small arrows) are present within the thin walled alveoli.

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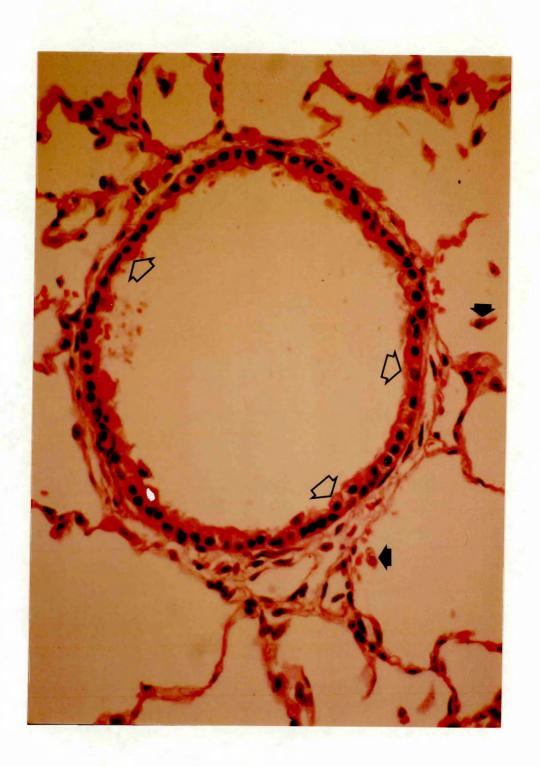


Fig. 6.34 Small bronchus. Ciliated cells (C) and a mucus-secreting cell (M).

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Fig. 6.35 Small bronchus. A mucous cell lies between two ciliated cells. Note mucus discharging from the former (Arrow).

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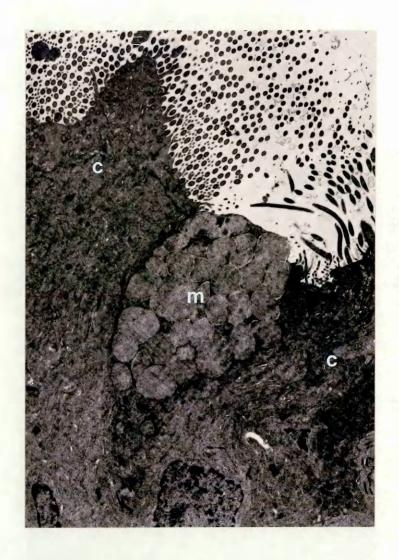




Fig. 6.36 Small bronchus. Ciliated

cells (C) and mucous cells (M)

extend from the basal lamina

(Arrows) to the surface. Note

lymphocytes (L), lying inside

the basal lamina, in the process

of passing through the epithelium.

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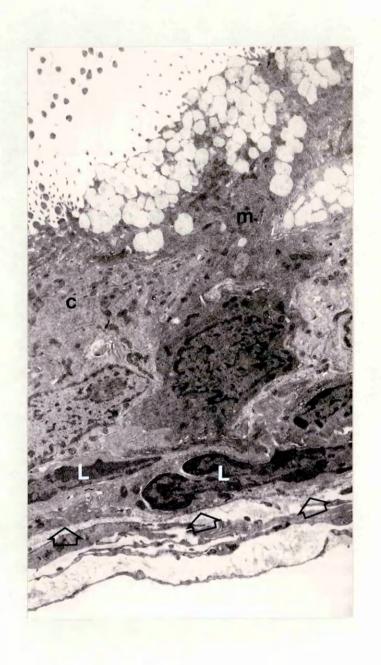


Fig. 6.37 Bronchiole. A Clara cell (Arrow)

bulges from the surface adjacent

to a ciliated cell (C).

The electron lucent clefts are

probably artefacts due to

delayed fixation.

TEM x 8,000

Fig. 6.38 Bronchiole. A typical Clara cell projects from the surface.

Many electron dense granules are present in the apical cytoplasm. The cell rests on the basal lamina (Arrows).

TEM x 10,000



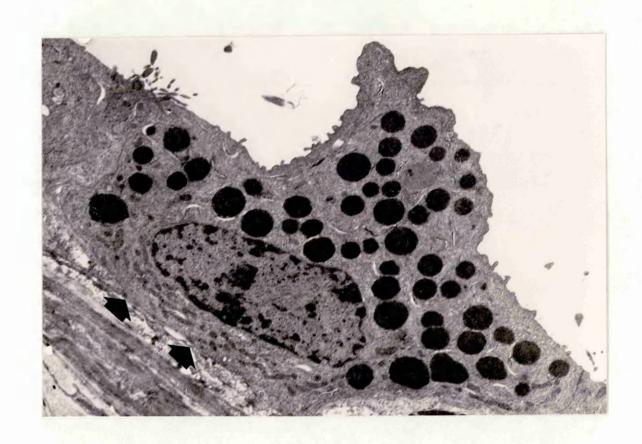


Fig. 6.39 Bronchiole. A Clara cell with abundant smooth endoplasmic reticulum clearly visible in the cytoplasm, particularly in the apical part of the cell where the dense granules are sparse.

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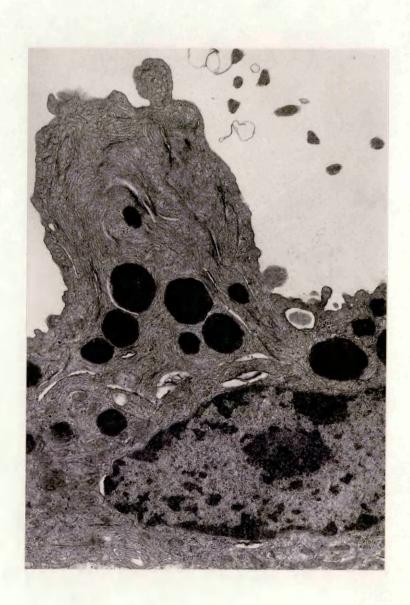


Fig. 6.40 Alveolar membrane. A few stubby microvillous processes (Arrows) project from the surface of the attenuated Type I pneumocyte cytoplasm. Note that the latter is continuous round the edge of an alveolar pore (Asterisk) between the adjacent alveoli (A).

Fig. 6.41 Alveolar membrane. A Type II

pneumocyte bulges into the

alveolus (A). Note the

characteristic osmiophilic

inclusion bodies (Arrows).

The attenuated cytoplasm of a

Type I pneumocyte covers part of

the Type II cell and is joined

to it by a tight junction (Small

arrow).

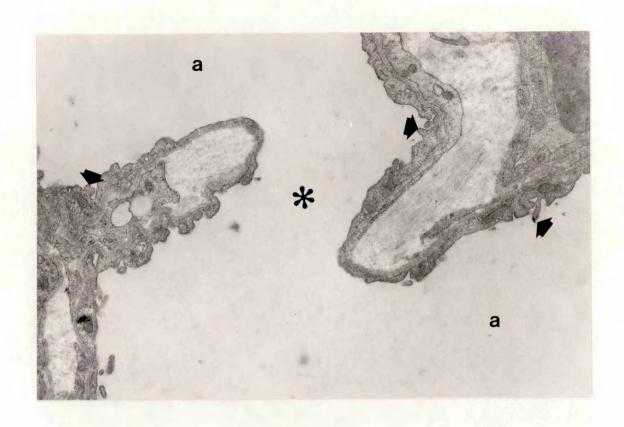




Fig. 6.42 Alveolar membrane. A Type II

pneumocyte with short surface

microvilli and osmiophilic

inclusion bodies (Arrows).

Note one of the latter extruding

through the surface cell

membrane (Small arrow).

Compare this picture with the

SEM appearance of Type II

pneumocytes in Figs. 6.20 and 6.21.

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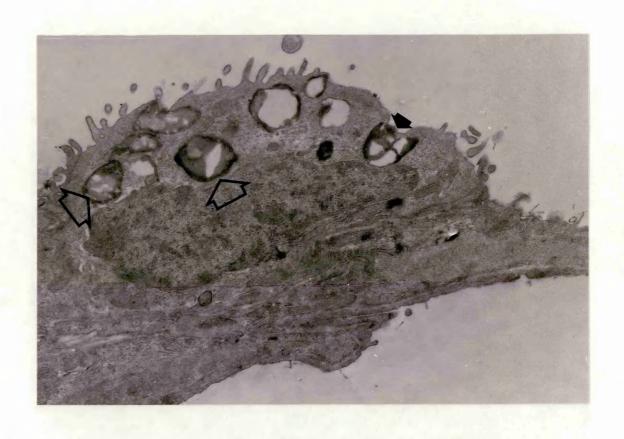
Fig. 6.43 Alveolar membrane. Two

Type II pneumocytes (2) lie

together. Compare this with the

SEM appearance in Fig. 6.19.

