THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ORIENTAL INSTITUTE PUBLICATIONS

JOHN ALBERT WILSON

AND
THOMAS GEORGE ALLEN

Editors

THE MASTABA OF MERERUKA PART II

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PRESS CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

THE BAKER & TAYLOR COMPANY NEW YORK

THE CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS LONDON

THE MARUZEN-KABUSHIKI-KAISHA TOKYO, OSAKA, KYOTO, FUKUOKA, SENDAI

THE COMMERCIAL PRESS, LIMITED SHANGHAI



MERERUKA SUPPORTED BY TWO SONS
CHAMBER A 13, NORTH WALL, SCENE 3
COMPARE PLATES 154-56

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ORIENTAL INSTITUTE PUBLICATIONS VOLUME XXXIX

THE MASTABA OF MERERUKA

PART II

CHAMBERS A 11–13

DOORJAMBS AND INSCRIPTIONS OF CHAMBERS A 1–21

TOMB CHAMBER

EXTERIOR

PLATES 104-219

BY THE SAKKARAH EXPEDITION

FIELD DIRECTOR PRENTICE DUELL

ARTISTS
RAYMOND T. COWERN
H. M. LACK
DONALD NASH
STANLEY R. SHEPHERD

CLYDE R. SHUFORD VCEVOLD STREKALOVSKY EPIGRAPHERS
CHARLES FRANCIS NIMS
KEITH C. SEELE

PHOTOGRAPHER LESLIE F. THOMPSON

ASSISTANT MARINA KOSSOFF



Internet publication of this work was made possible with the generous support of Misty and Lewis Gruber

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PRESS
CHICAGO · ILLINOIS

COPYRIGHT 1938 BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO ALL RIGHTS RESERVED. PUBLISHED JUNE 1938

COMPOSED AND PRINTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO PRESS CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, U.S.A.

LIST OF PLATES

104. MERERUKA SUPPORTED BY TWO SONS (Painting by Duell). Compare Plates 154-56

CHAMBER A11

- 105. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST; TOMB SHAFT IN FOREGROUND
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST (Photographs)
- 106. A. PRIESTS OF THE MORTUARY ESTATE BRINGING OFFERINGS FOR MERERUKA
 - B. SERVANTS BRINGING OFFERINGS FOR MERERUKA (Drawings by Nash)
- 107. FALSE DOOR (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 108. MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 109. A. SERVANTS CUTTING HAUNCHES FROM OXEN AS OFFERINGS
 - B. OFFERING-BEARERS (Drawings by Nash)
- 110. BUTCHERS CUTTING UP AN OX (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 109 A

CHAMBER A 12

- 111. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST (Photographs)
- 112. MERERUKA, WITH WA-TETKHETHOR; BELOW, SERVANTS BRINGING A CHEST CONTAINING OFFERINGS (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 113. MERERUKA, WITH WA-TETKHETHOR, VIEWING THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS (See Plates 115-16) GIVEN HIM BY THE KING (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 114. MEN PRESSING OUT WINE; MEN BEATING TIME TO SET THE PACE FOR THOSE WHO TREAD THE GRAPES (Shown on Plate 116) (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 113
- 115. FOOD OFFERINGS, SCRIBE, AND MEN DRAGGING SLEDGES BEARING BAGS OF PROD-UCE (Photograph)
- 116. PILES OF FRUITS, GRANARIES, AND MEN TREADING GRAPES (Photograph)
- 117. MERERUKA DRINKING FROM A CUP. BEFORE HIM ARE PRESENTED VARIOUS OILS; BELOW LIE CATTLE SLAUGHTERED FOR OFFERINGS (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 118. SERVANTS BRINGING JARS OF OIL FOR PRESENTATION TO MERERUKA; CHESTS CONTAINING INCENSE AND COSMETICS (Photograph)
- 119. OFFERING-BEARERS; JARS CONTAINING UNGUENTS; SLAUGHTERED CATTLE (Photograph)
- 120. MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR, VIEWING THE BRINGING OF OFFERINGS (SEE PLATES 121-22) BY THE PRIESTS OF HIS MORTUARY ESTATE (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 121. OFFERINGS AND OFFERING-BEARERS (Photograph)
- 122. OFFERINGS, OFFERING-BEARERS, AND SLAUGHTERED CATTLE. LECTOR PRIESTS PRE-SENT THE OFFERINGS (Photograph)

CHAMBER A 13

- 123. INTERIOR, LOOKING NORTH (Photograph)
- 124. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST ALONG SOUTH WALL
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING NORTH ALONG WEST WALL (Photographs)
- 125. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST ALONG NORTH WALL
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING SOUTH ALONG EAST WALL (Photographs)
- 126. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST BETWEEN PIERS
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST BETWEEN PIERS (Photographs)
- 127. MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER(?), ATTENDED BY A SON, A BROTHER, AND OTHER MEN, IN A REED BOAT IN THE MARSHES (Photograph)
- 128. SAME (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 129. OTTER KILLING A FISH (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plates 127-28
- 130. THE FUNERAL PROCESSION OF MERERUKA
 - A. MOURNING WOMEN; MEN BEARING THE COFFIN TO THE BARGE
 - B. THE FUNERARY BARGE, TOWED BY A ROWBOAT THE OARSMEN OF WHICH ARE JUST BEGINNING THEIR STROKE, BEING PUSHED OFF FROM THE SHORE BY SWIMMERS
 - C. TWO ROWBOATS, THE FOREMOST READY TO LAND; FUNERARY EQUIPMENT ALREADY LANDED
 - D. MEN BEARING THE COFFIN TO THE TOMB; OFFERINGS, DANCERS, AND LECTOR PRIEST STANDING BEFORE THE TOMB (Drawings by Shepherd)
- 131. WOMEN MOURNING FOR MERERUKA (Pencil drawing by Shepherd). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 130 A
- 132. EPITHETS AND TITLES OF MERERUKA (Photograph)
- 133. EPITHETS AND TITLES OF WA-TETKHETHOR AND MERERUKA, WITH PART OF TITLE OF AN OFFERING SCENE (Drawing by Lack)
- 134. TEXT OF A GREETING TO MERERUKA BY CEMETERY OFFICIALS (Drawing by Lack)
- 135. TITLES AND BEGINNING OF AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF MERERUKA (Drawing by Shuford)
- 136. BOATS WITH SAILS FURLED AND MASTS LOWERED (Drawing by Lack)
- 137. TITLES AND EPITHETS OF MERERUKA; ATTENDANTS (Photograph)
- 138. MERERUKA ACCOMPANIED BY TWO SONS(?) (Photograph)
- 139. MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR, ATTENDED BY SERVANTS, VIEWING BOATS SHOWN ON PLATES 140-45 (Photograph)
- 140. BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, WITH CABIN AND CANOPY, BEARING MERERUKA (FIGURE DESTROYED) (Drawing by Strekalovsky)
- 141. BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, WITH CABIN AND CANOPY; BED ON AFTERDECK (Drawing by Strekalovsky)
- 142. BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, BEARING MERERUKA(?) (Drawing by Strekalovsky)

- 143. BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, BEARING MERERUKA (Drawing by Lack)
- 144. BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, BEARING MERERUKA; AT UPPER RIGHT, ATTENDANTS (MESSENGERS?) (Drawing by Lack)
- 145. BOAT WITH SAIL FURLED, MAST LOWERED, AND ROWERS AT OARS, BEARING MERERU-KA. A MAN ON FOREDECK PRESENTS A FOWL AS OFFERING TO MERERUKA (LARGE FIGURE AT RIGHT; DESTROYED) (Drawing by Lack)
- 146. ATTENDANTS (MESSENGERS?) AND A SERVANT LEADING DOGS; ABOVE, FRAGMENT OF SEATED FIGURE OF MERERUKA, WITH WA'TETKHETHOR (Photograph)
- 147. THE STATUE OF MERERUKA IN ITS NICHE (Photograph)
- 148. SAME (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 149. MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE WACTETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING THE CONSTRUCTION OF BOATS AND THE FEEDING OF ANIMALS (Shown on Plates 152-53) (Photograph)
- 150. SAME (Drawing by Lack)
- 151. HEAD OF MERERUKA (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plates 149-50
- 152. CONSTRUCTION OF BOATS; FEEDING OF CATTLE (Painting by Shepherd)
- 153. ATTENDANTS FORCIBLY FEEDING OXEN; SEMIDOMESTICATED ANTELOPES FEEDING FROM MANGERS; ATTENDANTS FORCIBLY FEEDING HYENAS IN ORDER TO FATTEN THEM FOR EATING (Painting by Shepherd)
- 154. MERERUKA SUPPORTED BY TWO SONS (Photograph). Compare Plates 104 and 155-56
- 155. HANDS OF MERERUKA AND A SON (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plates 104 and 154
- 156. HEADS OF MERERUKA AND A SON (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plates 104 and 154
- 157. MERERUKA BORNE IN A PALANQUIN, ACCOMPANIED BY TWO DWARFS WHO ATTEND HIS PET MONKEY AND DOGS; BELOW, BROTHERS AND SONS OF MERERUKA (Photograph)
- 158. SAME (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 159. MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE WA-TETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING CHILDREN BRINGING BIRDS AND PLAYING GAMES (Shown on Plates 162-65) (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 160. WACTETKHETHOR, WIFE OF MERERUKA (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 159
- 161. NEDJETEMPET, MOTHER OF MERERUKA (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 159
- 162. BOYS BRINGING BIRDS AND PLAYING GAMES (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 163. BOYS PLAYING GAMES (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 162
- 164. GIRLS PLAYING GAMES AND DANCING; BOYS PLAYING GAMES; ATTENDANTS (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 165. GIRLS PLAYING GAMES AND DANCING; BOYS PLAYING GAMES (Photograph). Detail of Scene Shown on Plate 164
- 166. MERERUKA, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE WA-TETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJET-EMPET, VIEWING AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES (Shown on Plates 168-70). (Photograph)

- 167. SAME (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 168. PLOWING; STACKING SHEAVES OF GRAIN; REAPING; TRAPPING BIRDS; WINNOWING GRAIN (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 169. PLOWING; LOADING SACKS OF SHEAVES ON DONKEYS; REAPING, WITH A PIPE-PLAYER TO SET THE PACE; OXEN, DONKEYS, AND GOATS TREADING OUT THE GRAIN (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 170. PLOWING; DONKEYS WAITING TO BE LOADED WITH SACKS OF SHEAVES; HARVESTING AND BINDING FLAX; STACKING SHEAVES OF GRAIN PREPARATORY TO THRESHING (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 171. MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR SEATED BESIDE HIM, PLAYING DRAUGHTS WITH A SON(?); BELOW, ATTENDANTS (Photograph)
- 172. SAME (Drawing by Shepherd)
- 173. A. PIER 1, NORTH SIDE
 B. PIER 1, EAST SIDE
 (Photographs)
- 174. A. PIER 1, SOUTH SIDE
 B. PIER 1, WEST SIDE
 (Photographs)
- 175. PIER 2, NORTH SIDE (Photograph)
- 176. PIER 2, EAST SIDE (Photograph)
- 177. PIER 2, SOUTH SIDE (Photograph)
- 178. PIER 2, WEST SIDE (Photograph)
- 179. PIER 3, NORTH SIDE (Photograph)
- 180. PIER 3, EAST SIDE (Drawing by Lack)
- 181. PIER 3, SOUTH SIDE (Photograph)
- 182. A. TITLES OF MERERUKA. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 179

 B. TITLES OF MERERUKA. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 181
 (Photographs)
- 183. PIER 3, WEST SIDE (Painting by Strekalovsky)
- 184. HEAD OF MERERUKA (Photograph). DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 183
- 185. A. PIER 4, NORTH SIDE
 - B. PIER 4, EAST SIDE (Photographs)
- 186. A. PIER 4, SOUTH SIDE
 - B. PIER 4, WEST SIDE (Photographs)
- 187. A. PIER 6, NORTH SIDE
 - B. PIER 6, EAST SIDE (Photographs)
- 188. A. PIER 6, SOUTH SIDE
 - B. PIER 6, WEST SIDE (Photographs)

DOORJAMBS AND INSCRIPTIONS OF CHAMBERS A 1–21

- 189. A. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A1 AND A3. WEST JAMB (Drawing by Lack)

 B. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A3 AND A4. WEST JAMB (Drawing by Cowern)
- 190. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A1 AND A3. EAST JAMB (Drawing by Lack)
- 191. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 3 AND A 4. EAST JAMB (Drawing by Cowern)
- 192. A. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 4 AND A 5. SOUTH JAMB (Drawing by Cowern)

 B. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 4 AND A 11. EAST JAMB (Drawing by Lack)
- 193. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 4 AND A 6 (Drawings by Lack)
 - A. SOUTH JAMB
 - B. NORTH JAMB
- 194. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 6 AND A 8 (Drawings by Cowern)
 - A. WEST JAMB
 - B. EAST JAMB
- 195. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 8 AND A 9 (Drawings by Cowern)
 - A. WEST JAMB
 - B. EAST JAMB
- 196. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 11 AND A 12 (Drawings by Lack)
 - A. NORTH JAMB
 - B. SOUTH JAMB
- 197. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 11 AND A 13 (Drawings by Lack)
 - A. WEST JAMB
 - B. EAST JAMB
- 198. INSCRIPTIONS ON ALTAR IN CHAMBER A 13 (Drawings by Lack)
 - A. TOP
 - B. WEST SIDE
 - C. EAST SIDE
- 199. A. CHAMBER A 16. INTERIOR, LOOKING SOUTH; ENTRANCES TO MAGAZINES A 18-20 (Photograph)
 - B. INSCRIPTIONS OVER ENTRANCES TO THE MAGAZINES (Drawings by Lack)
 - 1. A 15
 - 2. A 17
 - 3. A 18
 - 4. A 19
 - 5. A 20

TOMB CHAMBER

- 200. A. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST
 - B. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST (Photographs)
- 201. A. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 1
 - B. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 2 (Photographs)
- 202. A. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 3
 - B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A (Photographs)

- 203. A. WEST WALL, SCENE 1
 - B. WEST WALL, SCENE 2 (Photographs)
- 204. A. NORTH WALL, SCENE 1
 - B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A (Photographs)
- 205. A. NORTH WALL, SCENE 2
 - B. NORTH WALL, SCENE 3 (Photographs)
- 206. A. EAST WALL
 - B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A (Photographs)
- 207-8. DETAILS OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 206 A (Photographs)
- 209. DECORATIONS ON EAST SIDE OF SARCOPHAGUS (Photographs)
 - A. AT LEFT OF RAMP
 - B. AT RIGHT OF RAMP
- 210. A. SARCOPHAGUS LID, EAST SIDE (Photograph)
 - B. INSCRIPTION ON TOP OF SARCOPHAGUS LID
 - C. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, EAST SIDE (Drawings by Lack)
 - D. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, WEST SIDE
 - E. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, NORTH END
 - F. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, SOUTH END (Drawings by Cowern)
- 211. DOORWAY BETWEEN TOMB SHAFT AND TOMB CHAMBER (Photographs)
 - A. NORTH JAMB
 - B. SOUTH JAMB

EXTERIOR

- 212. A. ENTRANCE TO MASTABA
 - B. WEST JAMB
 - C. EAST JAMB (Photographs)
- 213. A. DRUM ABOVE ENTRANCE
 - B. FRAGMENT OF BIOGRAPHICAL INSCRIPTION ON FAÇADE, WEST OF ENTRANCE (Photographs)
- 214. A. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON FAÇADE, WEST OF BIOGRAPHICAL INSCRIPTION
 - B. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON WEST CORNER OF FAÇADE (Photographs)
- 215. A. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON EAST CORNER OF FAÇADE
 - B. VULTURE (GYPS FULVUS). DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A (Photographs)
- 216. A. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON WEST EXTERIOR WALL OF MASTABA, SOUTH CORNER
 - B. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON EAST EXTERIOR WALL OF MASTABA, SOUTH CORNER (Photographs)

- 217. A. TEMENOS WALL, WEST FACE
 - B. TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, EAST PORTION (Photographs)
- 218. A. TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, CENTRAL PORTION
 - B. TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, WEST PORTION (Photographs)
- 219. A. TEMENOS WALL, EAST END
 - B. OFFERING-PLACE OF KHENU AT WEST END OF TEMENOS (Photographs)

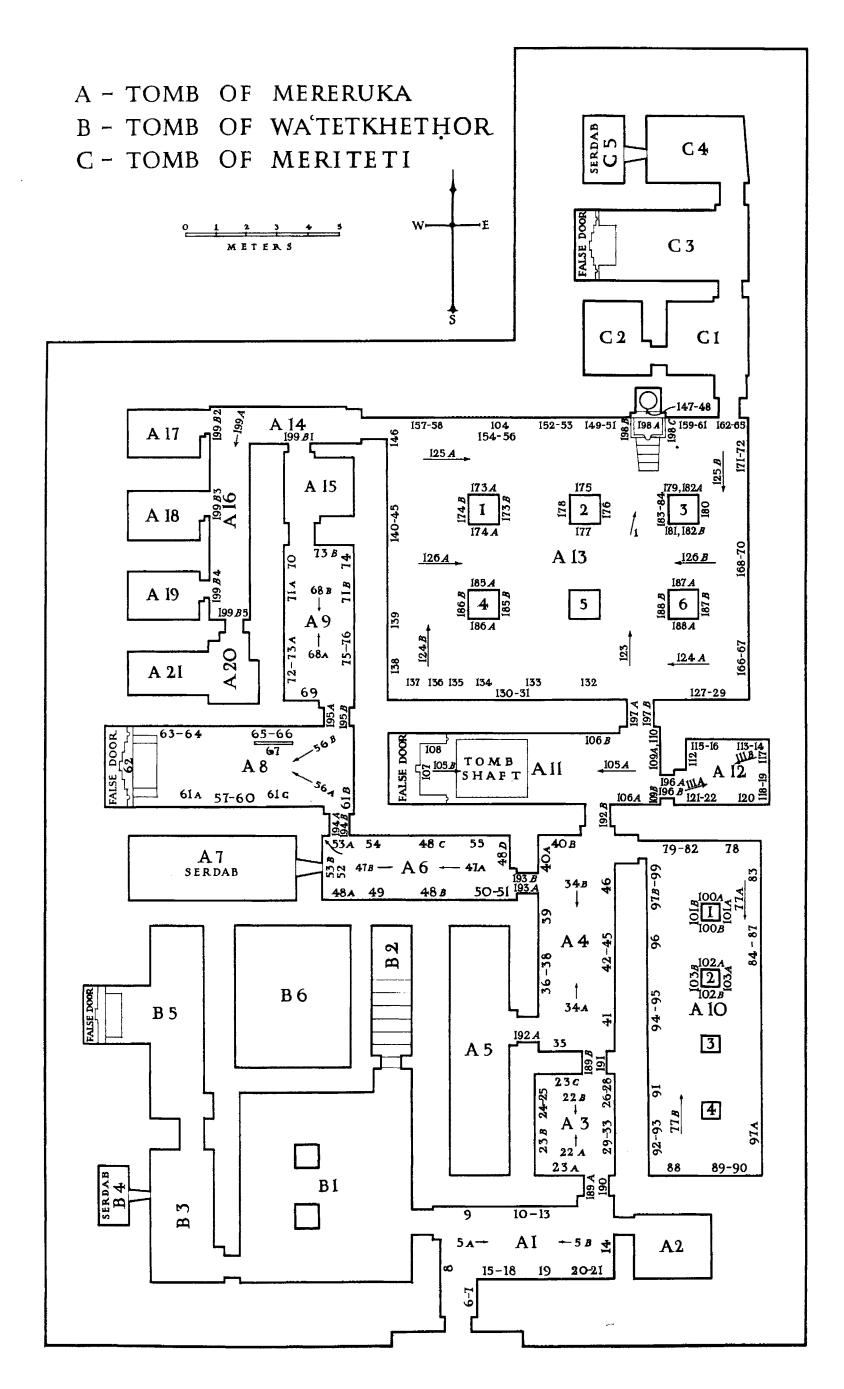
COVER VIGNETTE.—MERERUKA. RESTORATION BASED ON PLATE 184 (Painting by Shepherd)

LIST OF ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS

PLAN OF THE MASTABA OF MERERUKA facing half-title before Plate 105
CHAMBER A 11. ELEVATIONS OF THE WALLS, SHOWING THE ARRANGE- MENT OF SCENES
CHAMBER A 12. ELEVATIONS OF THE WALLS, SHOWING THE ARRANGE- MENT OF SCENES
CHAMBER A 13. ELEVATIONS OF THE WALLS, SHOWING THE ARRANGE- MENT OF SCENES
TOMB SHAFT AND TOMB CHAMBER. VERTICAL SECTION, LOOKING SOUTH following Plate 199
TOMB CHAMBER. PLAN AND ELEVATIONS, SHOWING THE ARRANGEMENT OF SCENES
EXTERIOR. FRONT OF THE MASTABA. PLAN AND ELEVATIONS, SHOW- ING ARRANGEMENT OF SCENES AND INSCRIPTIONS

