

(Jan. 26) drift sand, laid down in fine layers. The upper 50 cm is extremely hard, like old alluvial mud, but below, the sand is softer (but firm). The walls of the shaft are weather worn. It is clear that the shaft has (after the plundering of the chamber) stood open for years (100-200 yrs) and been gradually filled in by drift sand.

(3) Began clearing at SW corner of Pyr. XIII Cailliaud has

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only 3 pyramids here l, m, n; but there are four.

(4) Cleared the back (N) of XV and part of the face (S) uncovering the entrance.

(5) Cleared the chamber of XVII

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