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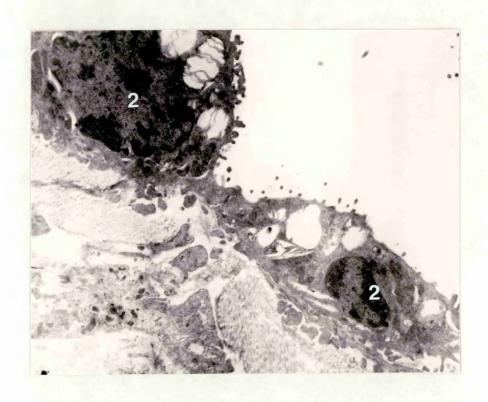


Fig. 6.44 Alveolar membrane. An alveolar macrophage (M) lies over a Type I pneumocyte (1). The former contains many lysosomes and vacuoles, some of which contain osmiophilic lamellar material (Arrows). Note the numerous cytoplasmic projections.

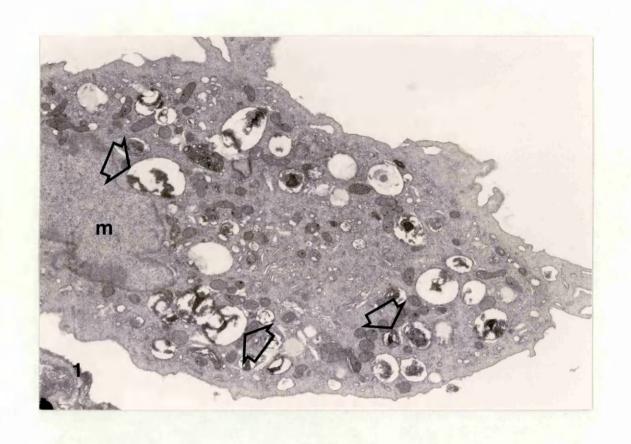
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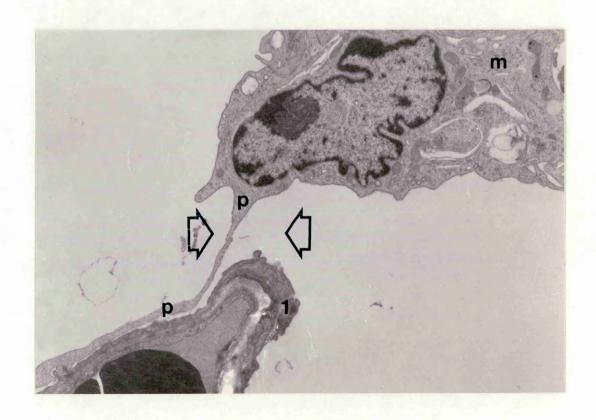
Fig. 6.45 Alveolar membrane. An alveolar macrophage (M) with a long, slender cytoplasmic process (P) bridging an alveolar pore (Arrows).

Note the attenuated cytoplasm of a Type I pneumocyte (1) which continues round the edge of the pore.

Compare the Figures above to the SEM appearance in Figs. 6.20, 6.23 and 6.24.

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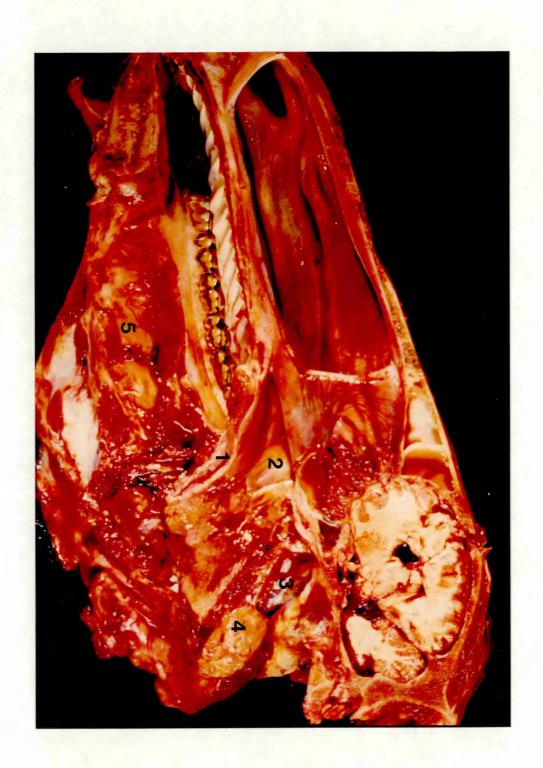




CHAPTER 7

- Fig. 7.1 A sagittal section of the head of a pony affected with Strangles.

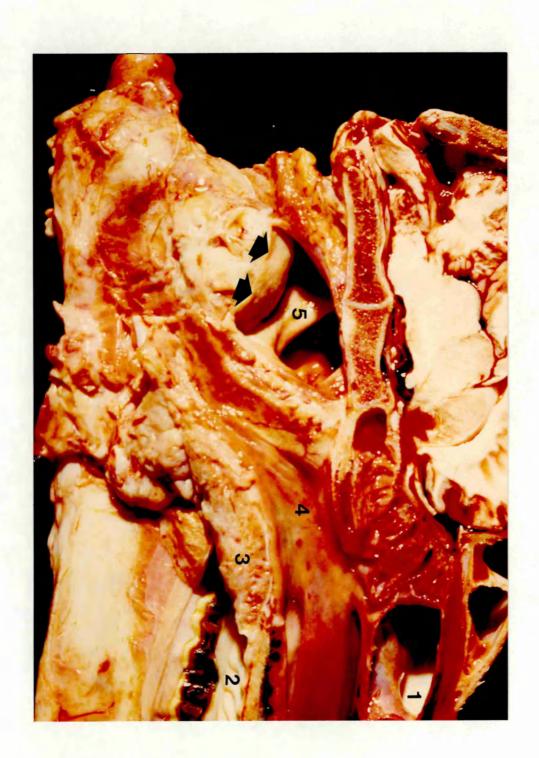
 The tongue, larynx and nasal septum have been removed.
 - 1. Soft palate
 - 2. Nasopharynx
 - 3. Guttural pouch
 - 4. Enlarged retropharyngeal lymph nodes
 - 5. Enlarged mandibular lymph nodes.



- Fig. 7.2 A sagittal section of the caudal region of the head of a pony affected with Strangles. The tongue and larynx have been removed.
 - 1. Hard palate
 - 2. Soft palate
 - 3. Nasopharynx
 - Large abscess in a retropharyngeal lymph node.



- Fig. 7.3 A sagittal section of the caudal region of the head of a pony affected with Strangles. The nasal septum, tongue and larynx have been removed.
 - 1. Conchofrontal sinus
 - 2. Hard palate
 - 3. Soft palate
 - 4. Nasopharynx
 - 5. Guttural pouch
 An abscess bulges into the guttural pouch (Arrows).



- Fig. 7.4 A transverse section of the head of a pony affected with Strangles, at the level of the occipital condyles (looking forward).

 (See Fig. 2.11 for the head of a normal horse).
 - 1. Occipital condyles
 - 2. Pharynx
 - 3. Right guttural pouch
 containing cream coloured
 pus (Asterisk).
 Note the thickened, oedematous
 surrounding tissue (Arrows).

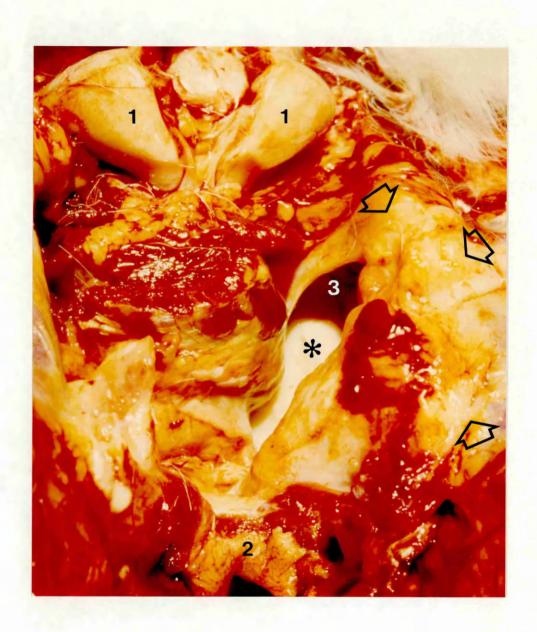


Fig. 7.5 Nasal septum. A group of cocci adhere to the surface of the microvillous cells (left). A higher power view on the right shows the "fuzzy" surface of the bacteria.

SEM x 5,000 and 20,000

Fig. 7.6 Basal fold of the ventral nasal concha. Rod-shaped bacteria adhere to the squamous cells which have microplicae or short microvilli on their surfaces.

