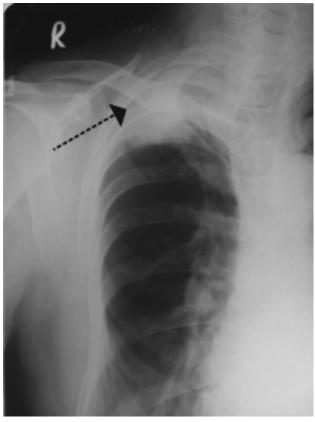
Answer

Posterior Chest wall lipoma (bold arrow).

The Left lower zone opacity turned out to be a posterior chest wall lipoma which was embedded deep beneath the chest wall musculature and could only be made prominent by deep palpation. A non silhouetting opacity adjacent to cardiac shadow need not always necessarily be an intra thoracic posterior lesion, as chest wall swellings cast similar shadows in a PA projection. He also had a fracture malunion of the right clavicle (interrupted arrow). Though the patient had carcinoma lung to account for his right upper lobe opacity he also had two co existent radiological abnormalities which were incidental findings emphasising the need for systematic reading of chest radiographs.



Posterior chest wall lipoma



Incidental finding of malunion fracture right clavicle