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Saturday

Feb 21st 1920: --

92 Locals.

64th Day of work: --

Reis Atah Murad reported sick this evening, and was given a note to Merowe Hospital, where he is to report tomorrow morning.

Work on (1) B 501, "W" end, (2) 501 EX 2. (3) Pyr. B V.

(1) B 501 "W" end.

Feb 21st

Work at clearing lower levels, among brick walls in area IX 1 and VIII 1, from which fallen blocks were removed yesterday. Also clearing up among brick walls in VIII 5.

In extreme "S.W." corner, a gap in the pylon wall looks like the entrance to a covered passage (and there is a similar gap in corresponding position in "NW" corner). This might be the entrance to a stair passage leading to the top of the pyr., but the "N" corner is undressed, which would tend to show this merely to be a gap, not in the original plan, and probably made where the facing was put on the "S" wall. There are also traces of a facing on the "N" wall,

[Drawing]

Following 2 inscribed stones noted today in VII 2.

a Part of column drum, good preservation: --

[Drawing Hieroglyphs]

b Frag. plastered block with Meroitic inscription preserved under the plaster. The stone under plaster shows considerable decay.

[Drawing Hieroglyphs]

(2) 501 EX 2

Feb 21st

Work clearing upper layers to "S" of B 501 in area 501 EX 2 from doorway in "S" wall 501 to line of mud brick enclosing wall (partly exposed) and "W" therefrom.

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