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Feb 14th (Cont).

(2) B 904

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Cleared away debris visible in "SE" corner room 904, where pavement is broken. The floor and part of the "S" wall appeared to have been broken by treasure hunters. After removing disturbed material a line of disturbed stones was seen about 60 cm below base of crude brick wall ("S" wall of B 900).

There were one or two stones higher up. These stones must have lain thus before the construction of B 904. [Drawing]

Feb 15th 1920 Sunday

59th Day of work: --

96 Locals

Work on (1) B 501 "S" + "SW"

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Work today in areas V 1, V 2, VI 1, VI 2, VI 3, VII 1, VIII 1, VIII 2, VIII 3, IX 1, and IX 2.

On a disturbed block lying in area VIII 1 slightly below surface, two crudely cut cartouches of the Meroitic period: -- identified by Dr. Reisner as Sherkrer (No 792). Thus at

[Drawing Hieroglyphs] Amara temple: --

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From near surface in area VII 1 fragments of a black slate-like stone with traces of inscription

and figures of which the following only is clear: --

Many blocks fallen from "S" wall onto the brick intrusive buildings noted in VI 1, VII 1, VIII 1, + 2 and along E face of Pylon. In VIII 1 a group of blocks fallen in from inner face of "S" wall as one mass, lying on debris. Inscribed faces down. From doorway "Westward" to area VII 1 the inscribed surface of wall has either been dressed away or weathered away, but in VII 1 it reappears.

[Drawing]

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It was also noted that the later facing wall is thicker for some distance "W" of doorway than it is to the "E", but it resumes its normal thickness again in areas VII 1, VIII 1.