PLATES

,

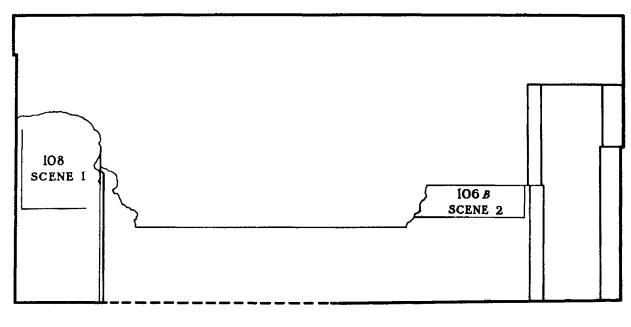


PLAN OF THE MASTABA OF MERERUKA

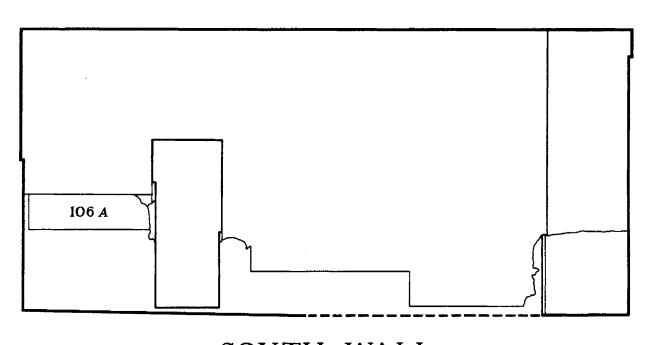
The numbers along the walls and at the doorways are those of the plates which reproduce the corresponding scenes or inscriptions; the numbers with arrows are those of plates showing interior views. The walls of Chambers A 2,

A 5, A 7 (serdab), and A 14-21 are without decoration. Scale, 1:125

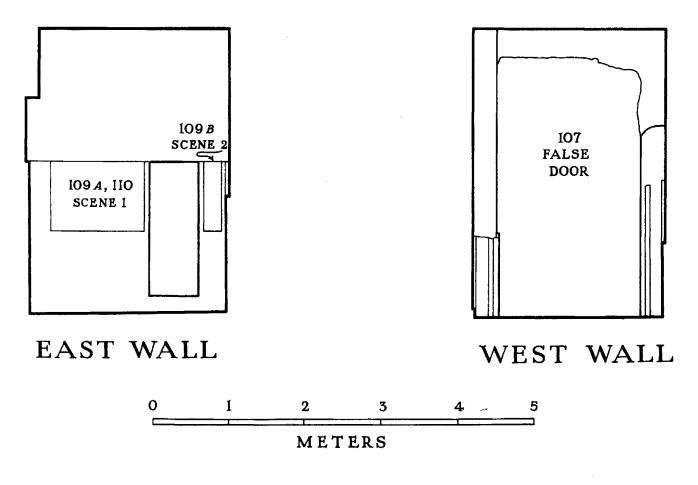
CHAMBER A 11



NORTH WALL



SOUTH WALL

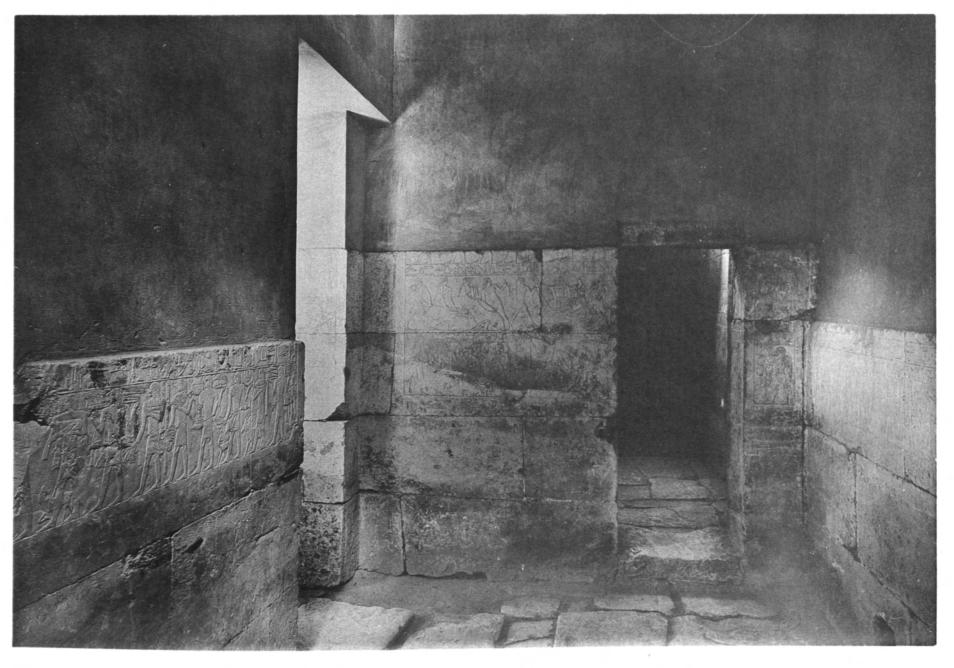


CHAMBER A 11

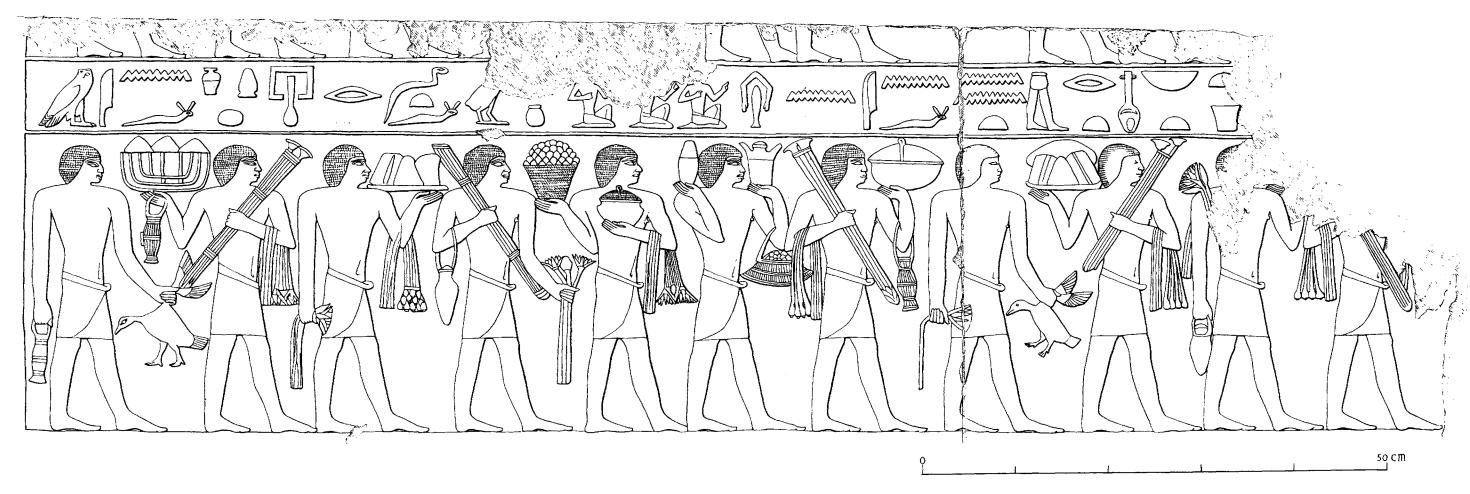
The numbers correspond to those shown on the plan facing the half-title before Plate 105 and refer to plates of this volume. Scale, 1:50



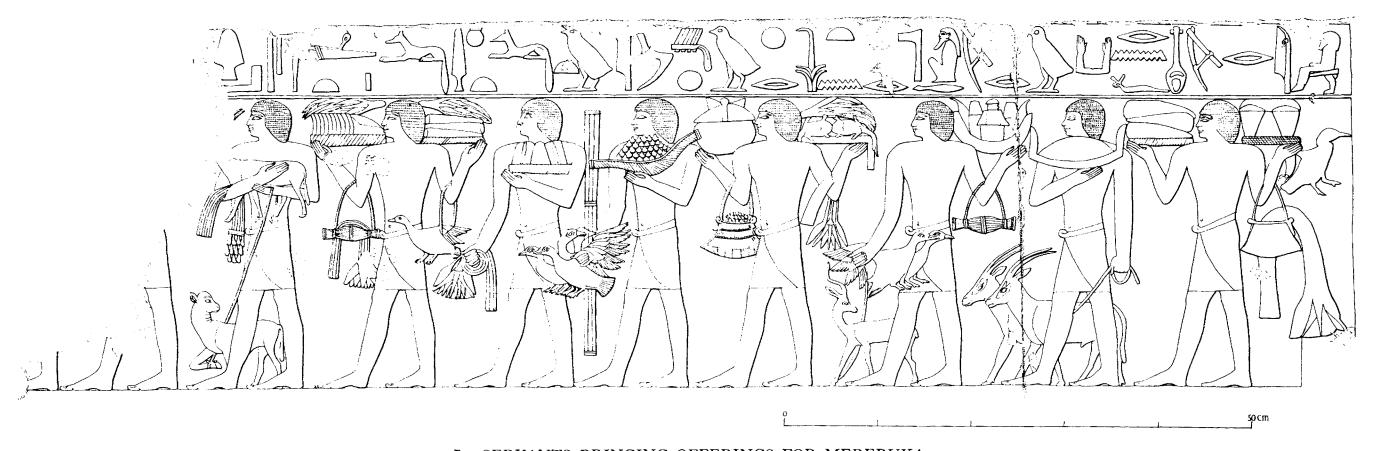
A. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST; TOMB SHAFT IN FOREGROUND



B. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST

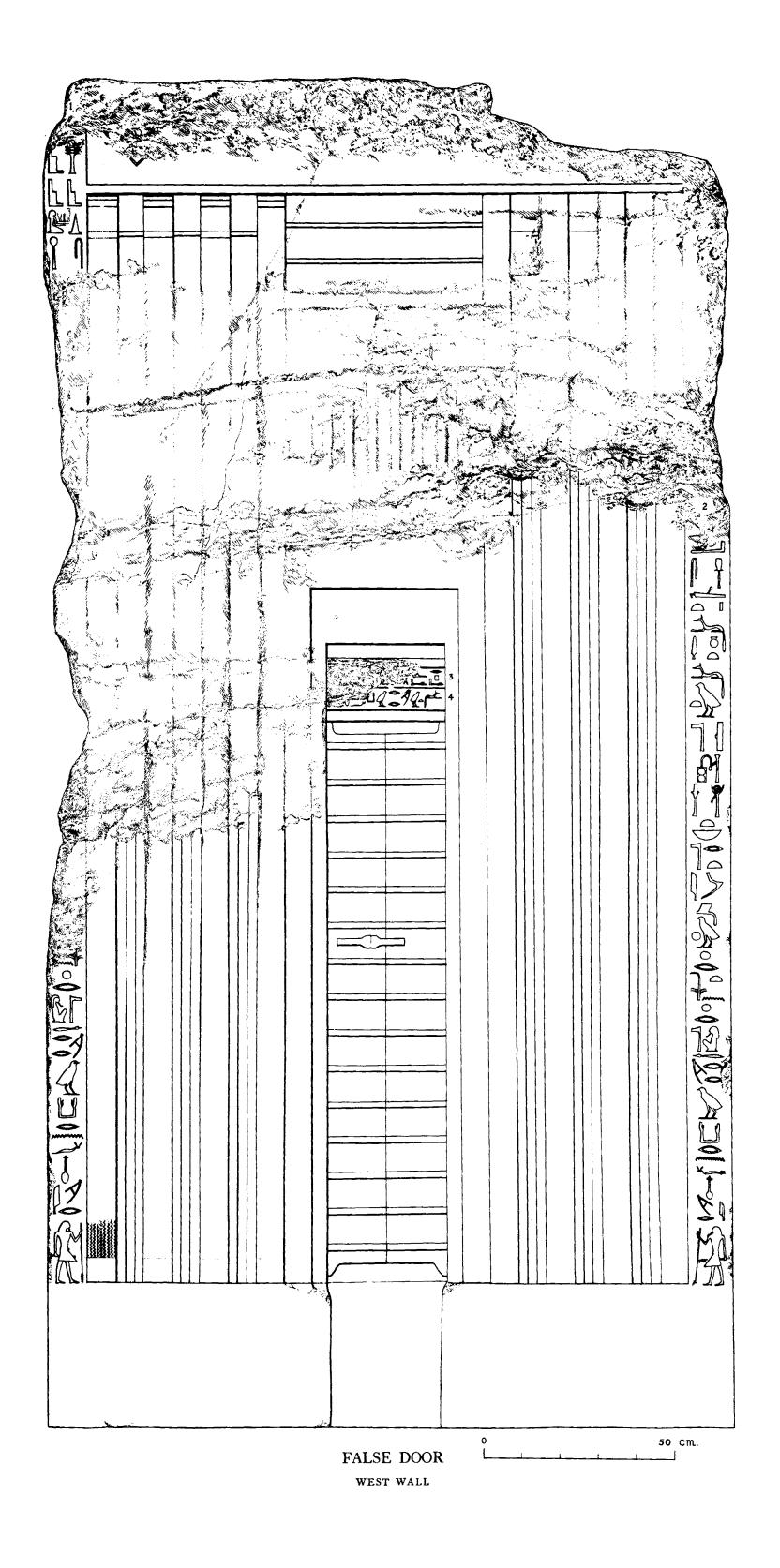


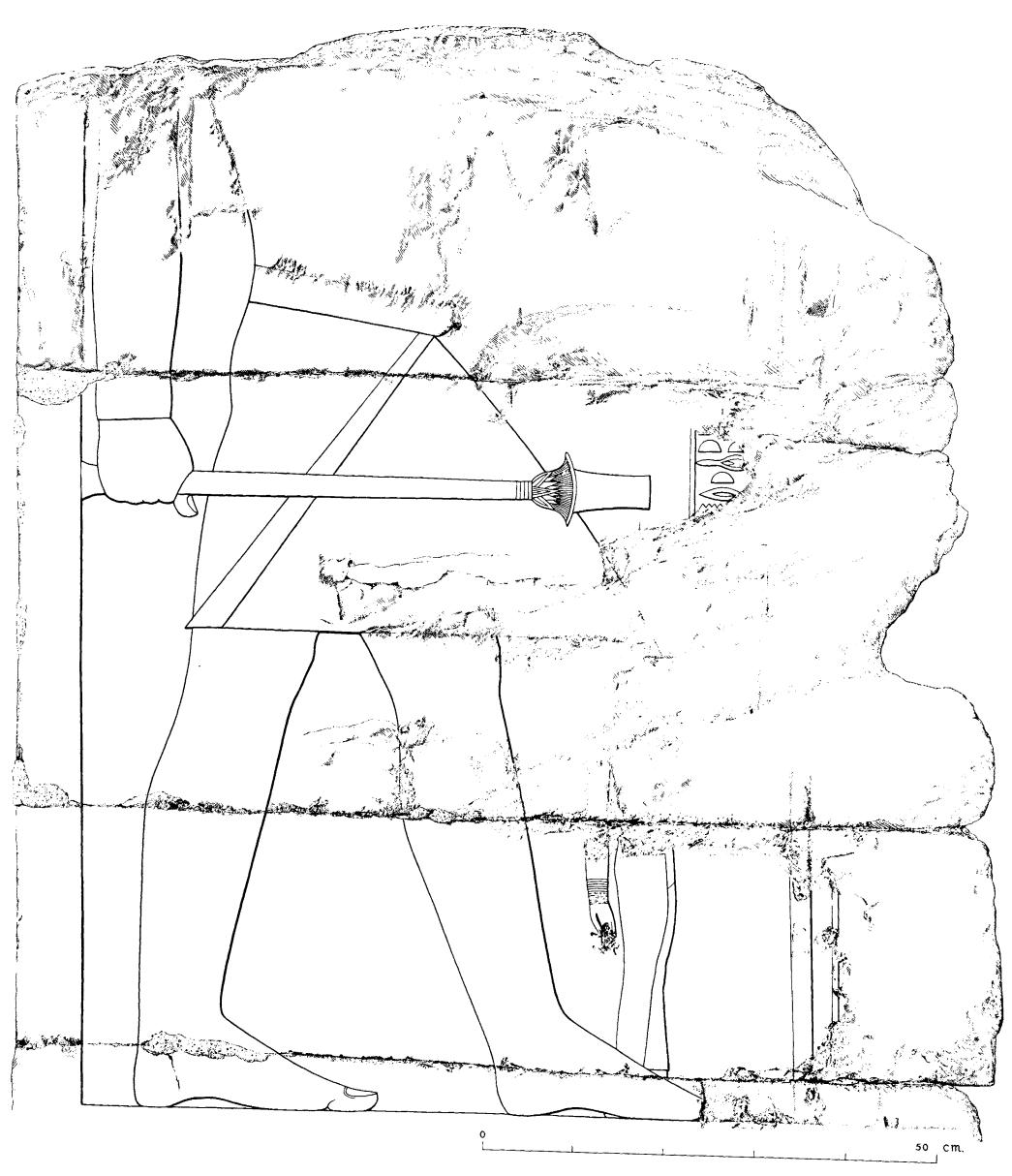
A. PRIESTS OF THE MORTUARY ESTATE BRINGING OFFERINGS FOR MERERUKA SOUTH WALL



B. SERVANTS BRINGING OFFERINGS FOR MERERUKA NORTH WALL, SCENE 2

PLATE 106

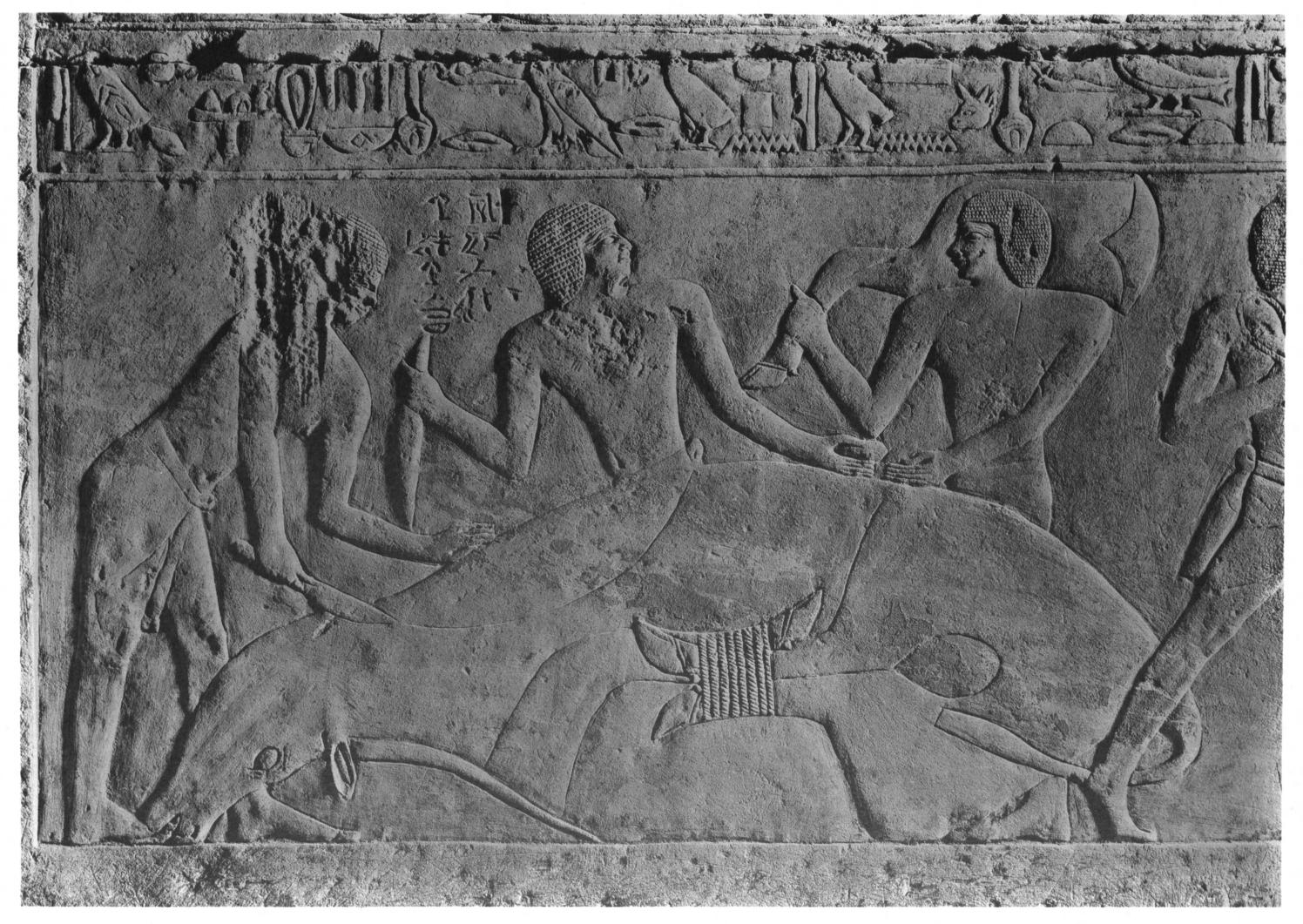




MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR NORTH WALL, SCENE 1

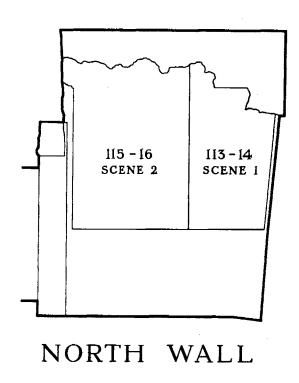
A. SERVANTS CUTTING HAUNCHES FROM OXEN AS OFFERINGS
EAST WALL, SCENE 1

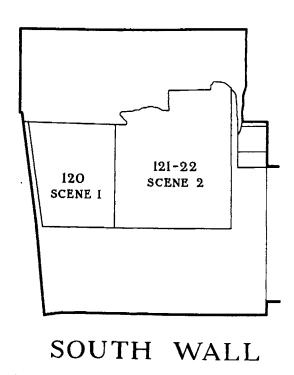
B. OFFERING-BEARERS EAST WALL, SCENE 2

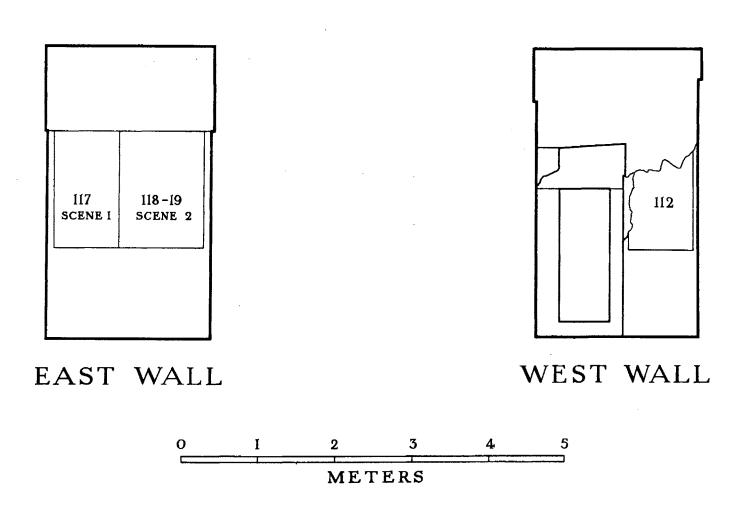


BUTCHERS CUTTING UP AN OX DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 109 A

