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Cleared stairway of Pyr. X. In spite of the hardness of the debris, the chamber has been plundered and there appears to be a sand filled plunderers' hold at the N. end. The upper part of this sand was, however, extremely hard.

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Finished stairway of XI. There are 69 steps. The N. end is 4.20 m wide at the bottom and 10.85 m deep. The distance from the lowest step to the N. wall is 3.75 m. The whole stair contained bet. 400 and 500 tons of dirt.

The entrance was blocked originally with mud brick. The thieves broke away the whole upper part of the doorway as well as the door block and also a great area of the rock above the door. The lower part of the thieves break is filled with stones and red brick bats. The upper part with hard laminated