SEM x 10,000

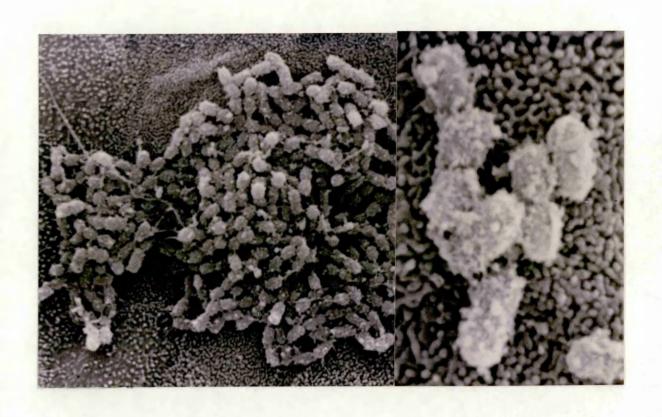
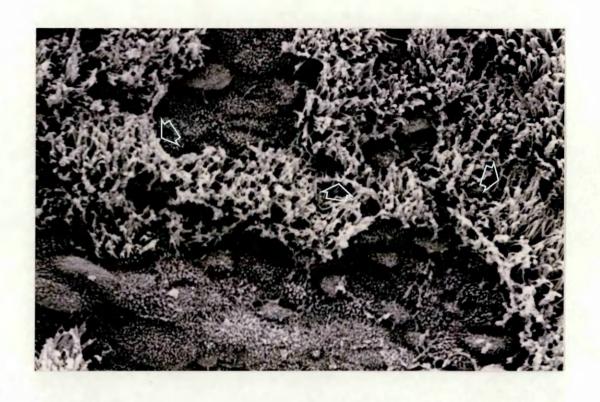




Fig. 7.7 Guttural pouch. Patches of microvillous cells among the ciliated cells. Strands of surface mucus (Arrows) adhere to the cilia.

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 7.8 Pharyngeal opening of the auditory tube. A smooth circumscribed area is raised above the folded mucosal surface. Compare with Fig. 4.29.



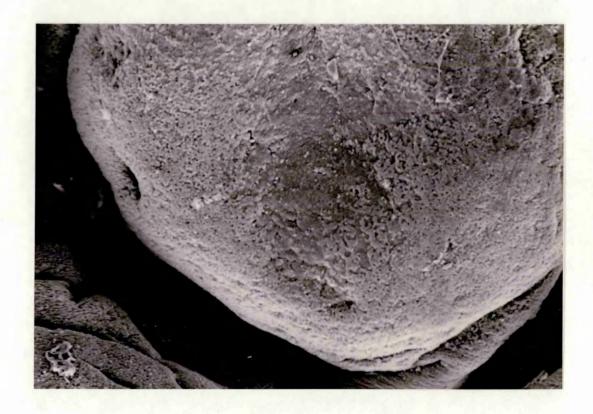


Fig. 7.9 Guttural pouch. Surface

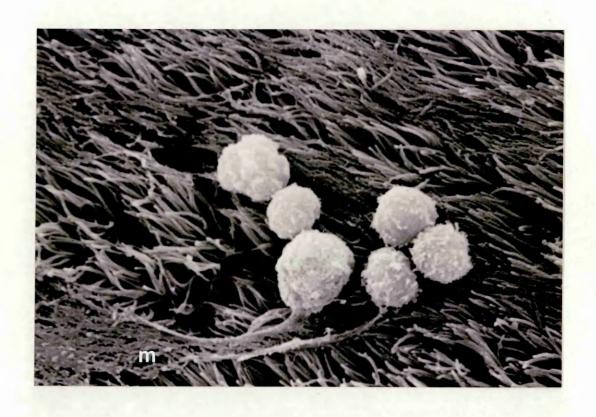
mucus (M) traps a group of

inflammatory cells.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 7.10 Guttural pouch. Microvillous cells and cells with sparse stunted cilia cover the surface.

SEM x 5,000



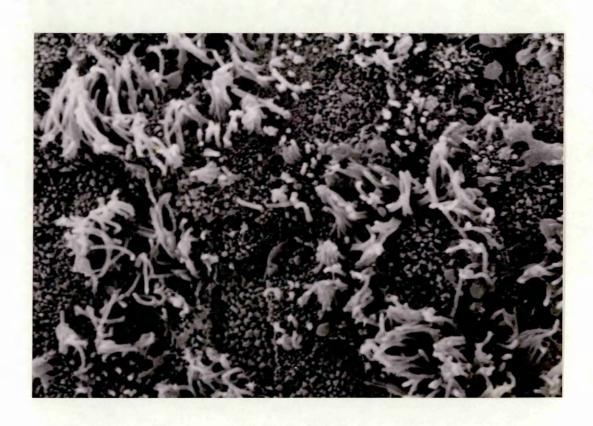


Fig. 7.11 Oral surface of the soft

palate. Squamous cells with

distinct boundaries are

obscured in places by large

numbers of adherent cocci.

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 7.12 Oral surface of the soft palate.

Numerous cocci, either as single

cells or diplococci (Arrows)

adhere to the squamous cells.

Note the surface microplicae

of the latter.

The bacteria have fewer surface

filaments and appear smoother

than those illustrated in Fig. 7.5 .

SEM x 10,000



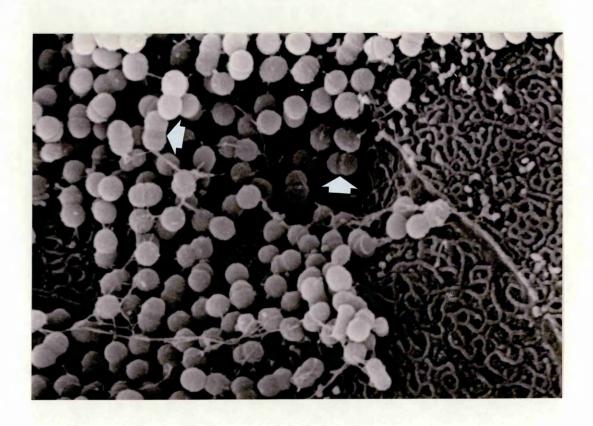


Fig. 7.13 Lobar bronchus. The ciliated surface is interrupted by patches of nonciliated microvillous cells.

SEM x 1,280

Fig. 7.14 Small bronchus. Ciliated

cells and patches of

nonciliated microvillous cells

(left). On the right a single

ciliated cell remains among

microvillous cells.

Note the mucous cells (Arrows).

SEM x 1,280 and 5,000



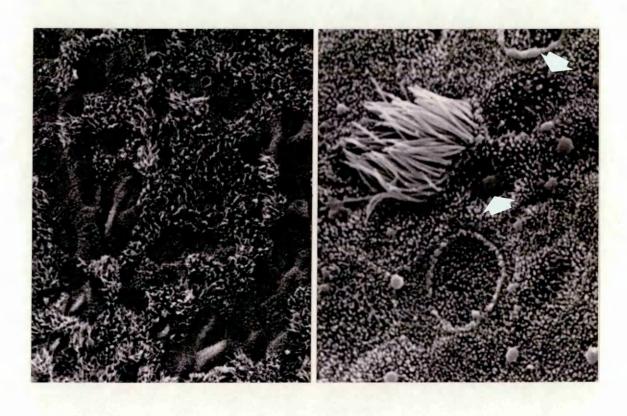
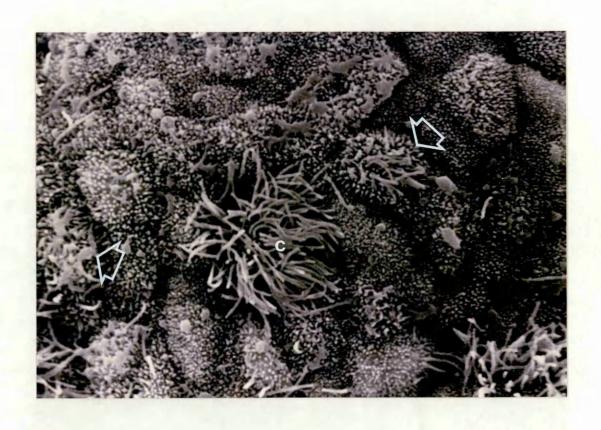


Fig. 7.15 Dorsal nasal concha. Loss of surface ciliation with one apparently normal ciliated cell remaining (C) among microvillous cells and cells with damaged cilia (Arrows).

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 7.16 Dorsal nasal concha. On the left cells with microvilli and single cilia (Arrows). A red blood corpuscle (R) lies on a ciliated cell. On the right stunted cilia are coated with mucus.





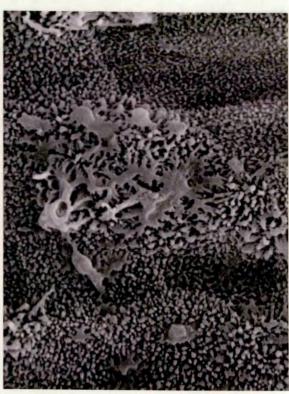


Fig. 7.17 Nasopharynx. Circumscribed smooth areas project from the folded mucosal surface.