CHAMBER A 12

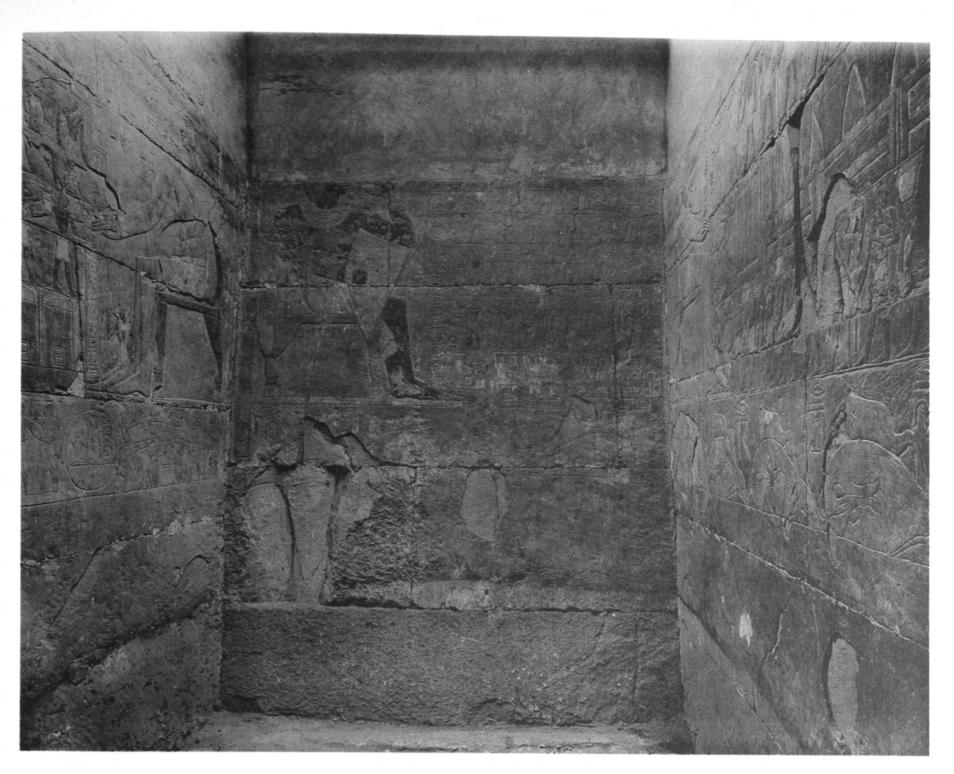




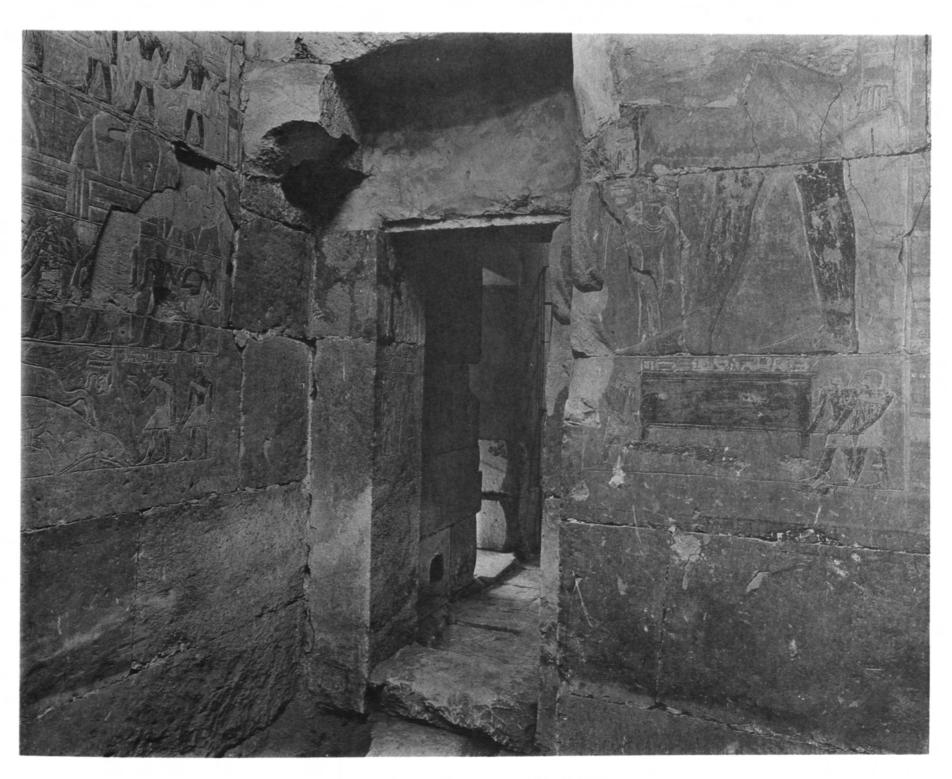


The numbers correspond to those shown on the plan facing the half-title before Plate 105 and refer to plates of this volume. Scale, 1:50

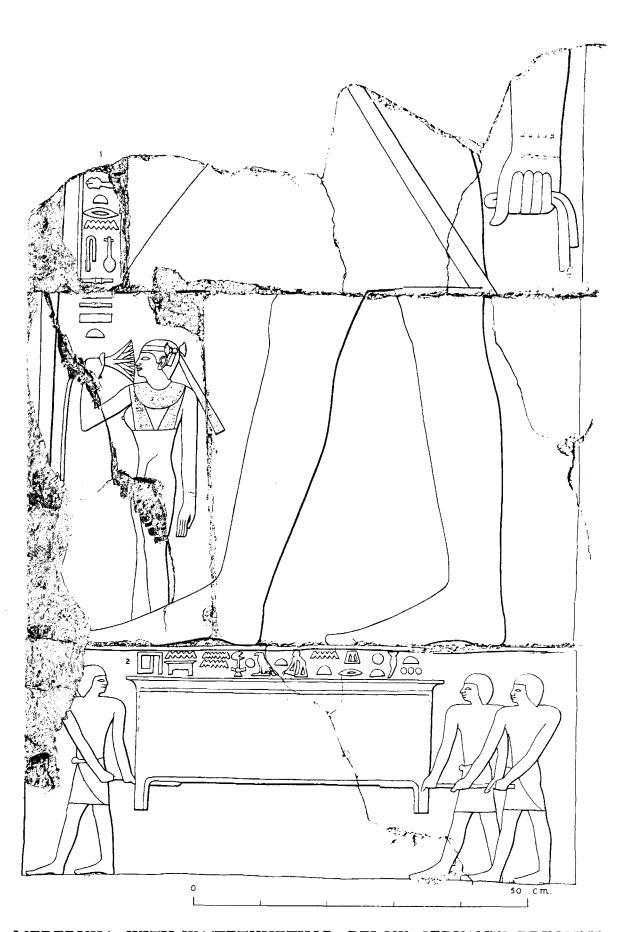
CHAMBER A 12



A. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST

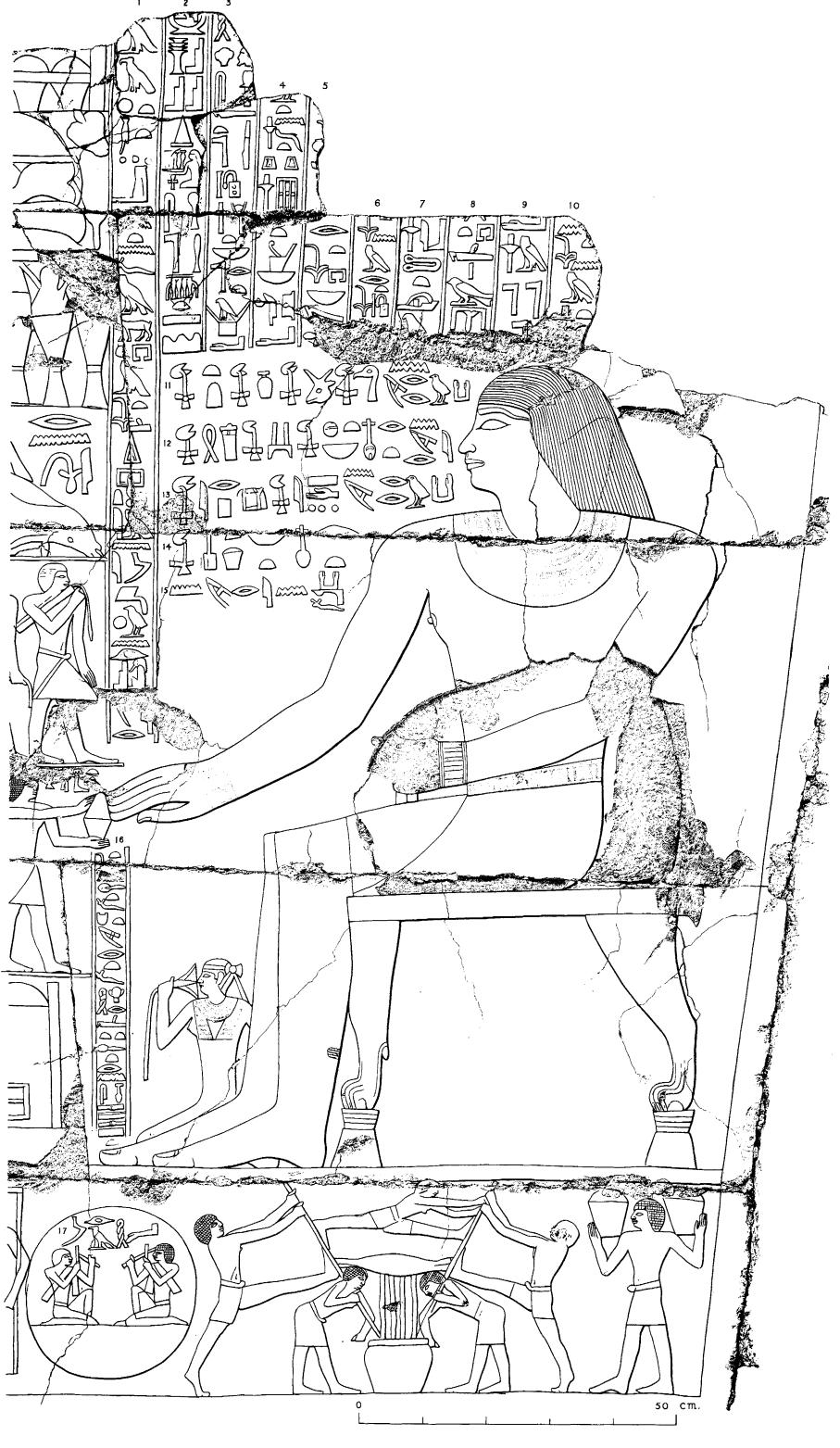


B. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST

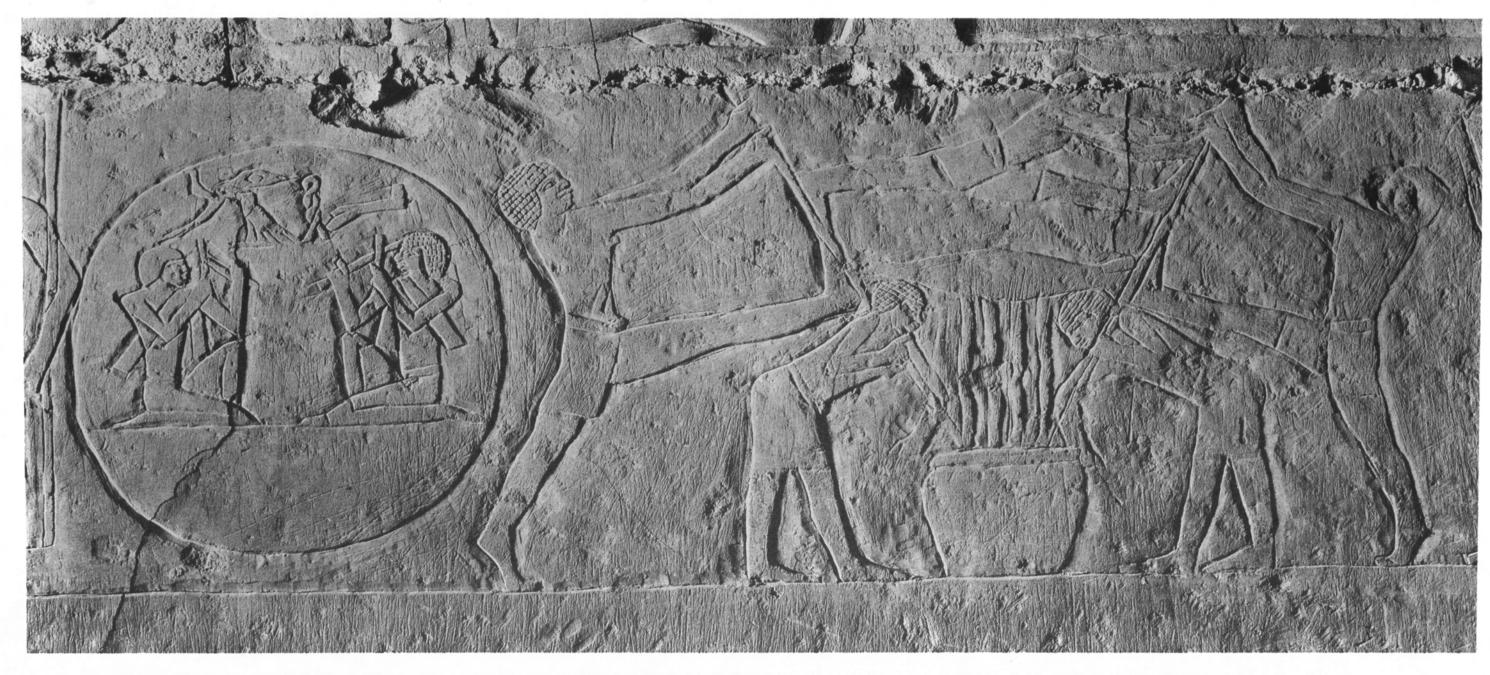


MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR; BELOW, SERVANTS BRINGING A CHEST CONTAINING OFFERINGS

WEST WALL



MERERUKA, WITH WA'TETKHETḤOR, VIEWING THE PRESENTATION OF OFFERINGS (SEE PLATES 115-16) GIVEN HIM BY THE KING NORTH WALL, SCENE 1



MEN PRESSING OUT WINE; MEN BEATING TIME TO SET THE PACE FOR THOSE WHO TREAD THE GRAPES (SHOWN ON PLATE 116)

DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 113



FOOD OFFERINGS, SCRIBE, AND MEN DRAGGING SLEDGES BEARING BAGS OF PRODUCE NORTH WAS SCENE 2

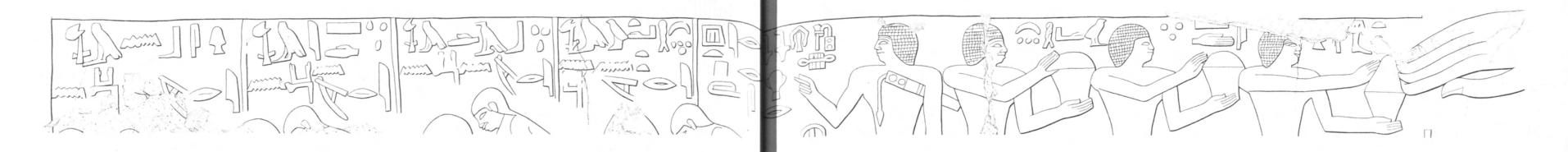
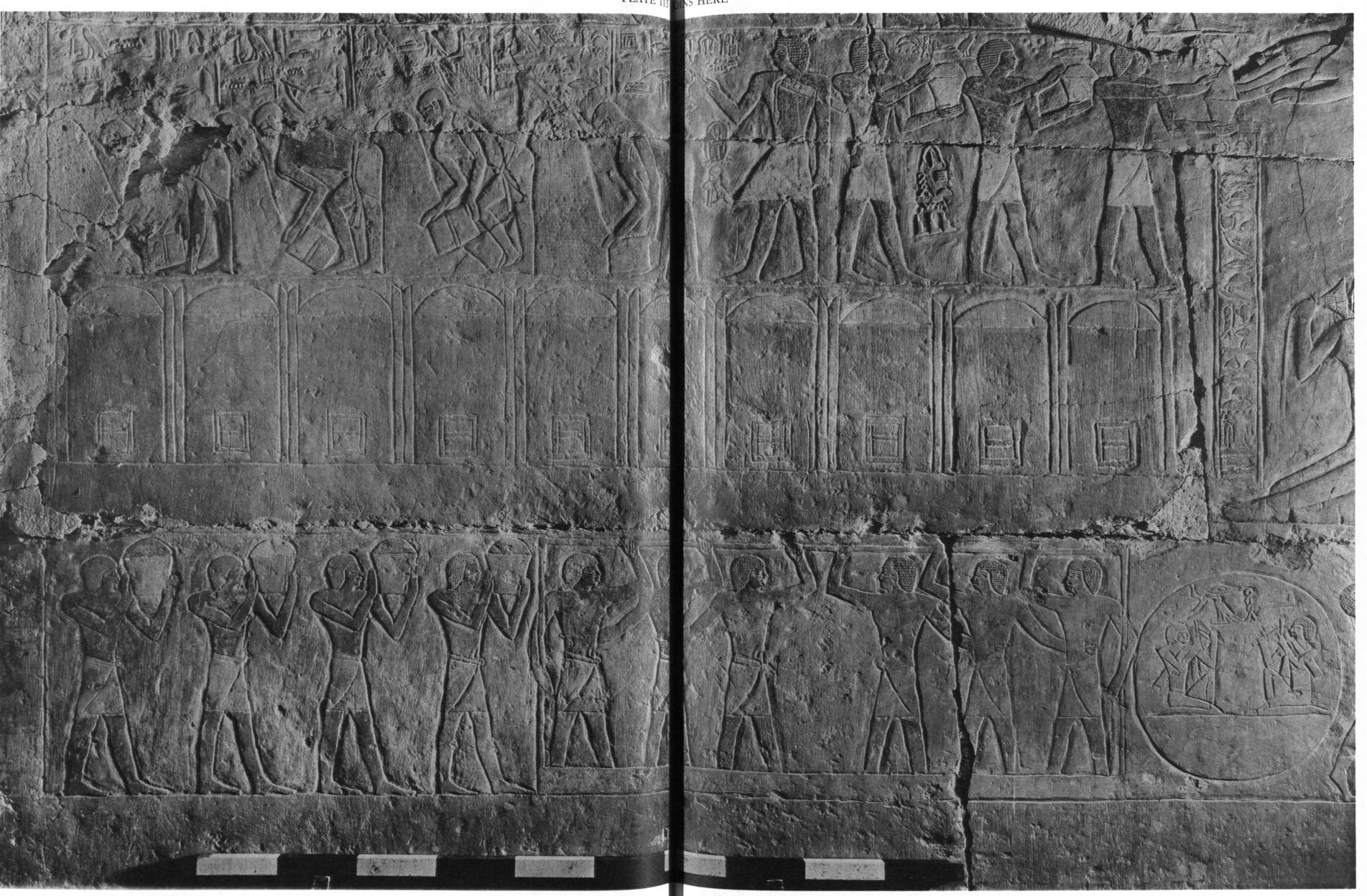
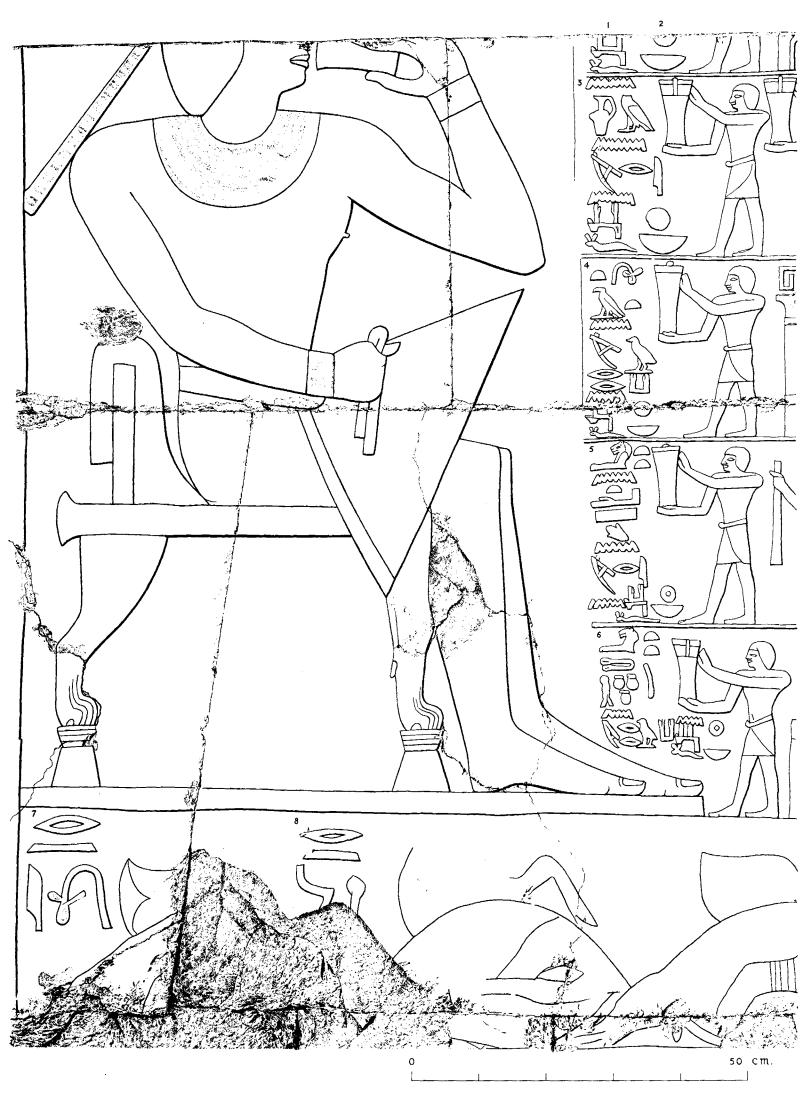


