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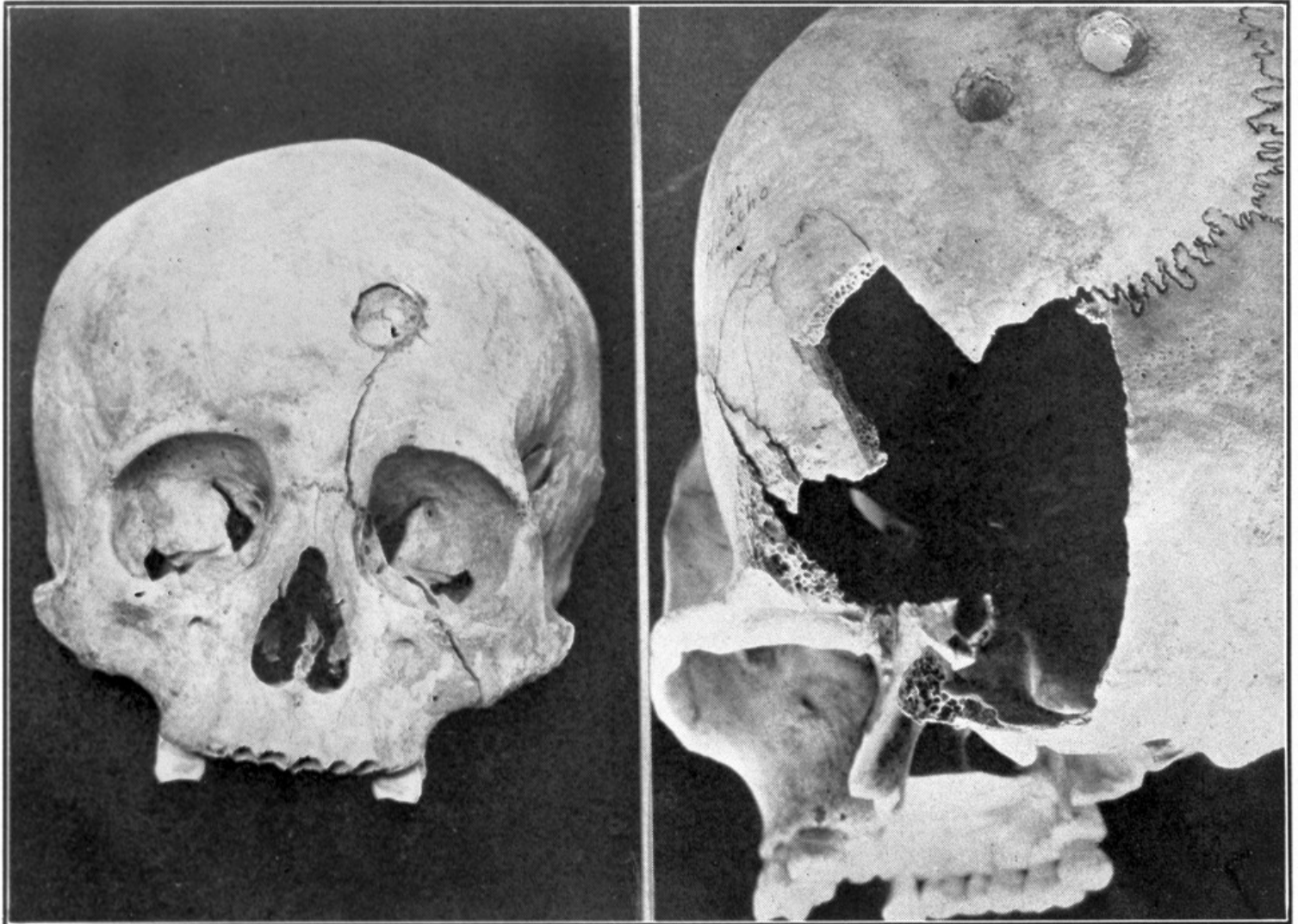


FIG. 19. INJURIES RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF "TREPHINING" IN ANCIENT PERU. *Left:* SLING-SHOT INJURY WITH DESCENDING LINEAR FRACTURE TO ORBIT, PRODUCING A DEPRESSED FRACTURE, RELIEVED BY TREPHINING. *Right:* SKULL NO. 42, SAN DIEGO MUSEUM, FROM HUACHO, PERU, SHOWING TWO SLING-SHOT INJURIES, ABOVE, AND A HUGE, MORTAL INJURY FROM A MACE, BELOW.