Compare with similar features in the guttural pouch (Fig. 4.29) and auditory tube (Fig. 7.8).

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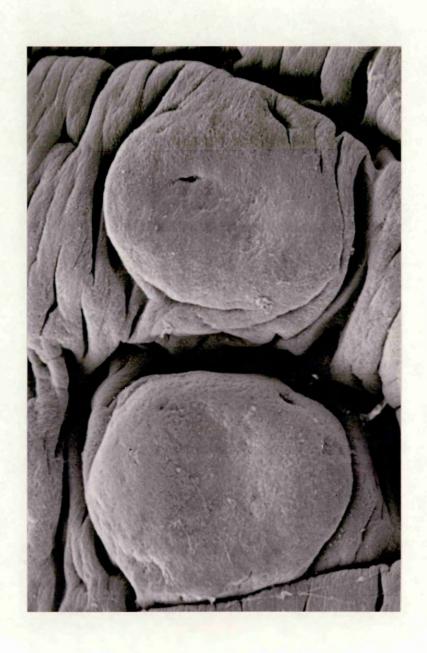


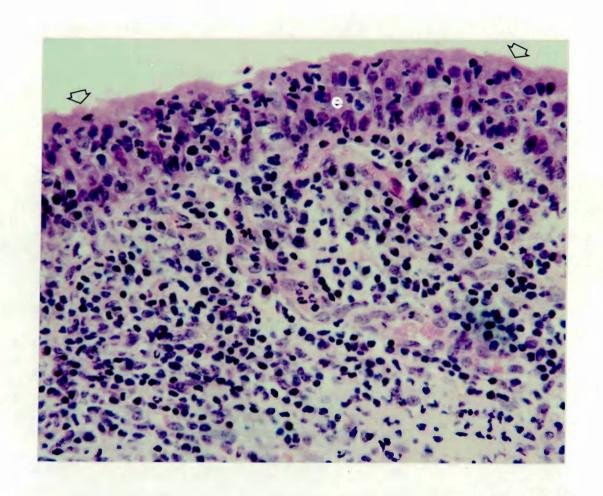
Fig. 7.18 Nasopharynx. A stratified cuboidal type of epithelium with a few surface ciliated cells (Arrows), covers the surface.

Many cells (lymphocytes, plasma cells and neutrophils) have infiltrated the lamina propria and some can be seen within the epithelium.

HE x 250

Fig. 7.19 Nasopharynx. A lymphoid follicle
with a germinal centre (Arrows) has
developed in the lamina propria.
Cells (mainly lymphocytes and a few
neutrophils) are seen migrating
through the epithelium and
accumulate on the surface (Small
arrows).

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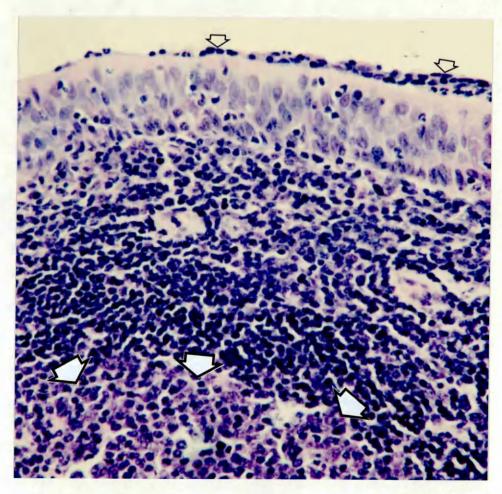


Fig. 7.20 Guttural pouch. There is a

massive cellular infiltration

of the subepithelial tissue.

Inflammatory cells can be seen

migrating through the epithelium

(E) and many lie on the surface

(Arrows).

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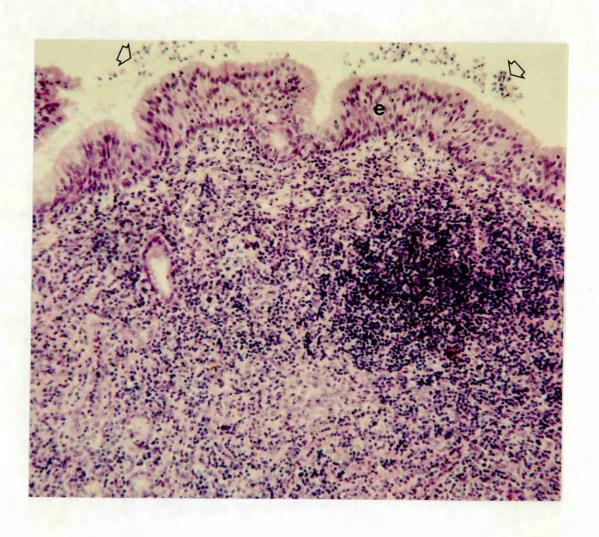


Fig. 7.21 Oral surface of the soft palate.

Lymphoid follicles (L) with

germinal centres lie below the

stratified squamous epithelium (E).

Note the mucosal glands (G) and

their ducts (D).

HE x 100

Fig. 7.22 Oral surface of the soft palate.

The outer layers of the stratified squamous epithelium. Many groups of gram positive cocci (Arrows) adhere to the surface squamous cells.

This was also an SEM feature (See Fig. 7.11 and Fig. 7.12).

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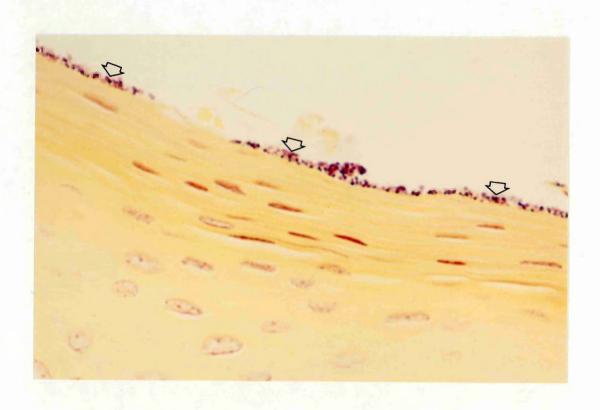
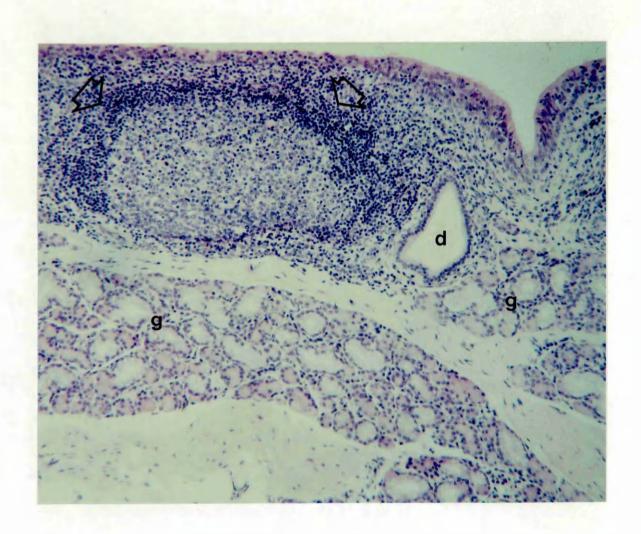


Fig. 7.23 Nasopharynx. Follicular
lymphoid hyperplasia (Arrows)
with a germinal centre. Many
glands (G) and a gland duct (D)
are present.
HE x 180



CHAPTER 8

- Fig. 8.1 Diagram of a dorsal view of the lungs of a horse with sample sites indicated by black squares for SEM and red squares for light microscopy.
 - 1. Cranial segmental bronchus
 - 2. Caudal segmental bronchus
 - 3. Caudal small bronchus
 - 4 and 5. Lung slices

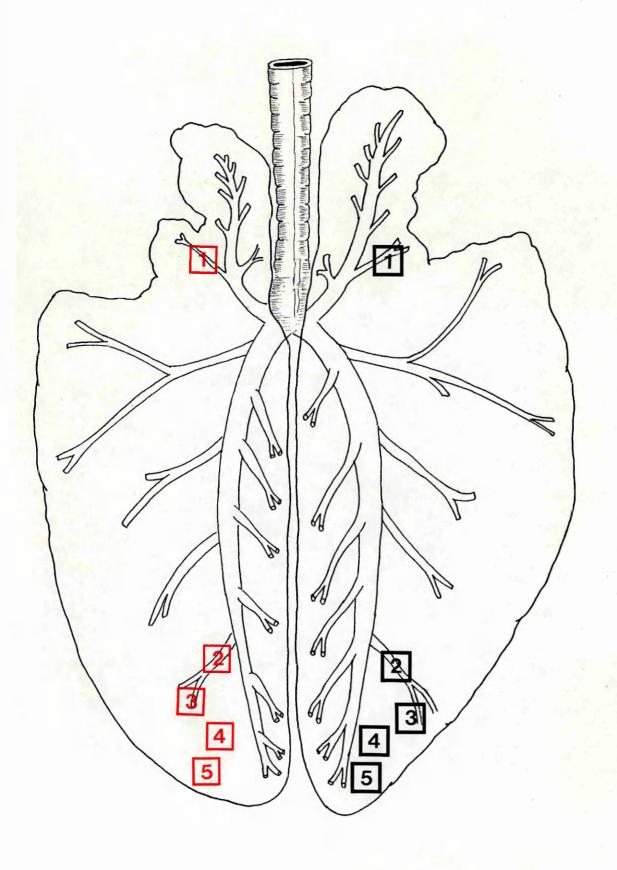


Fig. 8.2 Left lung of a horse affected
with chronic obstructive pulmonary
disease. The whole lung is
overinflated and costal
impressions can be seen on the
dorsal border of the caudal lobe
(Arrows). Puffy raised areas in
the cranial lobe and ventral
border of the caudal lobe are
indicated by asterisks.