PLATE 115 OINS HERE



PILES OF FRUITS, GRANARIES AND MEN TREADING GRAPES

NORTH WAS SCENE 2



MERERUKA DRINKING FROM A CUP. BEFORE HIM ARE PRESENTED VARIOUS OILS;
BELOW LIE CATTLE SLAUGHTERED FOR OFFERINGS

EAST WALL, SCENE 1



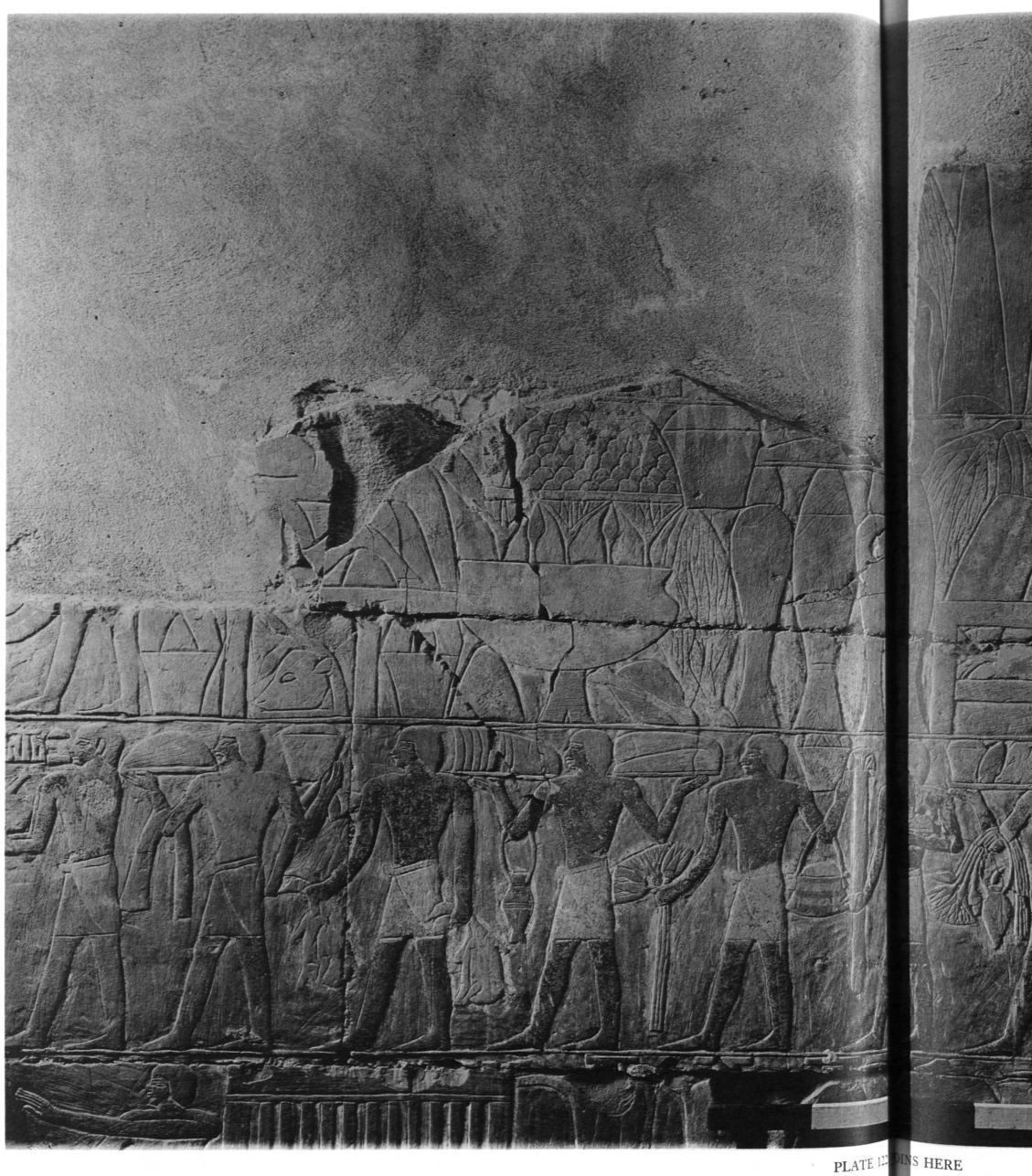
PLATE 119 JOINS HERE

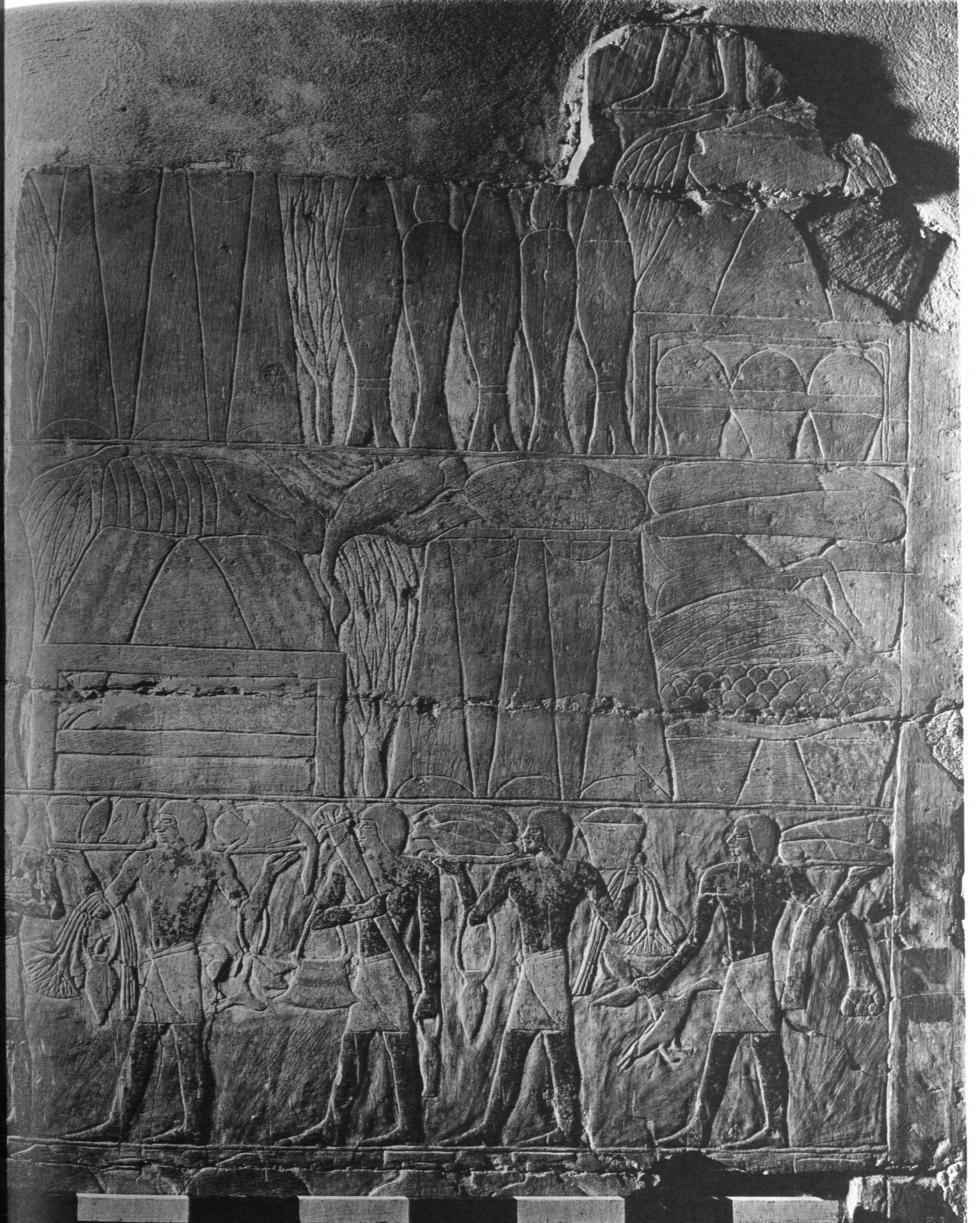
SERVANTS BRINGING JARS OF OIL FOR PRESENTATION TO MERERUKA; CHESTS CONTAINING INCENSE AND COSMETICS EAST WALL, SCENE 2

OFFERING-BEARERS; JARS CONTAINING UNGUENTS; SLAUGHTERED CATTLE EAST WALL, SCENE 2



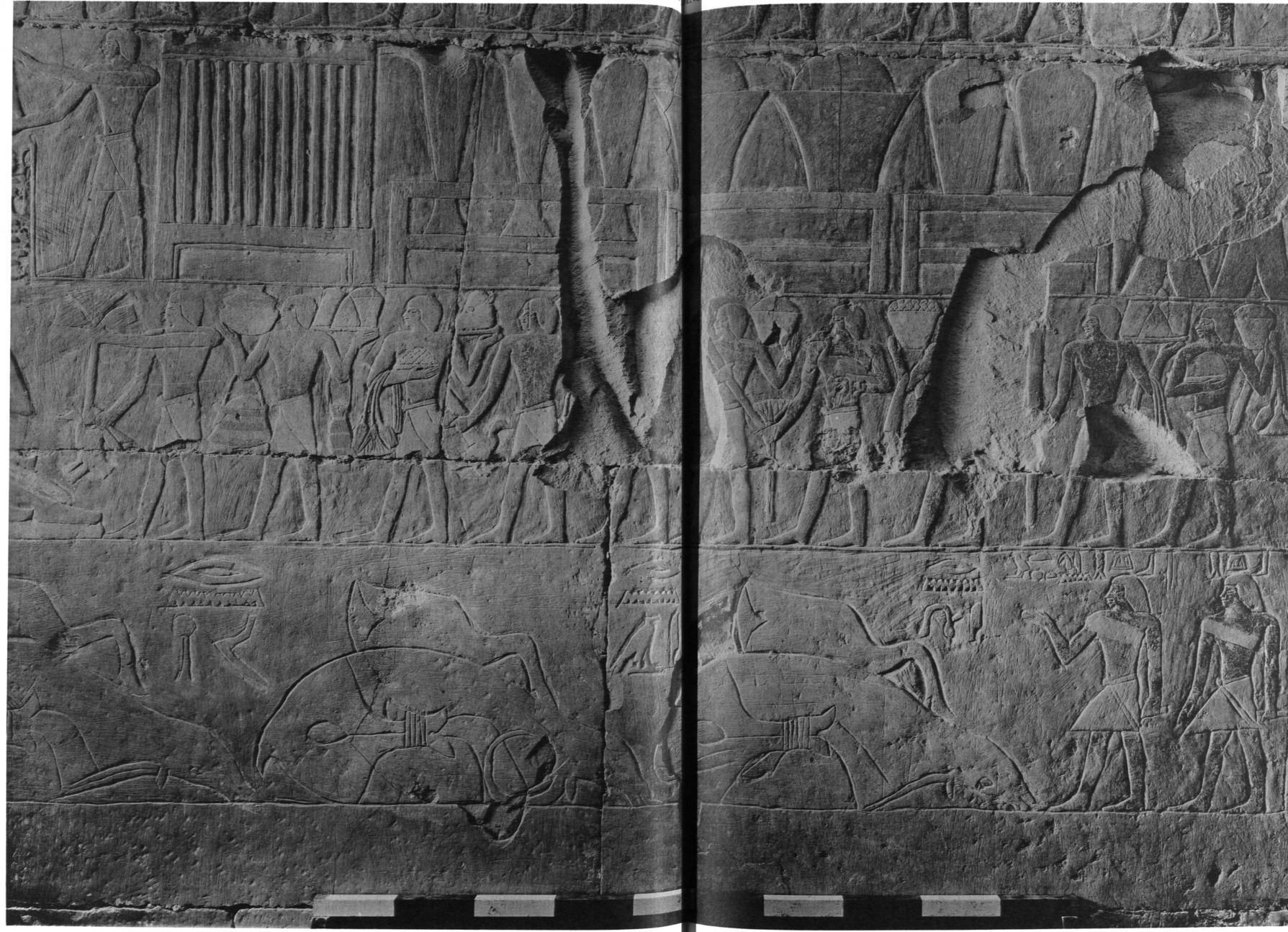
MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR, VIEWING THE BRINGING OF OFFERINGS (SEE PLATES 121-22) BY THE PRIESTS OF HIS MORTUARY ESTATE SOUTH WALL, SCENE 1





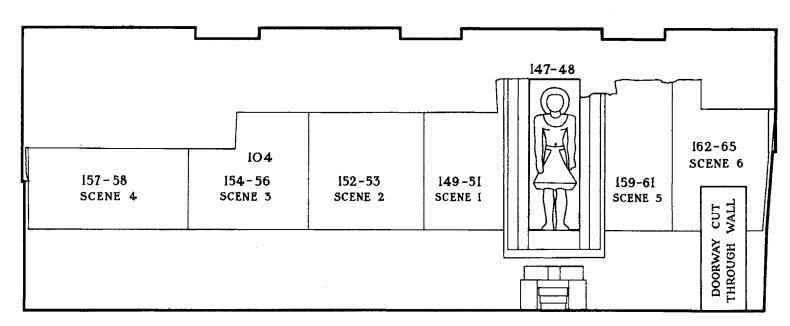
OFFERINGS AND FERING-BEARERS SOUTH WAS SCENE 2

PLATE 10

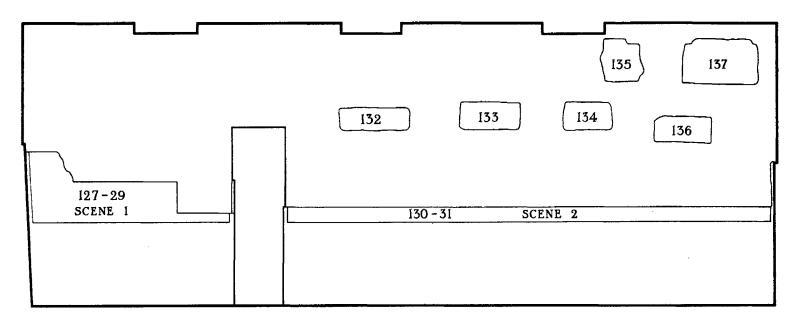


OFFERINGS, OFFERING-BEARERS, AND SLAUGHTERED CATTLE. CTOR PRIESTS (AT LOWER RIGHT) PRESENT THE OFFERINGS SOUTH WAS SCENE 2

