

ENDOCARDITIS. } ACUTE-INFECTIVE. HEART. 16

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Acute infective (recurrent) endocarditis of aortic and mitral valves. Blocking of the stenosed mitral valve by a mass of vegetations resembling a ~~hyge~~ huge clot. Fusion of aortic cusps with perforation of one segment.

The specimen consists of the lower portion of the left auricle and the upper part of the left ventricle showing the diseased mitral and aortic valves.