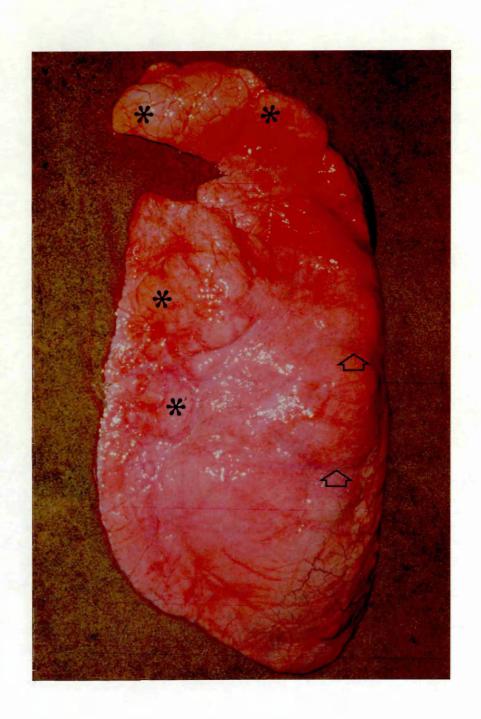


Fig. 8.3 Left lung and heart of a horse affected with chronic obstructive pulmonary disease. The lung is overinflated and pale.

Note the fibrous tags on the ventral border of the caudal lobe (Arrow).

Compare the appearance of the lungs in Figs. 8.2 and 8.3 with those of normal horses illustrated in Figs. 2.14 and 2.15.

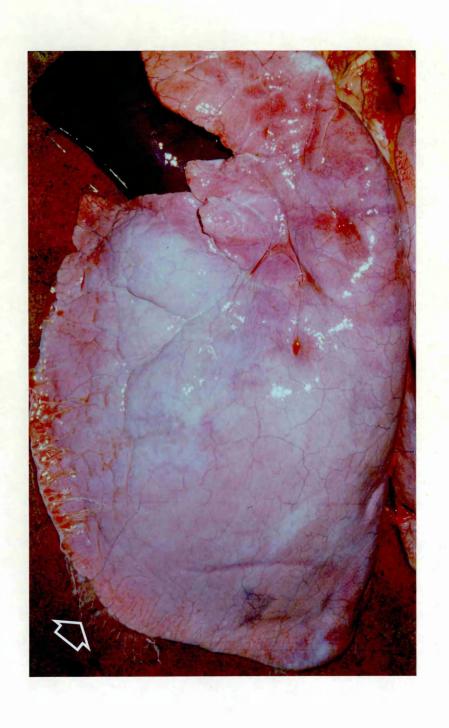


Fig. 8.4 Larynx. The usual well ciliated surface is interrupted by patches of microvillous cells.

SEM x 2,500

Fig. 8.5 Lobar bronchus. Microvillous and poorly ciliated cells. SEM \times 2,500



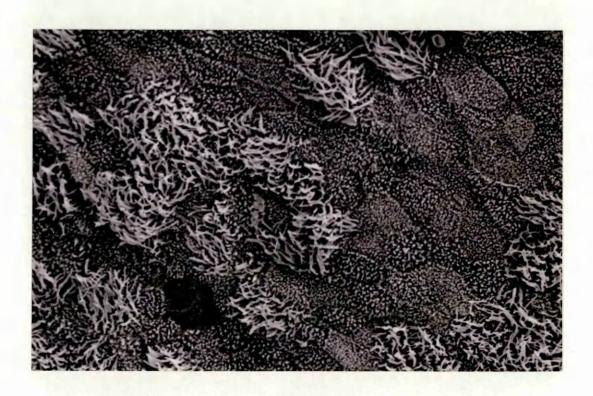
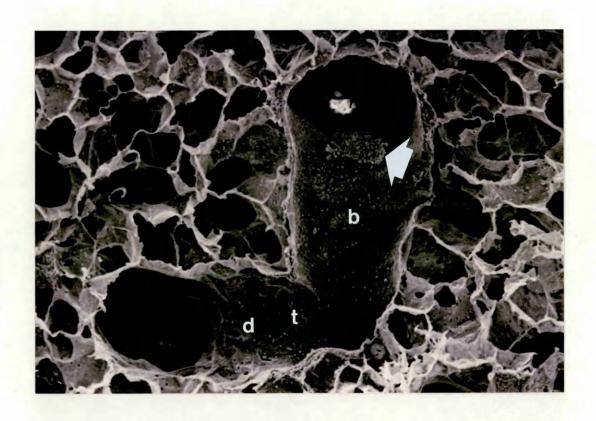


Fig. 8.6 Lung. A bronchiole (B) with inflammatory exudate (Arrow) lying on the surface. A terminal bronchiole (T) opens into an alveolar duct (D).

SEM x 160

Fig. 8.7 Lung. Mucus (Arrows) which has trapped cell debris, obscures the junction of a terminal bronchiole (T) and alveolar duct (D).

SEM x 640



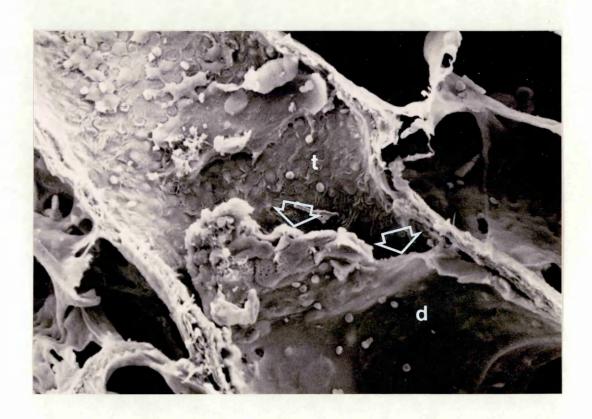


Fig. 8.8 Bronchiole. Mucus in the lumen traps many degenerate cells, most of which are probably neutrophils and a few desquamated epithelial cells.

SEM \times 1,280

Fig. 8.9 Bronchiole. A higher power

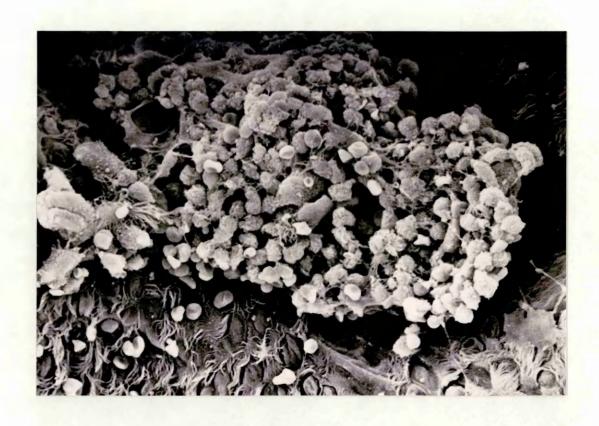
view showing degenerate

neutrophils (N) and red blood

corpuscles (R) caught in strands

of mucus (Arrows).

SEM x 5,000



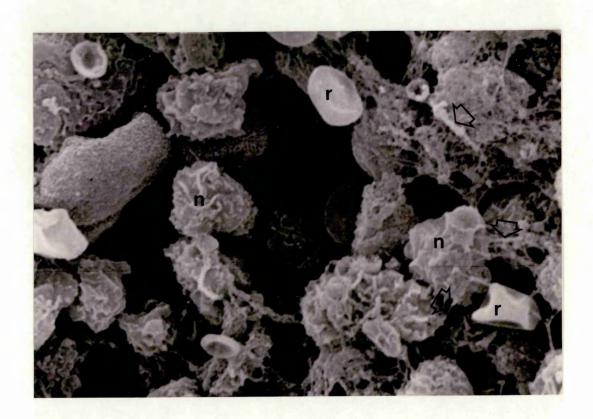


Fig. 8.10 Bronchiole. A mucus plaque (M)

adheres to the surface. Some

ciliated cells have a few

peripherally disposed cilia

(Arrows) and the Clara cells (C)

appear flat.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 8.11 Bronchiole. Note the crumpled, collapsed appearance of many of the Clara cells.

