

- Measurements of stone block. L. 4 ft. 9½ in. × W. 1 ft. 11½ in. × H. 1 ft. 10½ in.
- Chamber B. West Wall. Rough blocks. Upper and lower lintel, block of a single span each. Roof of doorway painted red to imitate granite. Reveals of doorway painted. Height of door, 7 ft. ½ in.
- South Wall. Horizontal rough blocks. Upper part of doorway of fine white limestone painted to imitate granite. Reveals of doorway painted. Height of door, 8 ft. 9 in.
- East Wall. Greatly destroyed, doorway only remains intact. Height of door, 8 ft. 9 in.
- North Wall. Horizontal rough blocks. Door blocked with mud-brick wall. Size of bricks, 12 × 5¼ × 3 in. Height of door, 6 ft. 4 in.
- Roof. Two stones out of three still in position.
- Floor. Paved.
- Height of chamber, 10 ft.
- Chamber C. West Wall. Stele of a single block; base of stele, single horizontal block painted red.
- Measurements of hetep-stone, 5 ft. 5 × 2 ft. 11½ × 1 ft. 2½. Height of step, 1¾ in.
- South Wall. Three courses of horizontal rough blocks painted red; above, are five fine limestone blocks sculptured. Height of doorway, 6 ft. 3 in.
- East Wall. Three courses of horizontal rough blocks painted red; above are four upright blocks of fine white limestone sculptured. Measurements of recess, 2 ft. 10 in. wide × 2 ft. 4¼ high. Measurements of lintel stone above recess, 4 ft. 8¾ × 1 ft. 3.
- North Wall. Three courses of horizontal rough blocks painted red; above, blocks of fine white limestone, sculptured. Height of doorway, 7 ft. 9. Measurements of altar, 5 ft. 9½ × 1 ft. 9 × 1 ft. 9¼.
- Roof. Destroyed.
- Floor. Paved.
- Chamber D. Walls. Rough blocks.
- Roof. Intact.
- Floor. Paved.
- Chamber E. Walls. Rough blocks.
- Measurements of recesses, 2 ft. 10 wide × 2 ft. 8¾ high × 4 ft. 9½ deep.
- Roof. Twelve out of thirteen blocks still in position.
- Floor. Paved.
- Height of room, 8 ft. 7.

CHAPTER VIII.

TOMB OF ATETA.

39. The tomb of Ateta (MARIETTE, *Mastabas*, D 63) lies to the south of the tomb of Ptahhetep II (D 62) and to the west of that of Ptahhetep (D 64). We excavated only the sculptured chamber, marked A in Mariette's plan, leaving the pillared hall uncleared. Mariette thinks that this tomb is later in date than that of Ptahhetep (D 62). I do not however understand his remarks concerning the stele; "Le haut est très-mutilé. Le bas est rendu si méconnaissable par le sable mêlé de cailloux qui, aidé par les eaux pluviales a fait une sorte de poulingue silicieux."