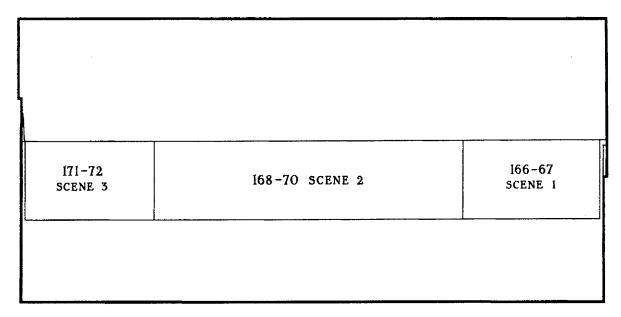
CHAMBER A 13



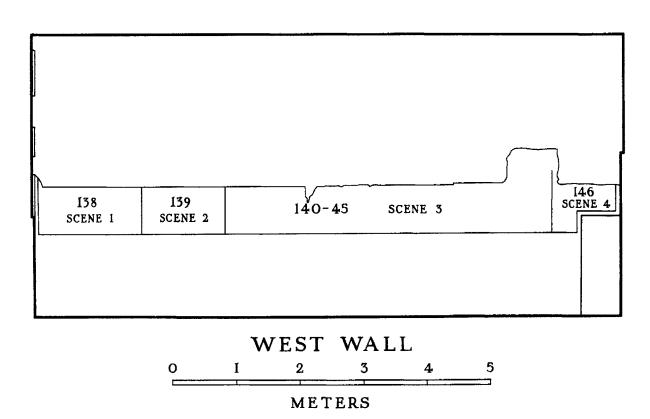
NORTH WALL



SOUTH WALL

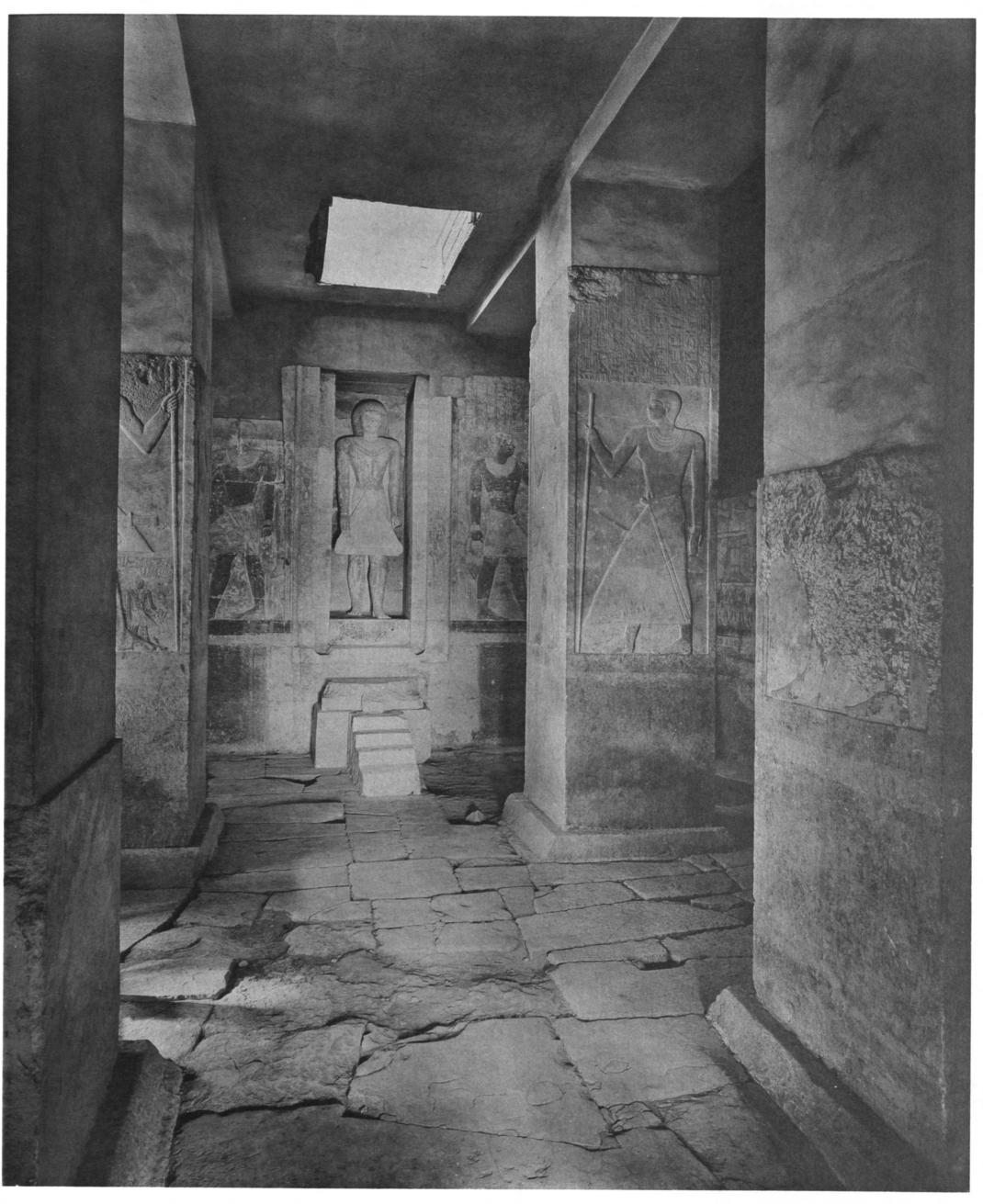


EAST WALL

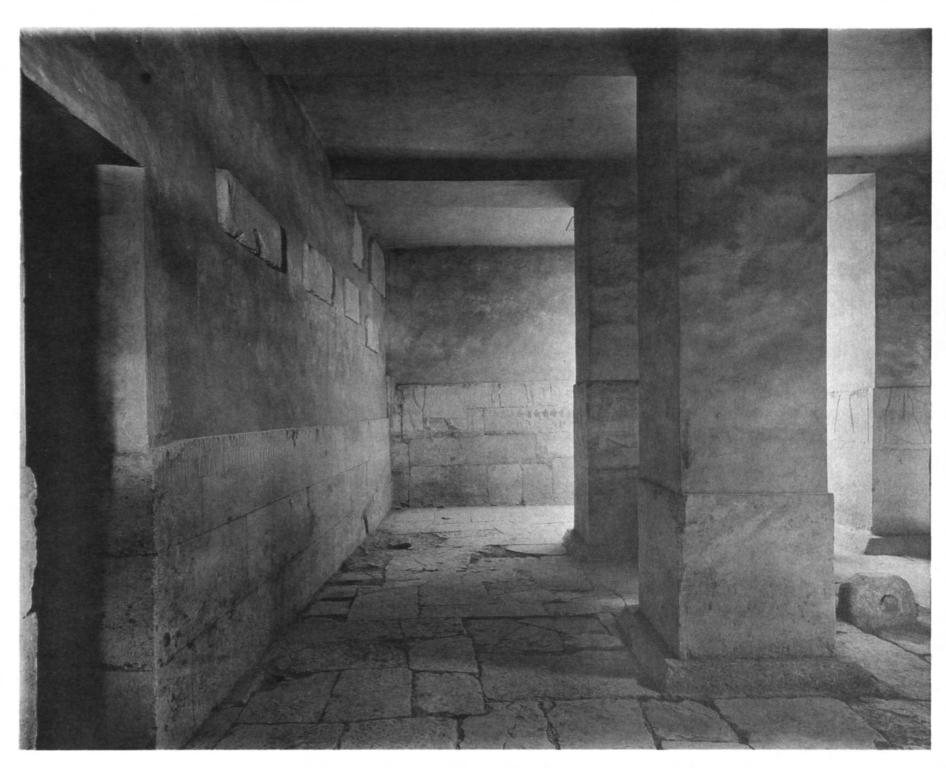


CHAMBER A 13

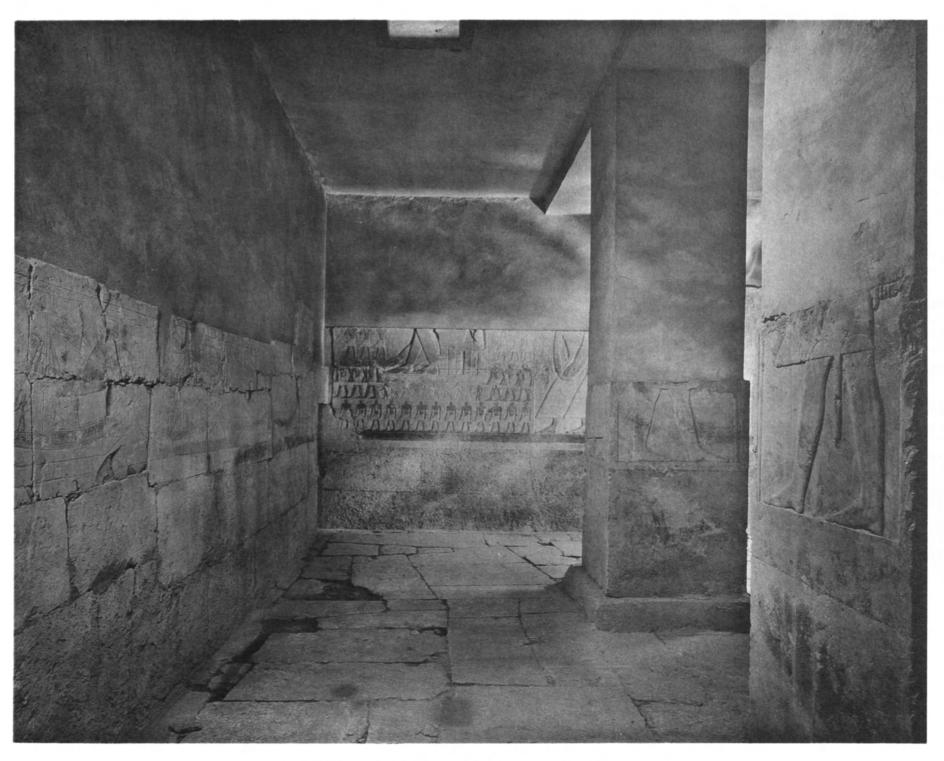
The numbers correspond to those shown on the plan facing the half-title before Plate 105 and refer to plates of this volume. Scale, 1:60



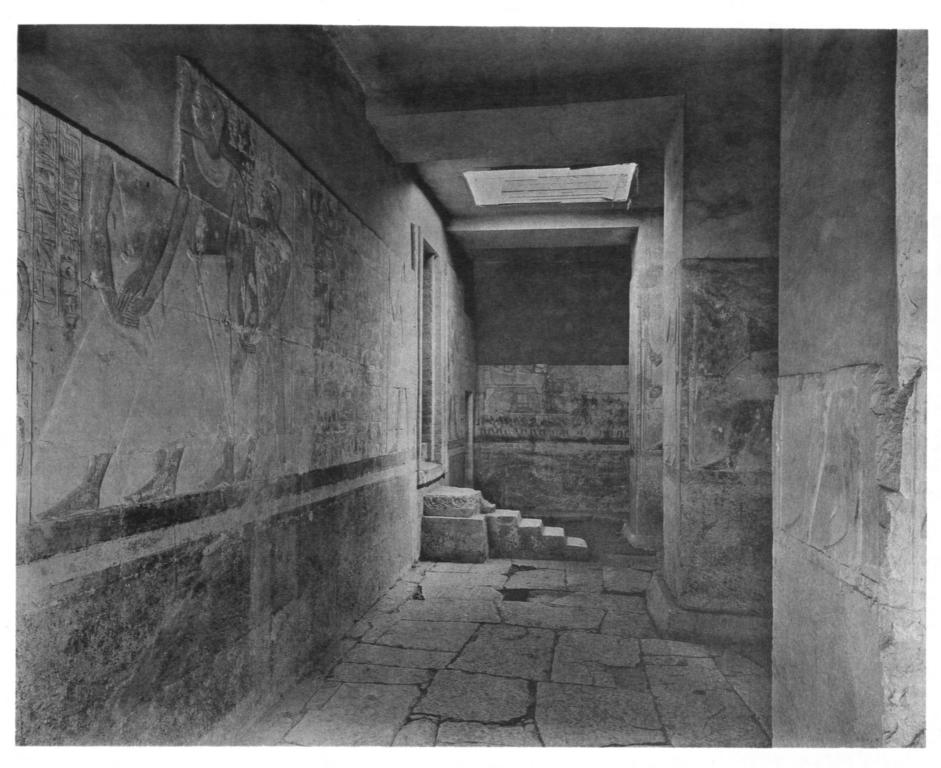
INTERIOR, LOOKING NORTH



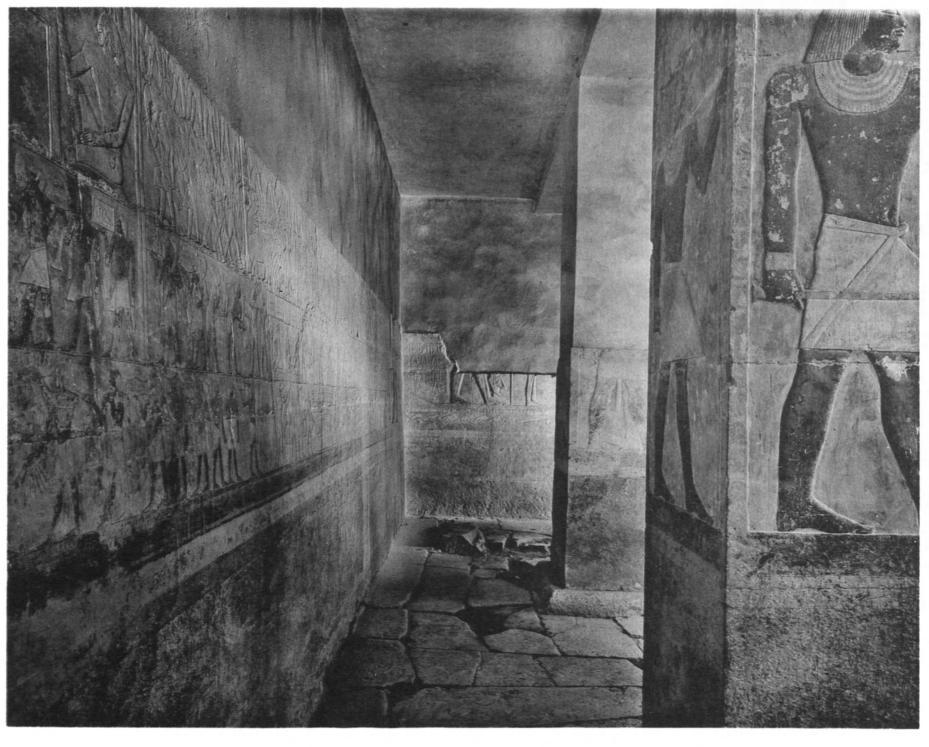
 \mathcal{A} . INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST ALONG SOUTH WALL



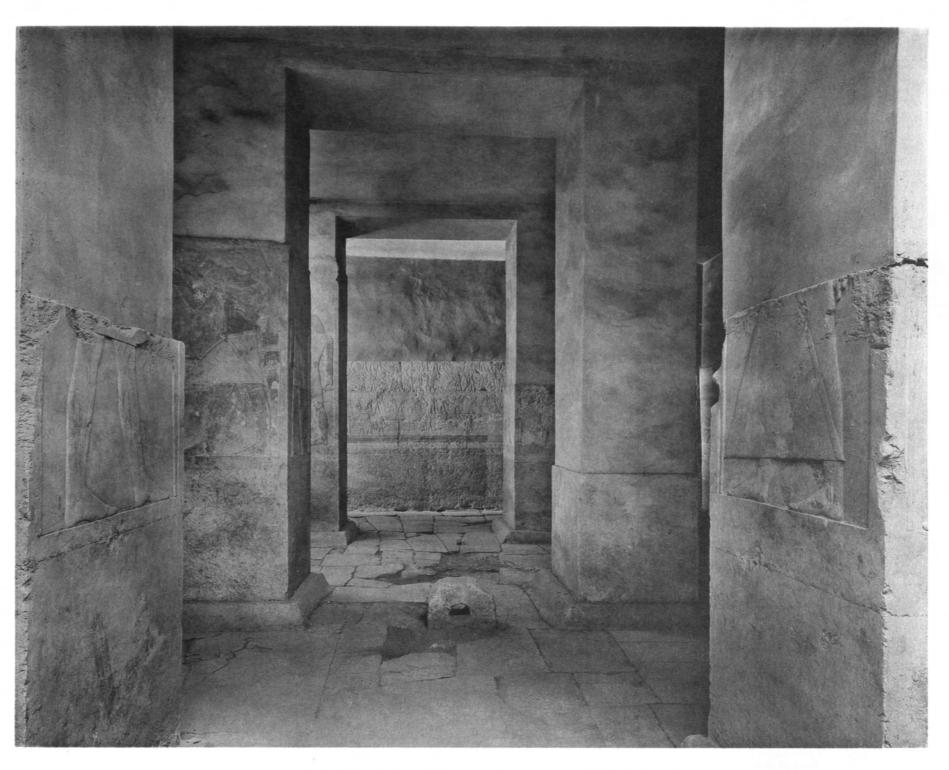
B. INTERIOR, LOOKING NORTH ALONG WEST WALL



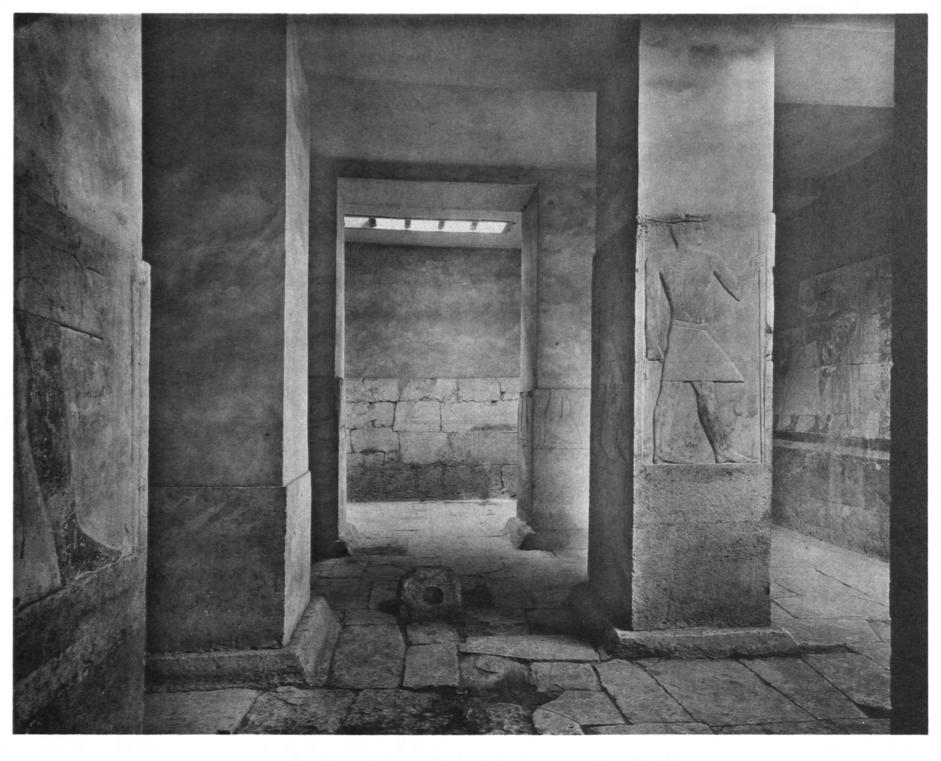
 ${\cal A}$. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST ALONG NORTH WALL



B. INTERIOR, LOOKING SOUTH ALONG EAST WALL



A. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST BETWEEN PIERS

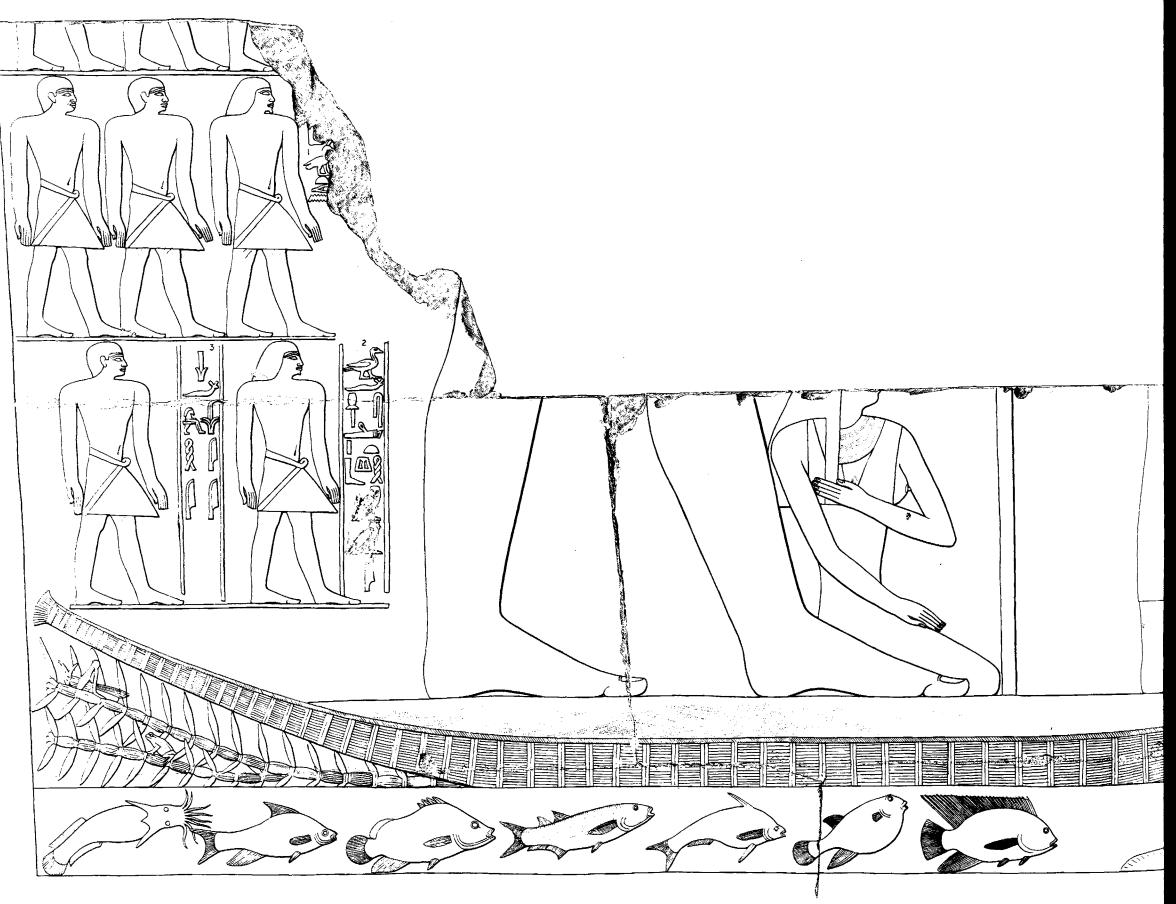


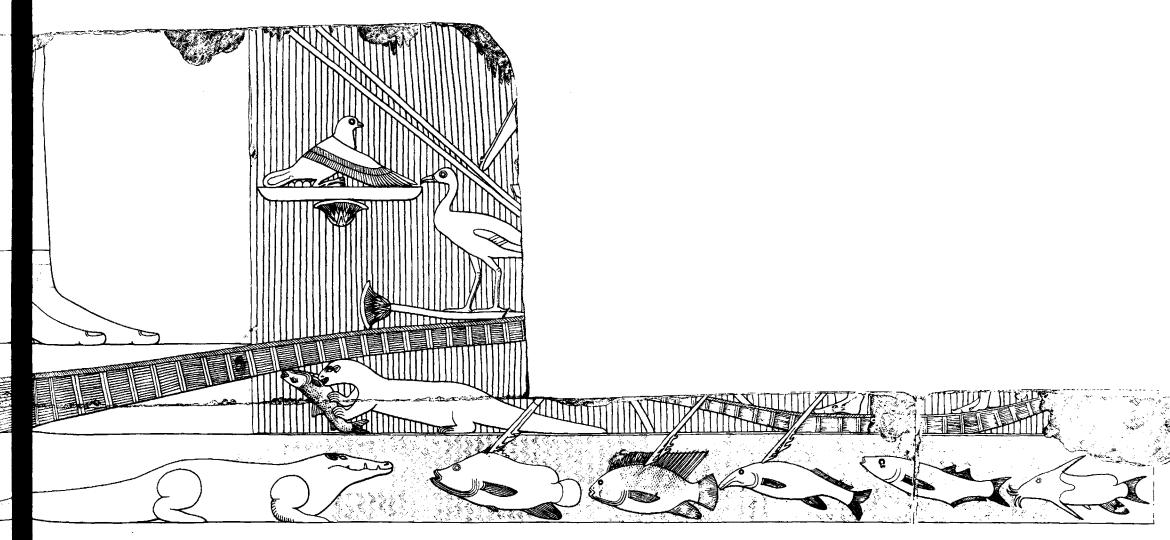
B. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST BETWEEN PIERS