Compare the Figures above to the appearance of bronchioles in normal horses in Figs. 6.13 and 6.14.

SEM x 5,000





Fig. 8.12 Bronchiole. A macrophage (M)

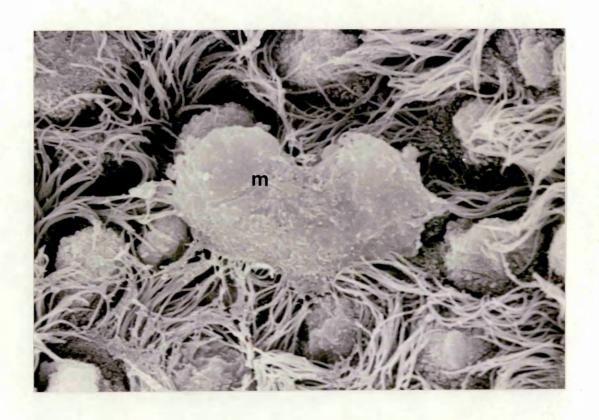
with a few short cytoplasmic

extensions lies on the

surface.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 8.13 Bronchiole/alveolar duct
junction. The macrophages (M)
lie at the junction. Note the
Type II pneumocytes (2) and
alveolar pore (P).
(See also Fig. 8.19).
SEM x 2,500



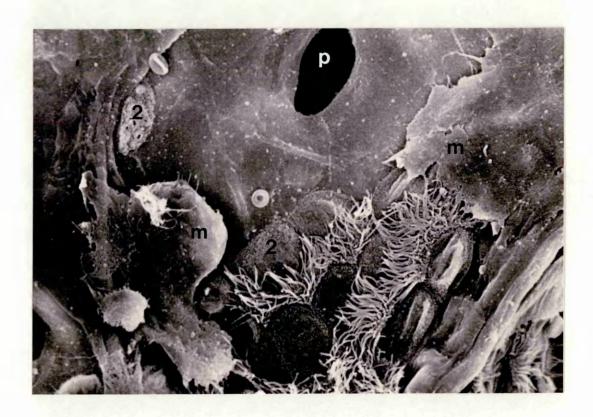


Fig. 8.14 Lung. Areas of overinflation

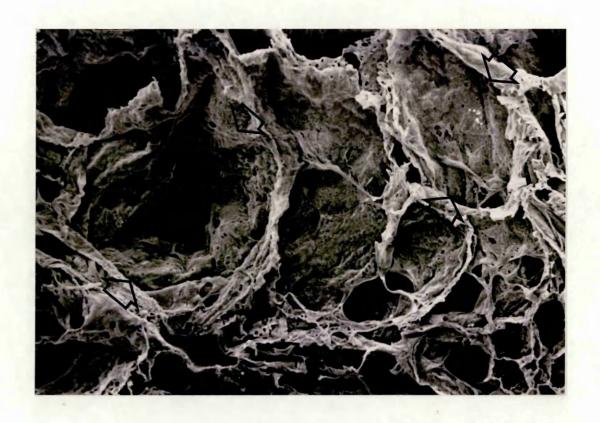
(Arrows) where normal alveolar structure is lost. Compare with the lung of a normal horse in Fig. 6.11.

SEM x 80

Fig. 8.15 Lung. Localized areas of emphysema (Arrows) directly below the pleura (P).

Compare with the normal subpleural structure in Fig. 6.27.

SEM x 80



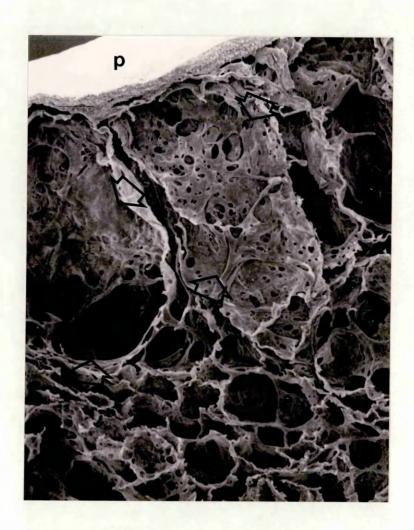


Fig. 8.16 Lung. Many alveolar pores

(Arrows) are present in

affected areas.

SEM x 320

Fig. 8.17 Lung. An area of

overinflation with loss of

normal alveolar structure.

Note the numerous alveolar

pores and their varied size

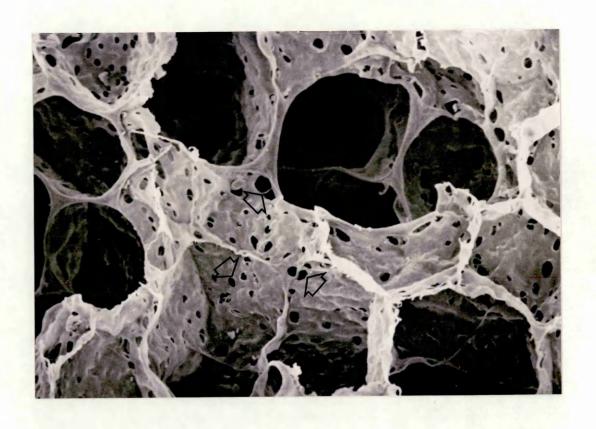
and shape (Arrows).

Compare the Figures above with

normal lung structure in Figs.

6.25 and 6.26.

SEM x 160



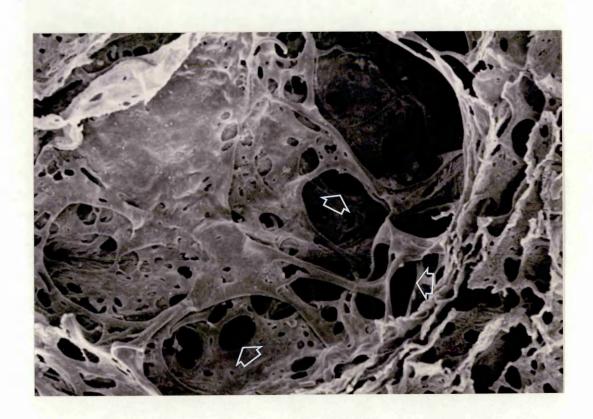


Fig. 8.18 Alveolar membrane. A sheet

of mucous exudate (M) almost

obscures the surface. Part

of a Type I pneumocyte (1)

and an alveolar pore (P) are

visible.

SEM x 5,000

Fig. 8.19 Alveolar duct/terminal bronchiole junction. Ciliated cells (C) are adjacent to several Type II pneumocytes (2). Macrophages (M) are also present in this area.

An obvious cell boundary (Arrow) marks the junction of 2 Type I pneumocytes.

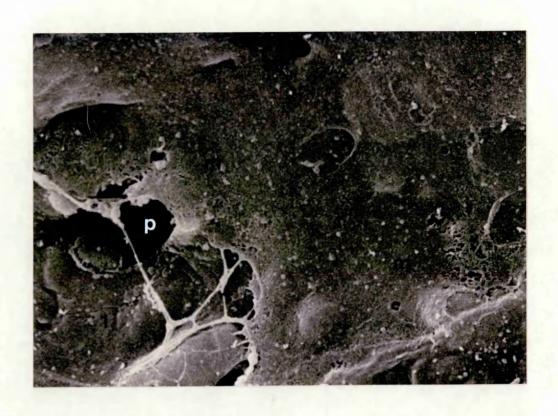




Fig. 8.20 Alveolar membrane. A Type II pneumocyte, in the centre of the picture, has many central pores. Compare with the appearance of a Type II pneumocyte in a normal horse (Fig. 6.20).

SEM x 10,000

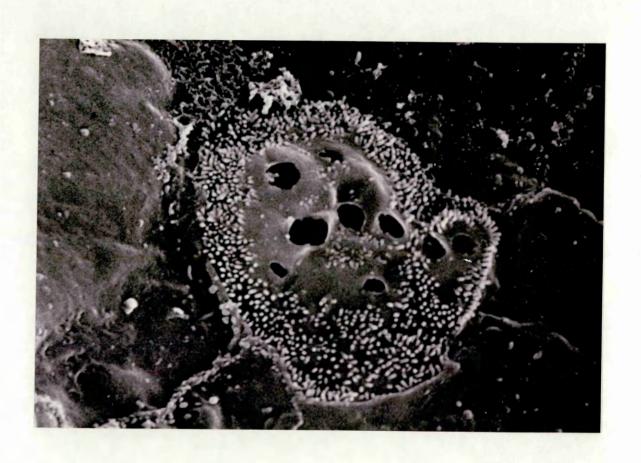


Fig. 8.21 Alveolar membrane. Degenerate

Type II pneumocytes (2) with

macrophages (M) in close

proximity. Note the latter's

cytoplasmic processes (Arrows)

extending towards the

degenerate cells.