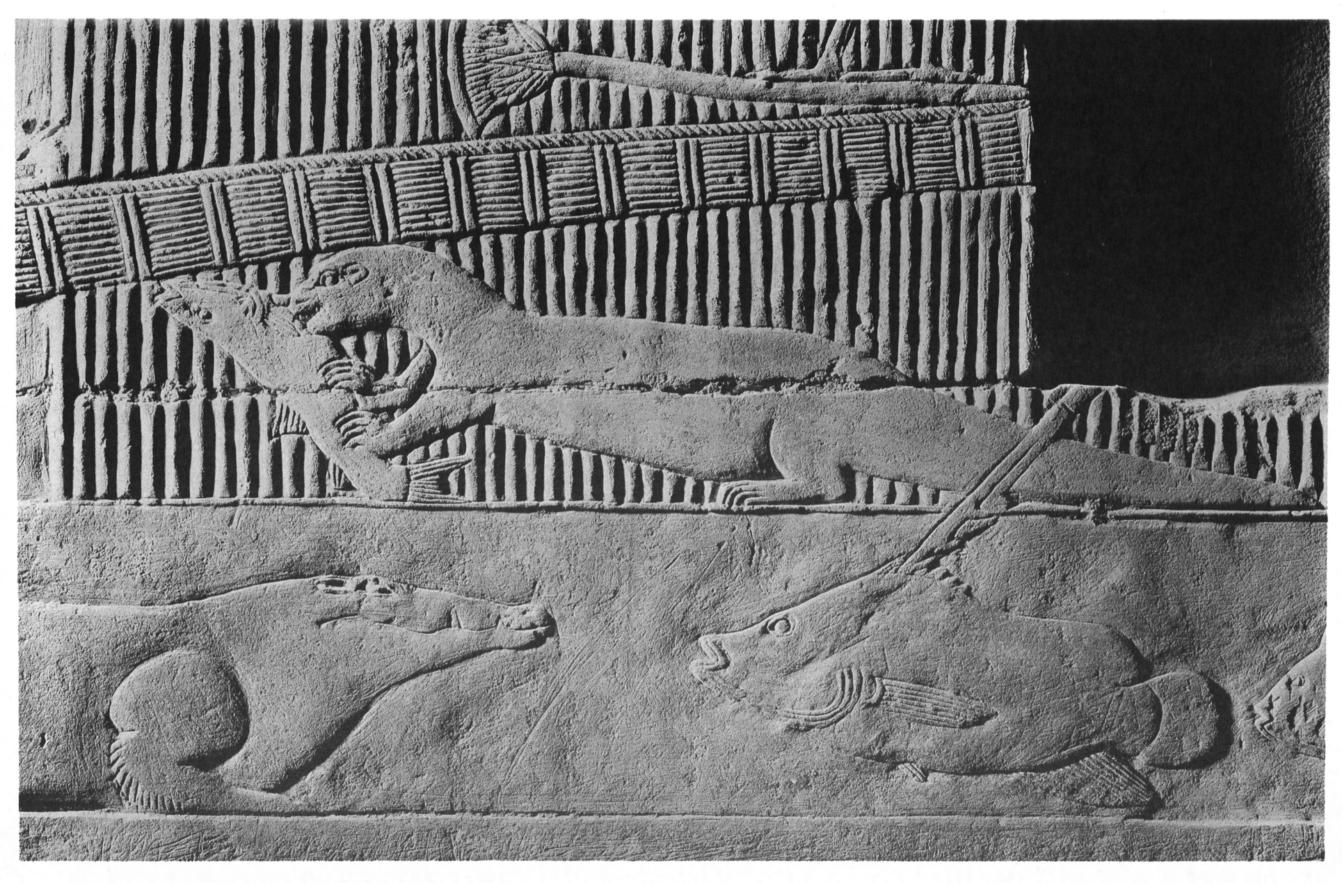
MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER(?), ATTENDED BY A SO. A BROTHER, AND OTHER MEN, IN A REED BOAT IN THE MARSHES SOUTH WAS SCENE 1

COMPARE DRAW C, PLATE 128



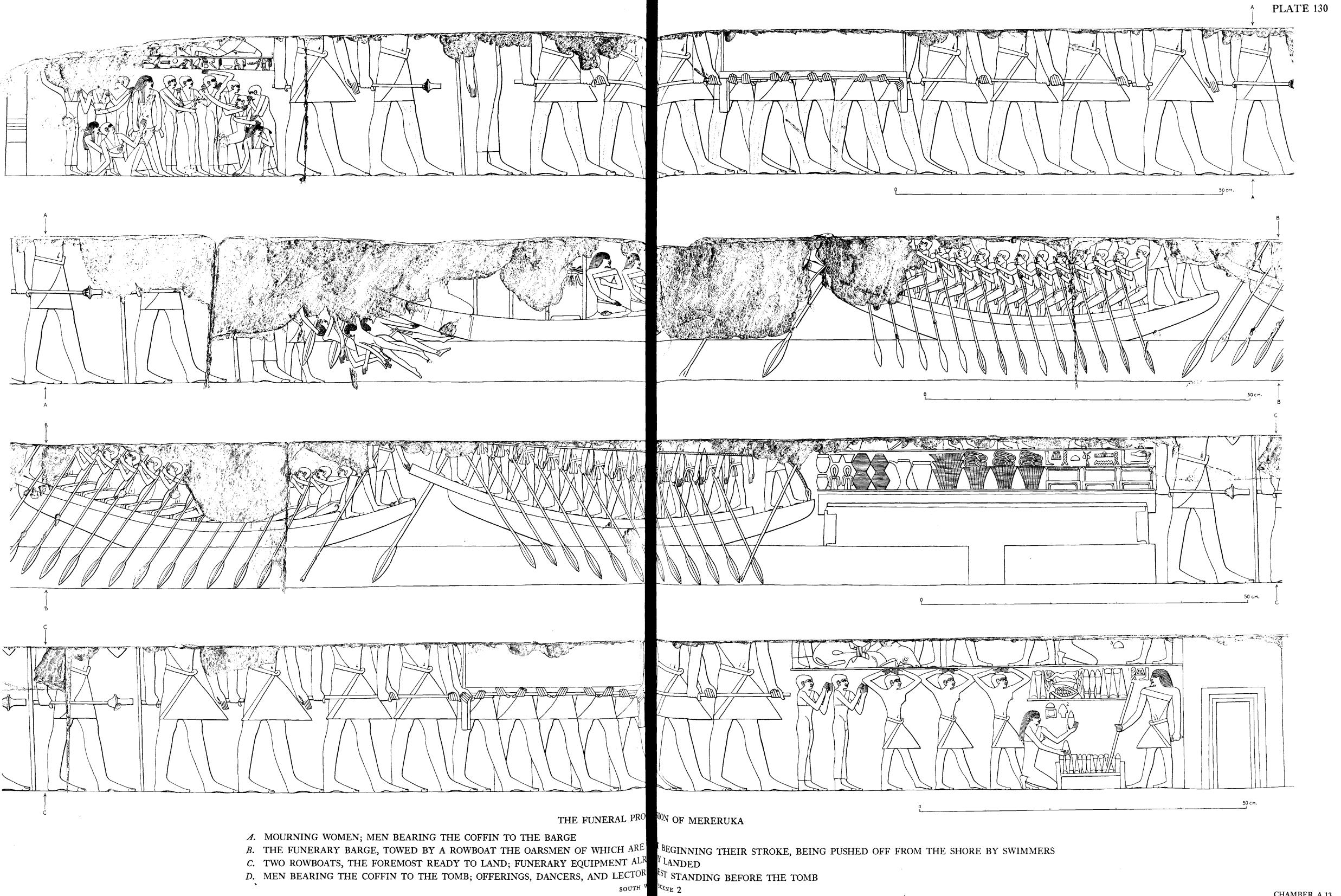


MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE AND DAUGHTER(?), ATTENDED BY A SOUTH VESCENE 1



OTTER KILLING A FISH
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATES 127–28

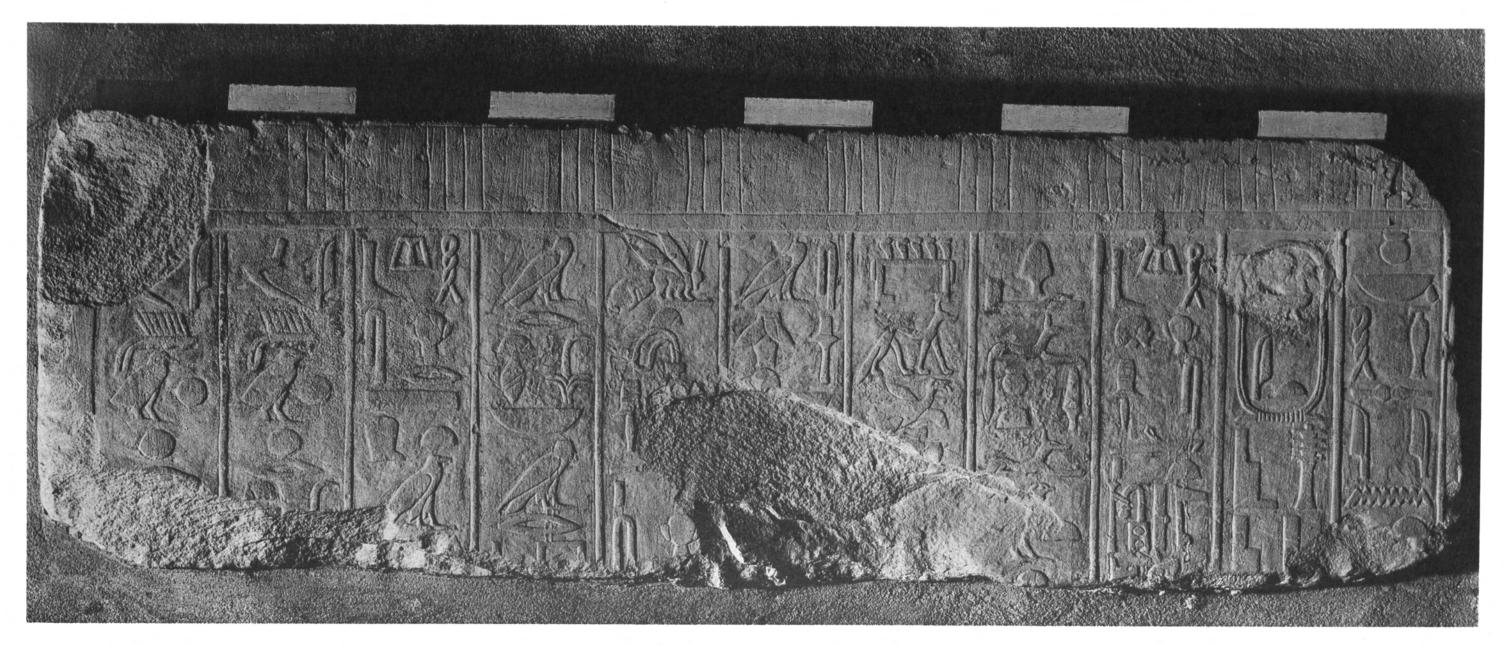
PLATE 129



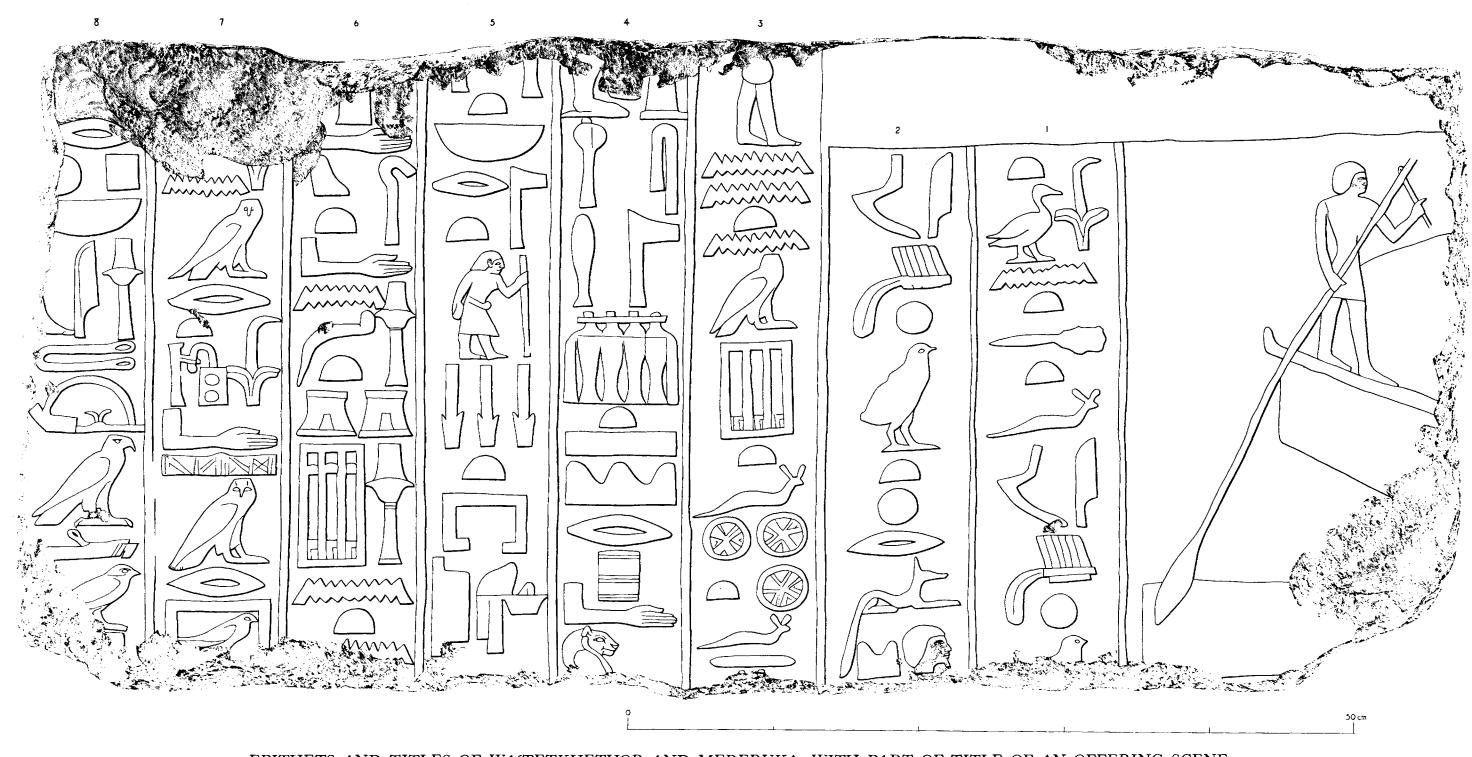


WOMEN MOURNING FOR MERERUKA DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 130 \boldsymbol{A}

10 CM.



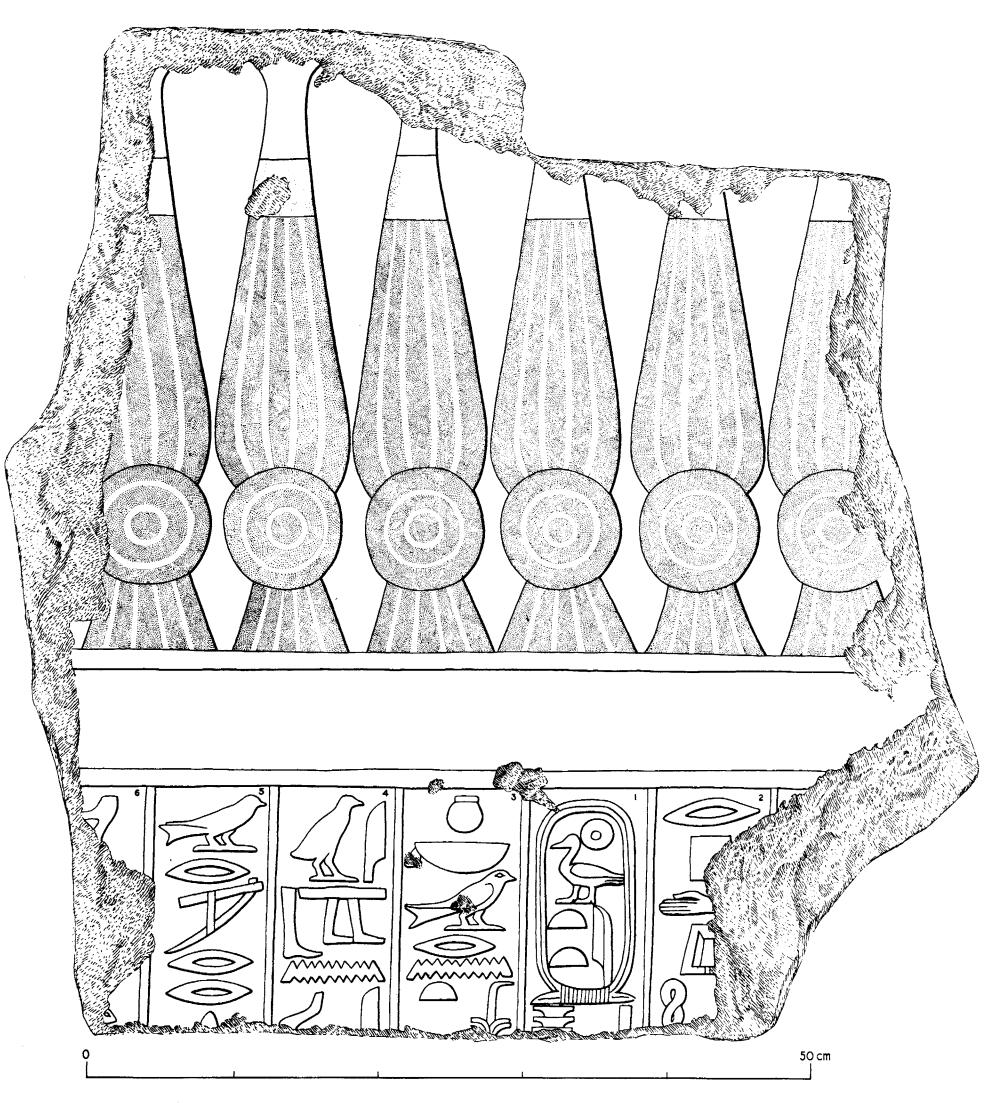
EPITHETS AND TITLES OF MERERUKA
FRAGMENT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL



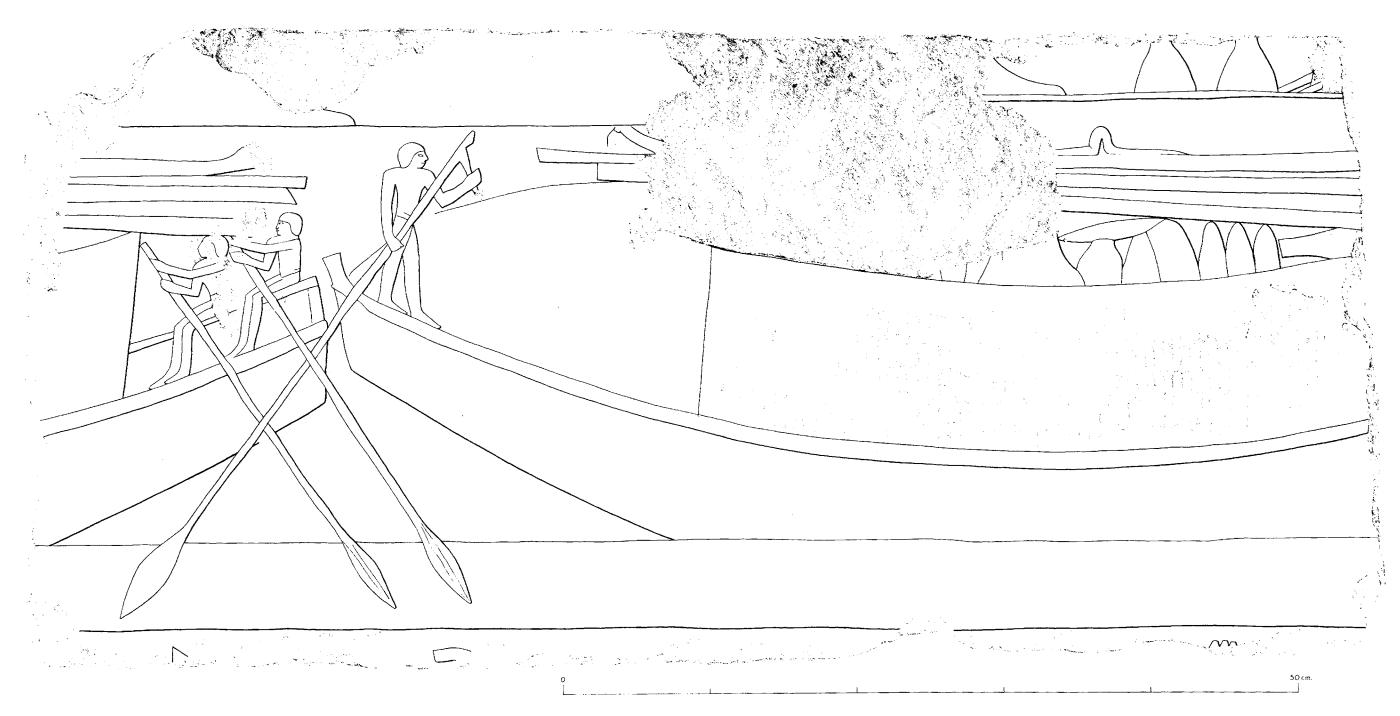
EPITHETS AND TITLES OF WACTETKHETHOR AND MERERUKA, WITH PART OF TITLE OF AN OFFERING SCENE

FRAGMENT PROBABLY BELONGING TO WEST WALL BUT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL

TEXT OF A GREETING TO MERERUKA BY CEMETERY OFFICIALS FRAGMENT PROBABLY BELONGING TO WEST WALL BUT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL



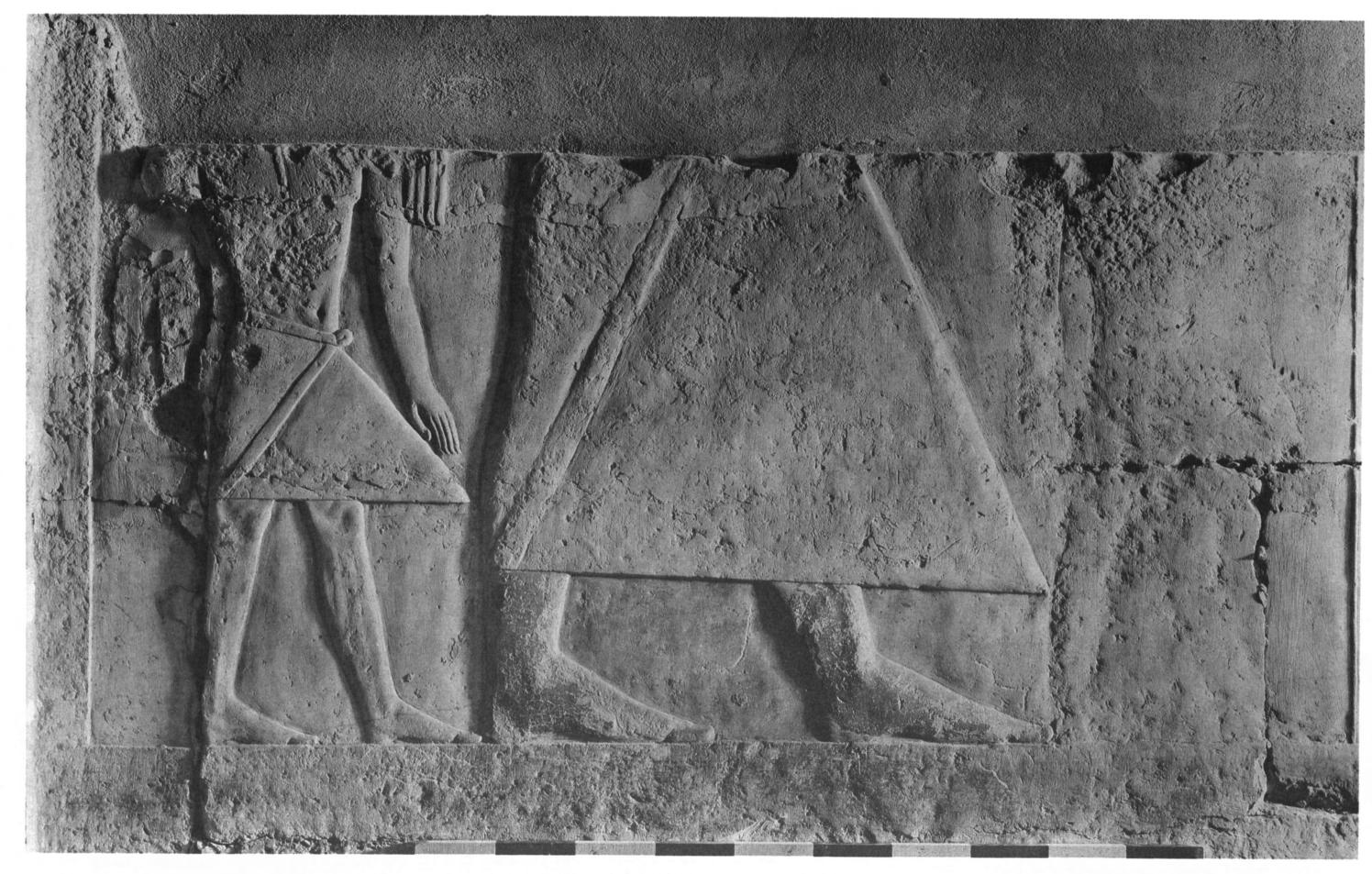
TITLES AND BEGINNING OF AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF MERERUKA FRAGMENT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL



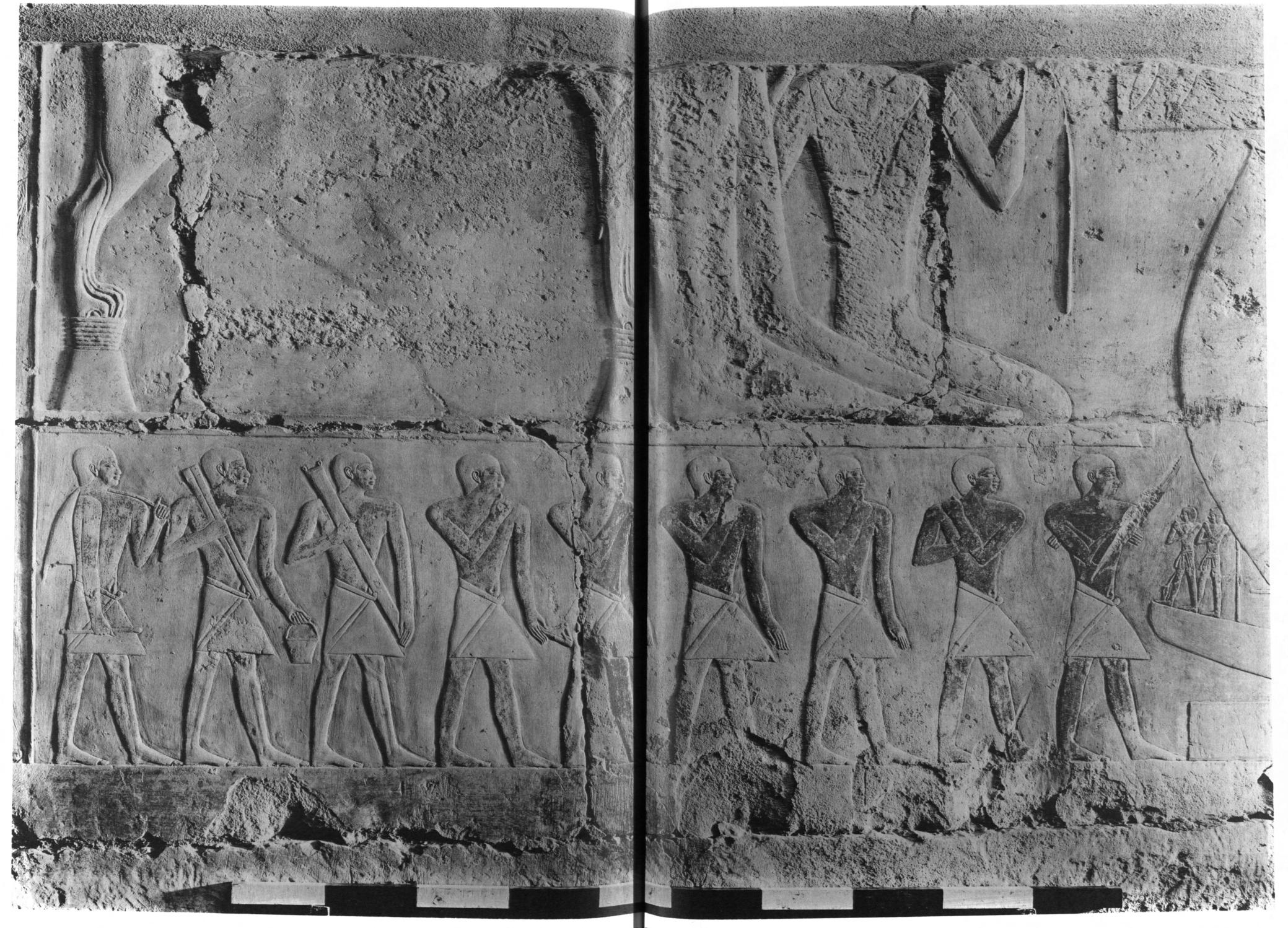
BOATS WITH SAILS FURLED AND MASTS LOWERED FRAGMENT PROBABLY BELONGING TO WEST WALL BUT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL



TITLES AND EPITHETS OF MERERUKA; ATTENDANTS
FRAGMENT NOW FIXED IN UPPER PORTION OF SOUTH WALL

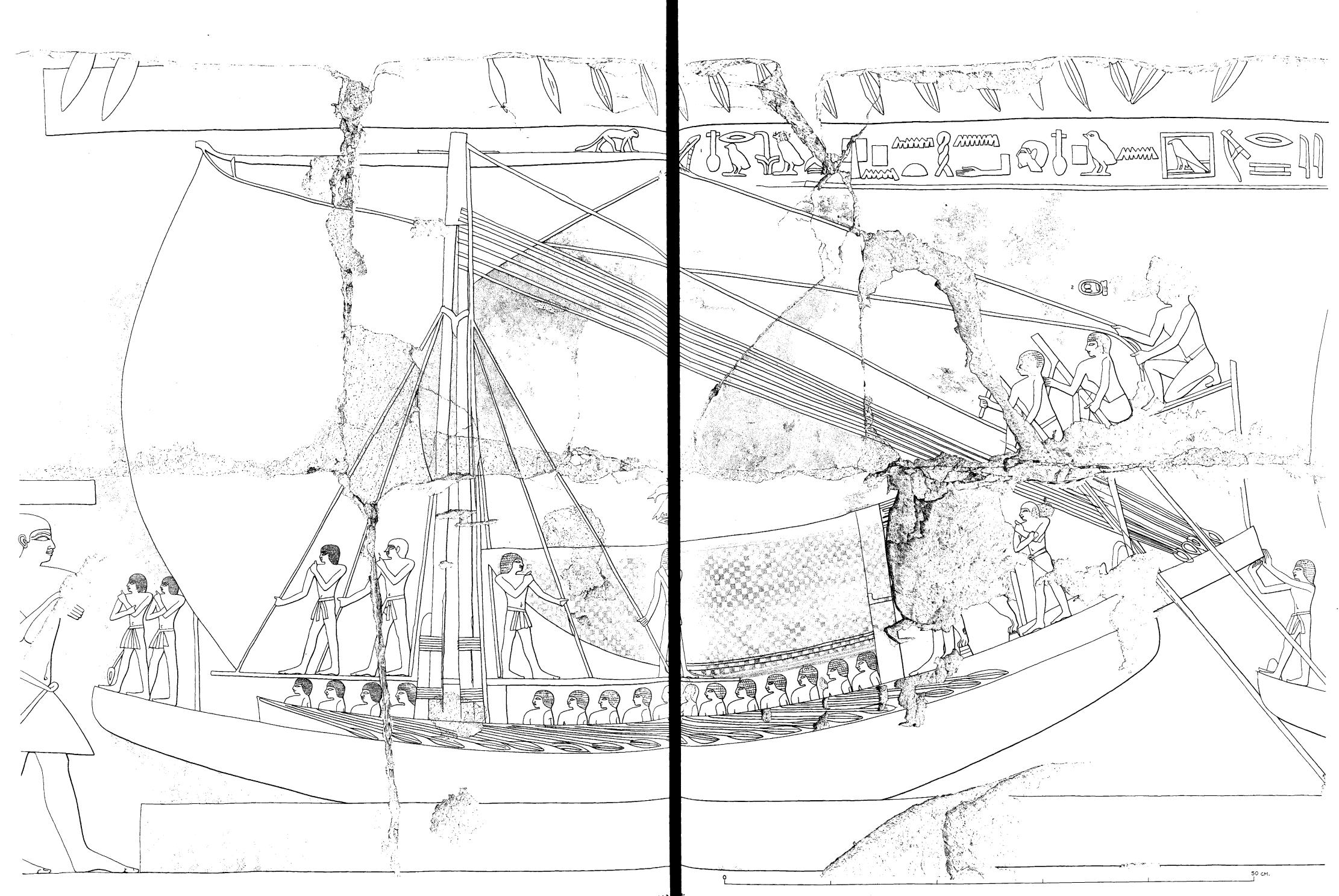


MERERUKA ACCOMPANIED BY TWO SONS(?)
WEST WALL, SCENE 1



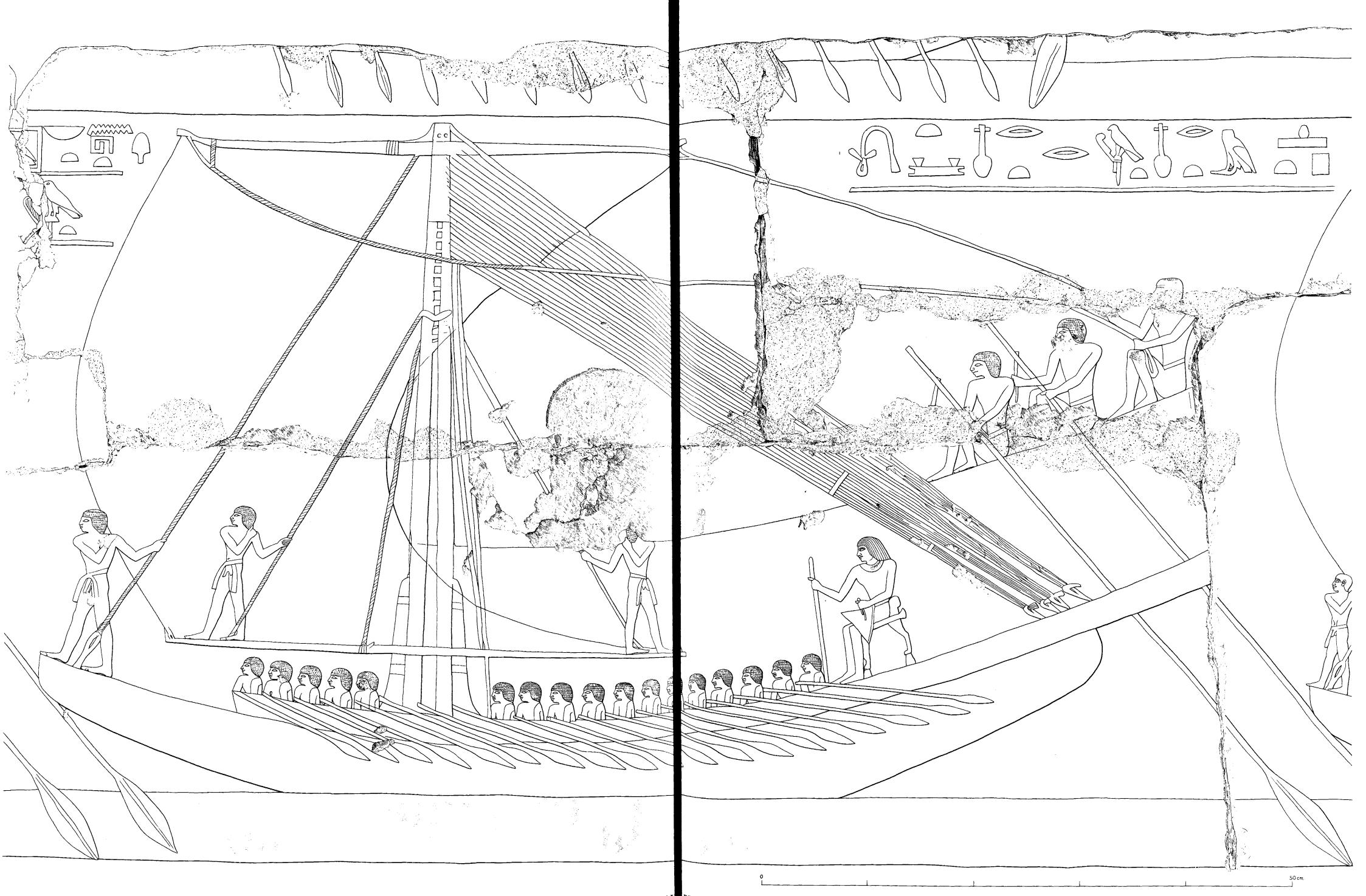
MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR, ATTENDED BY ERVANTS, VIEWING BOATS SHOWN ON PLATES 140-45

WEST WALL SCENE 2



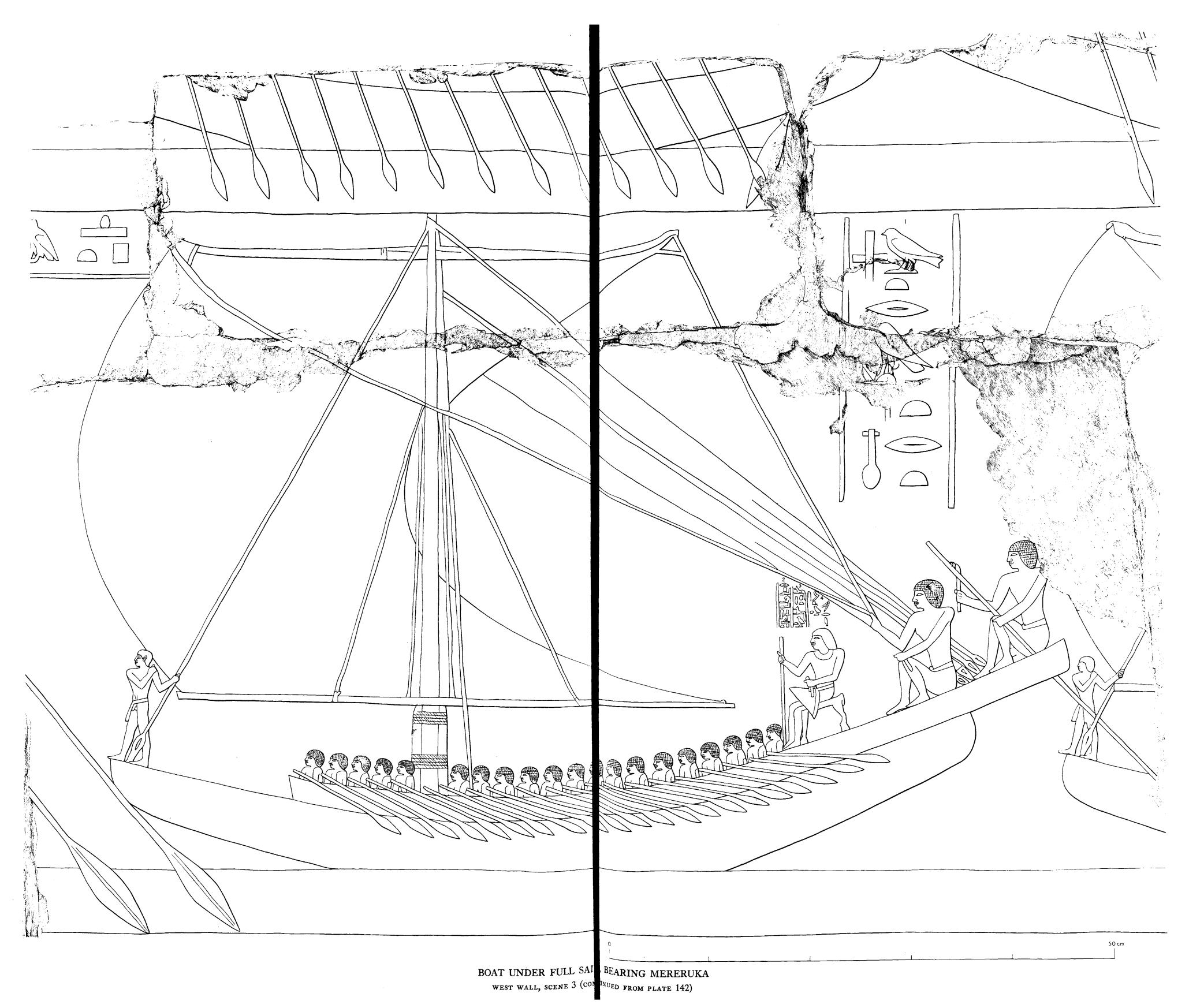
BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, WITH CABIN AND CAN (BEARING MERERUKA (FIGURE DESTROYED)