SEM x 10,000

Fig. 8.22 Alveolar membrane. A

degenerate Type II pneumocyte

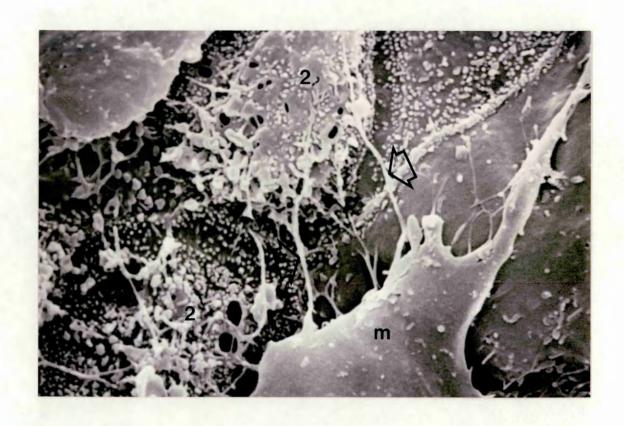
(2) appears to be in the process

of sloughing off the surface.

A capillary (C) bulges into the

alveolar space.

SEM x 10,000



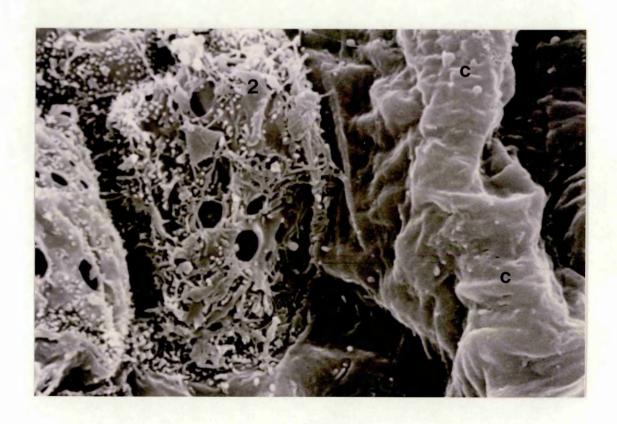


Fig. 8.23 Lung. The lumen of a small bronchus containing inflammatory exudate (Arrow).

HE x 80

Fig. 8.24 Bronchiole. The epithelium (E)

is hyperplastic (2 - 3 cells

deep) and peribronchiolar

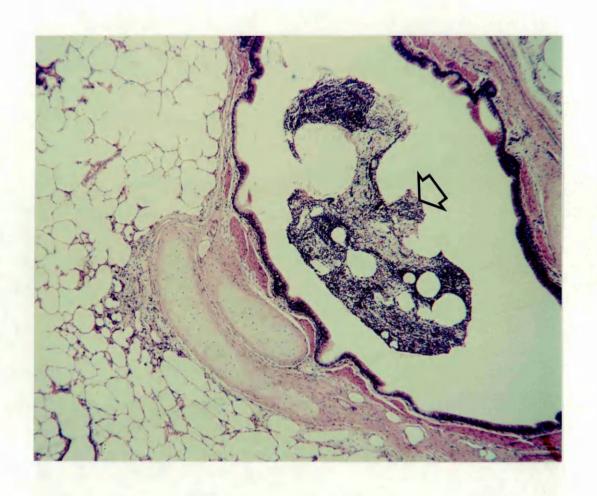
connective tissue is thickened

and contains many mononuclear

cells (Arrows). Compare with

a normal bronchiole in Fig. 6.33.

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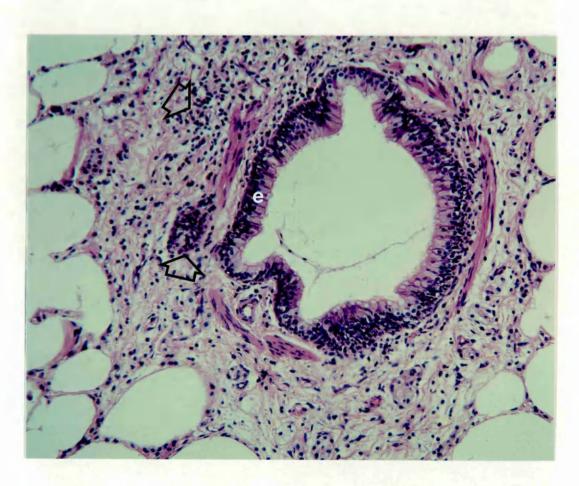


Fig. 8.25 Bronchiole. Epithelial surface cells contain mostly acidic mucosubstances.

AB-PAS x 180

Fig. 8.26 Bronchiole. Note the

hyperplastic epithelium (E)

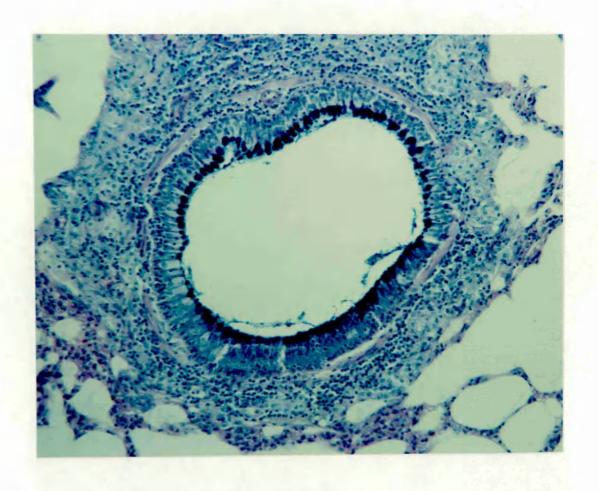
and peribronchiolar cellular

infiltration (Arrows). The

lumen contains mucus and

neutrophils.

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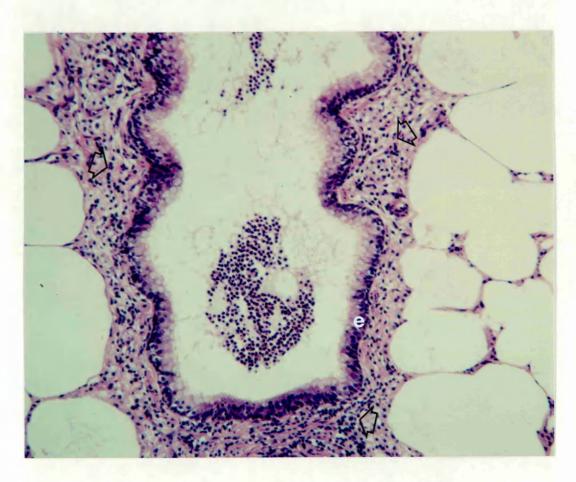


Fig. 8.27 Bronchiole. A plug of

mucus and inflammatory cells

almost fills the lumen (L).

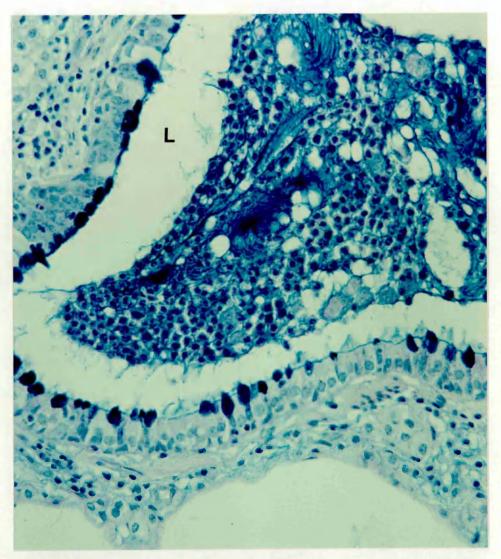
Many epithelial surface cells

contain mucus.

AB-PAS x 250

Fig. 8.28 Lung. Focal areas of emphysema
(Arrows) are present just below
the pleura. This is comparable
with the SEM appearance in
Fig. 8.15.

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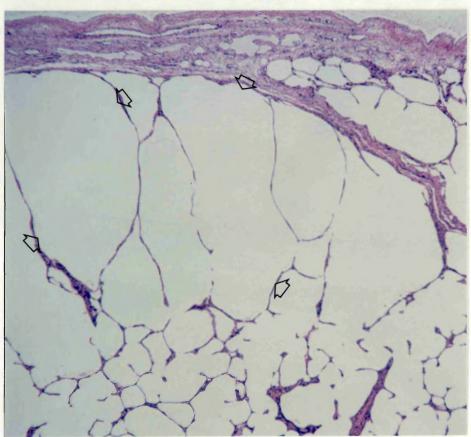


Fig. 8.29 Bronchiole. Hyperplastic
epithelium with ciliated cells (C)
and nonciliated bronchiolar
epithelial (Clara) cells (N) on
the surface. The latter have few
cytoplasmic granules. Basal cells
rest on the basal lamina (Arrows).
Note a lymphocyte (L) lying
within the latter.
TEM x 5,400

Fig. 8.30 Bronchiole. Hyperplastic

epithelium with 2 Clara cells (C),

less protuberant than usual, on

the surface.

Note the varied size of their

cytoplasmic granules which are

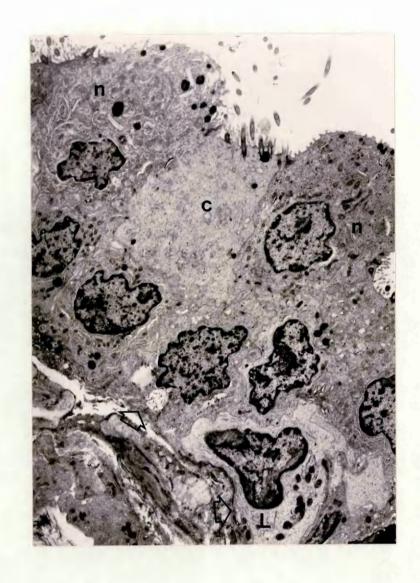
few in number in the cell on the

left. Many cytoplasmic

interdigitations (Arrows) are

present between adjacent cells.

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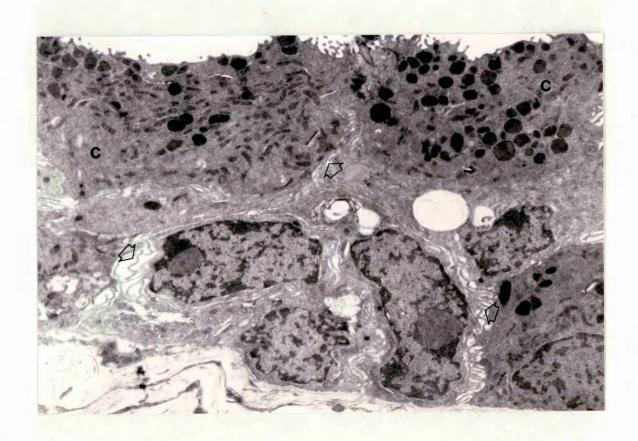


Fig. 8.31 Bronchiole. A ciliated cell with large cytoplasmic vacuoles (Arrows) which contain membranous remnants and fine granular mucus-like material.

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Fig. 8.32 Bronchiole. A ciliated cell with homogeneous lipid-like droplets (Arrows) in the cytoplasm.

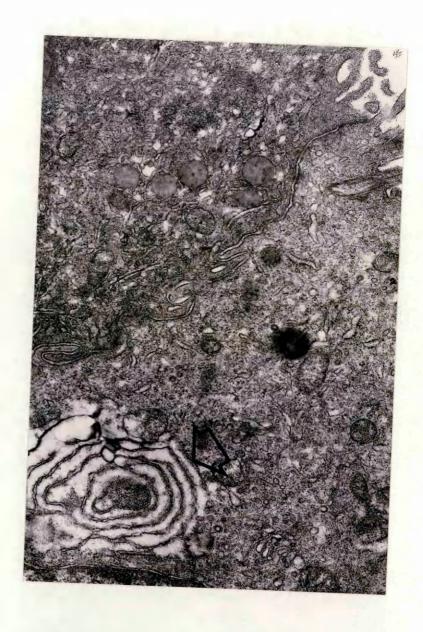
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Fig. 8.33 Bronchiole. Myelin configuration (Arrow) in a ciliated cell. $\text{TEM} \times 28,000$

Fig. 8.34 Bronchiole. A ciliated cell
with a large amount of cytoplasmic
glycogen (Arrow). Smaller deposits
are also present in the adjacent
Clara cell (Small arrows).
The electron-lucent clefts are
probably artefacts due to delayed
fixation.

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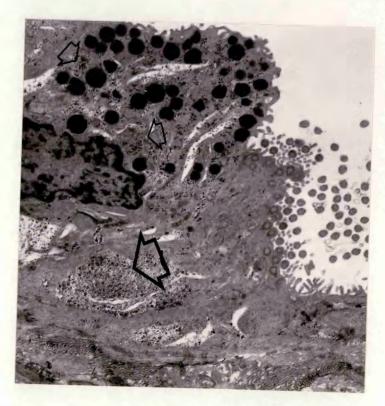


Fig. 8.35 Bronchiole. An agranular

Clara cell (C) is adjacent to

ciliated cells on the surface

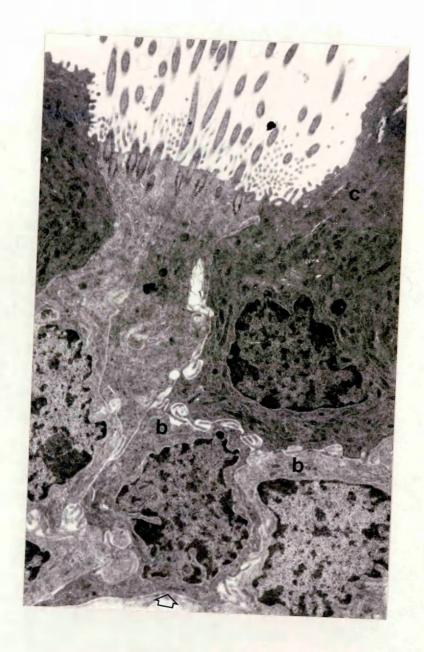
and rests on 2 basal cells (B).

Arrow indicates the basal

lamina.

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Fig. 8.36 Bronchiole. A Clara cell
with very few granules (Arrows),
and a large amount of smooth
endoplasmic reticulum. The former
appear less electron-dense than
normal. Compare the Figures
above with Clara cells in normal
horses (Figs. 6.37 and 6.38).
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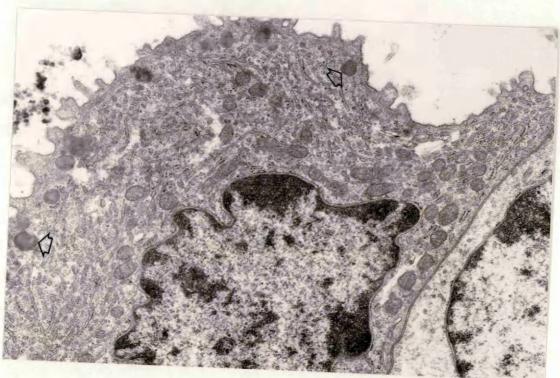


Fig. 8.37 Bronchiole. A ciliated cell (C)

flanked by mucus-secreting cells

(M) on the surface. Below are

basal cells (B) and a lymphocyte

(Arrow).

TEM x 8,000

Fig. 8.38 Bronchiole. Cells containing mucous granules (Arrows).

Note the floccular appearance of the latter.

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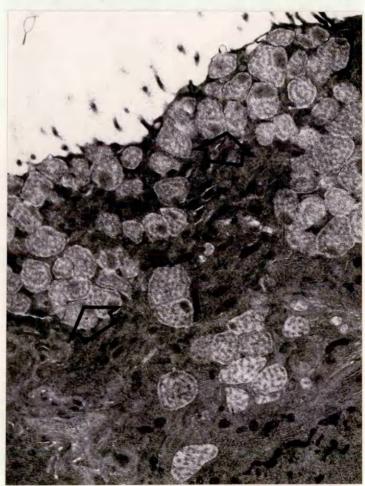


Fig. 8.39 Alveolar membrane. Four Type II

pneumocytes (Arrows) lying

adjacent to each other. A portion

of an alveolar macrophage (M)

is visible.

TEM x 5,400

Fig. 8.40 Alveolar membrane. Type II

pneumocytes (2) in adjacent

alveoli. Note the empty

appearance of the cytoplasmic

vacuoles (Arrows). Collagen

(Asterisks) is prominant in the

alveolar septum.

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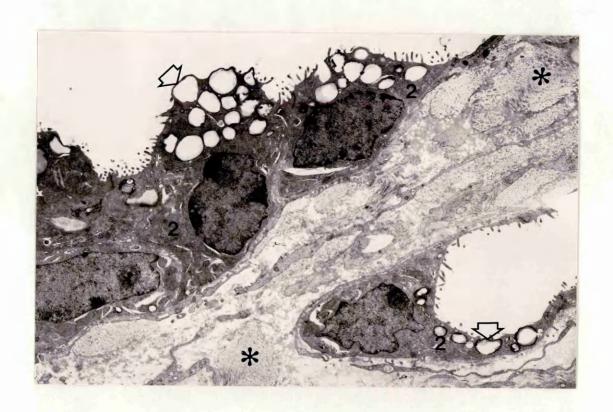


Fig. 8.41 Alveolar membrane. A large number of enlarged, almost empty vacuoles (Arrows) in the cytoplasm of a Type II pneumocyte.

TEM x 8,000

Fig. 8.42 Alveolar membrane. Alveolar macrophages (M) in close proximity to an alveolar pore (Arrow) which is flanked by 2 Type II pneumocytes.

TEM x 7.400