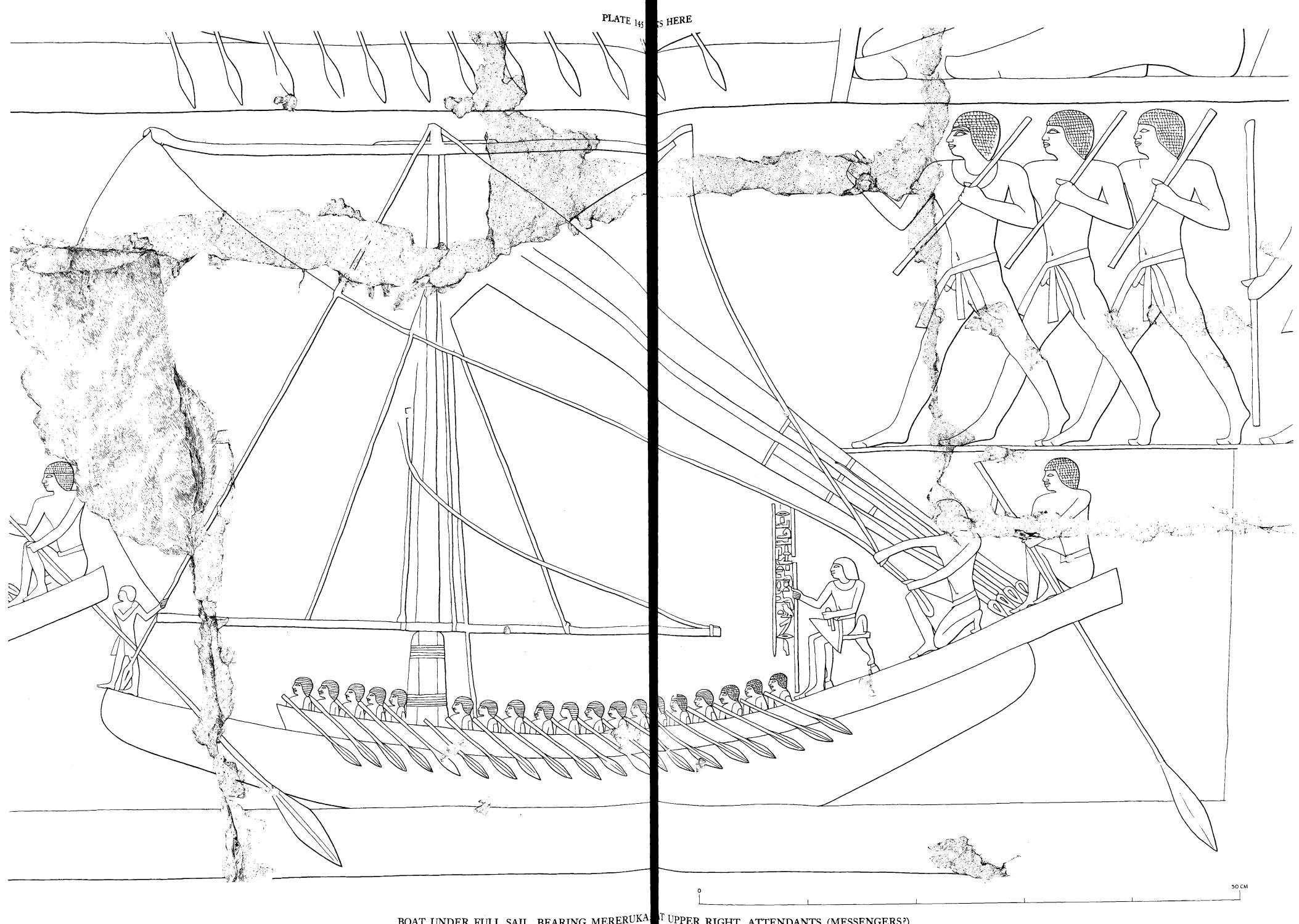
WEST WALL, SCENE 3 (CON PLATES 141-45)



BOAT UNDER FULL SAI BEARING MERERUKA(?)

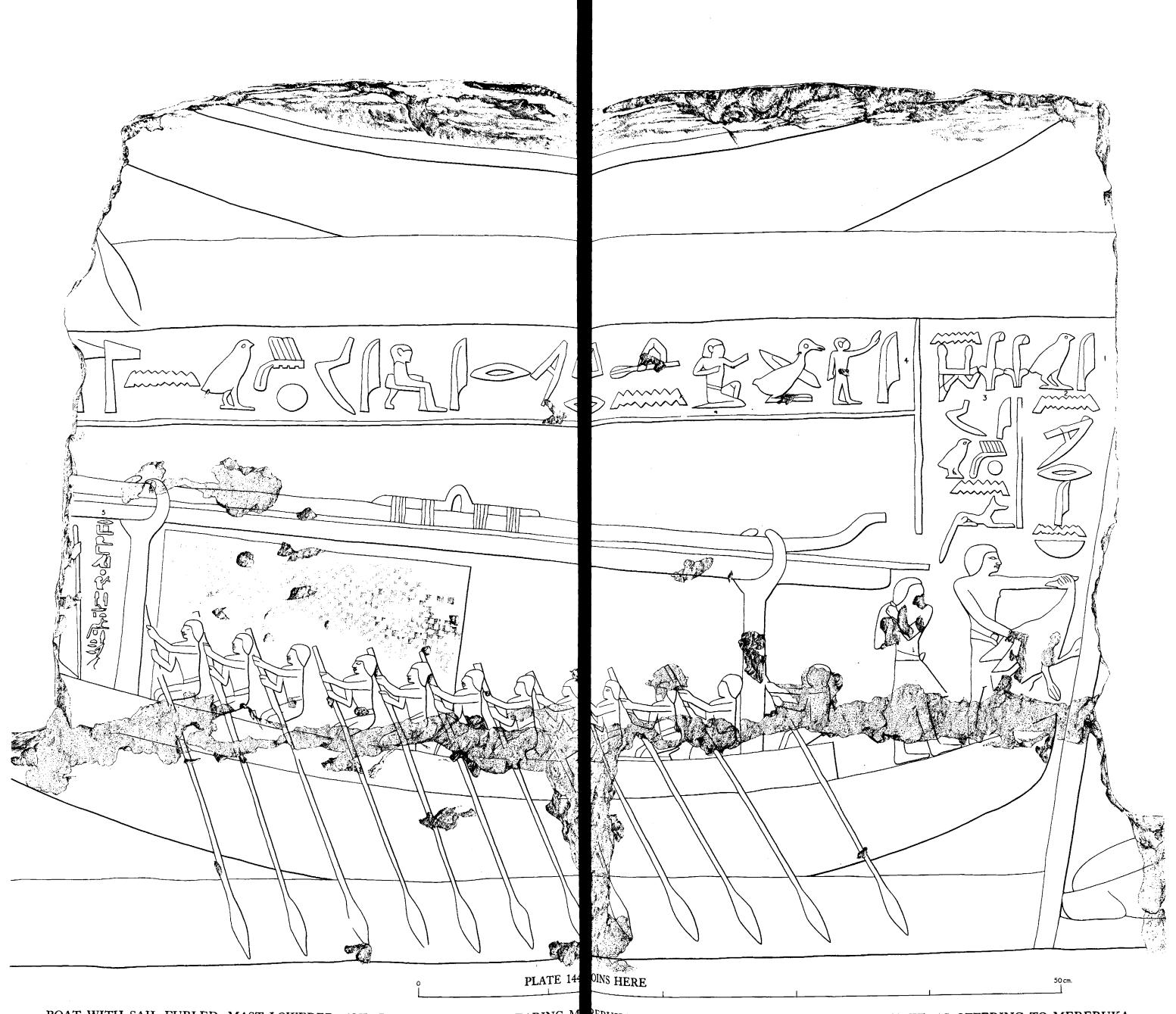
WEST WALL, SCENE 3 (COUNTY FROM PLATE 141)





BOAT UNDER FULL SAIL, BEARING MERERUKA T UPPER RIGHT, ATTENDANTS (MESSENGERS?)

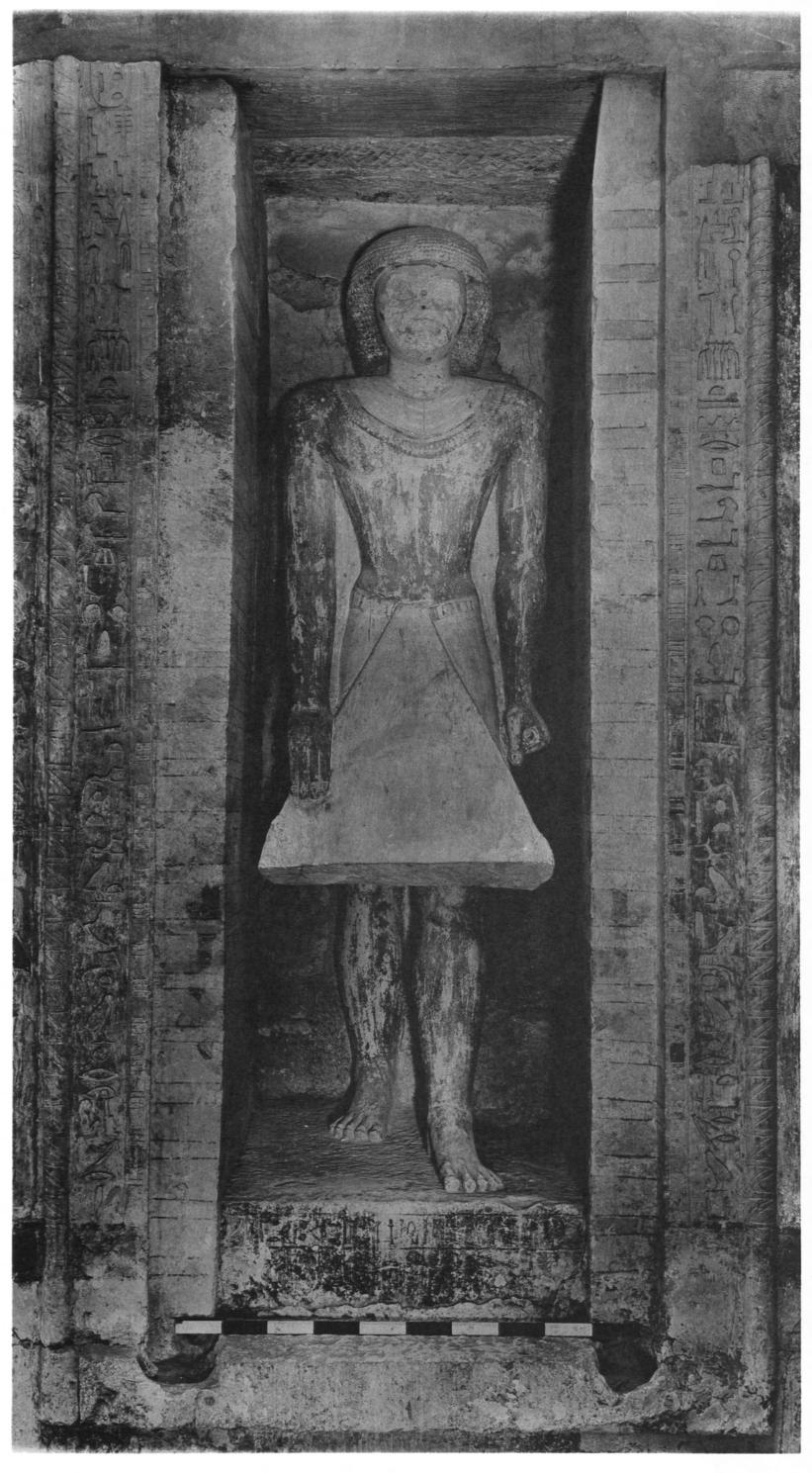
WEST WALL, SCENE 3 (CO TAUED FROM PLATE 143)



BOAT WITH SAIL FURLED, MAST LOWERED, AND ROWERS AT OARS, BEARING M (LARGE FIGURE AT CIGHT; DESTROYED)

WEST WALL, SCENE 3 (C TINUED FROM PLATE 144)

ATTENDANTS (MESSENGERS?) AND A SERVANT LEADING DOGS; ABOVE, FRAGMENT OF SEATED FIGURE OF MERERUKA, WITH WA'TETKHETḤOR WEST WALL, SCENE 4



THE STATUE OF MERERUKA IN ITS NICHE

NORTH WALL

COMPARE PAINTING, PLATE 148

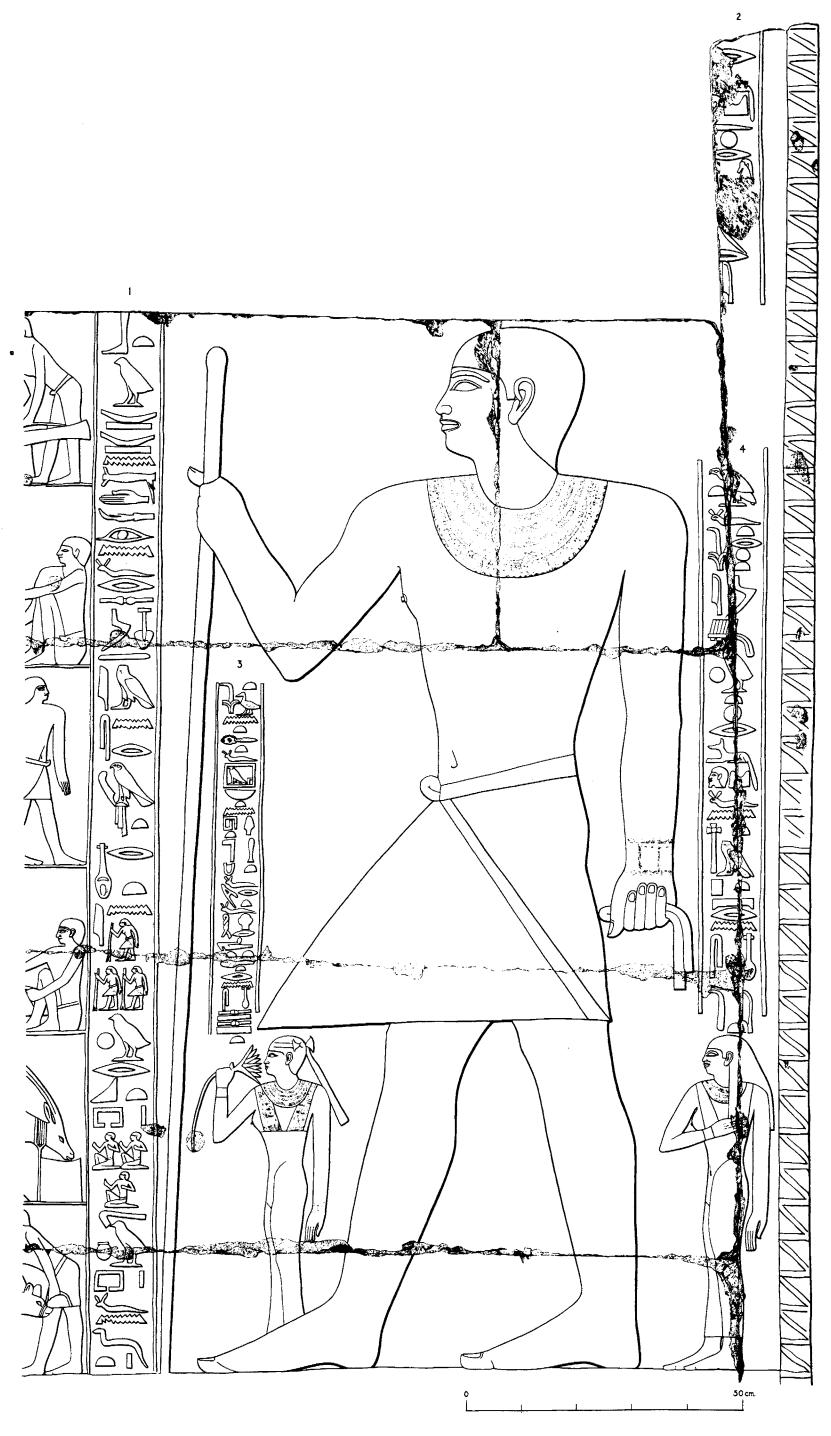


THE STATUE OF MERERUKA IN ITS NICHE



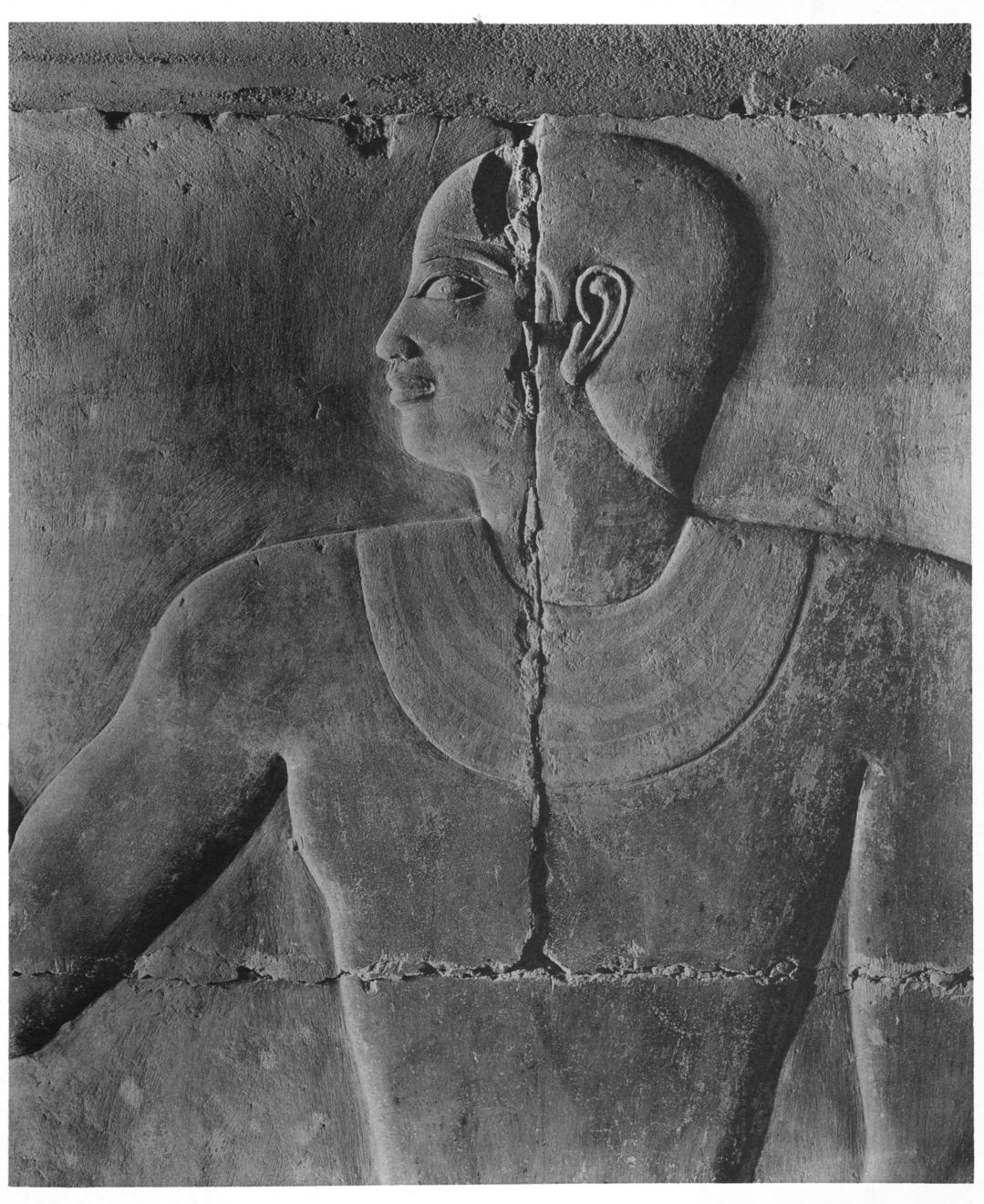
MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE WACTETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING THE CONSTRUCTION OF BOATS AND THE FEEDING OF ANIMALS (SHOWN ON PLATES 152–53)

NORTH WALL, SCENE 1
COMPARE PLATES 150-51



MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE WACTETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING THE CONSTRUCTION OF BOATS AND THE FEEDING OF ANIMALS (SHOWN ON PLATES 152–53)

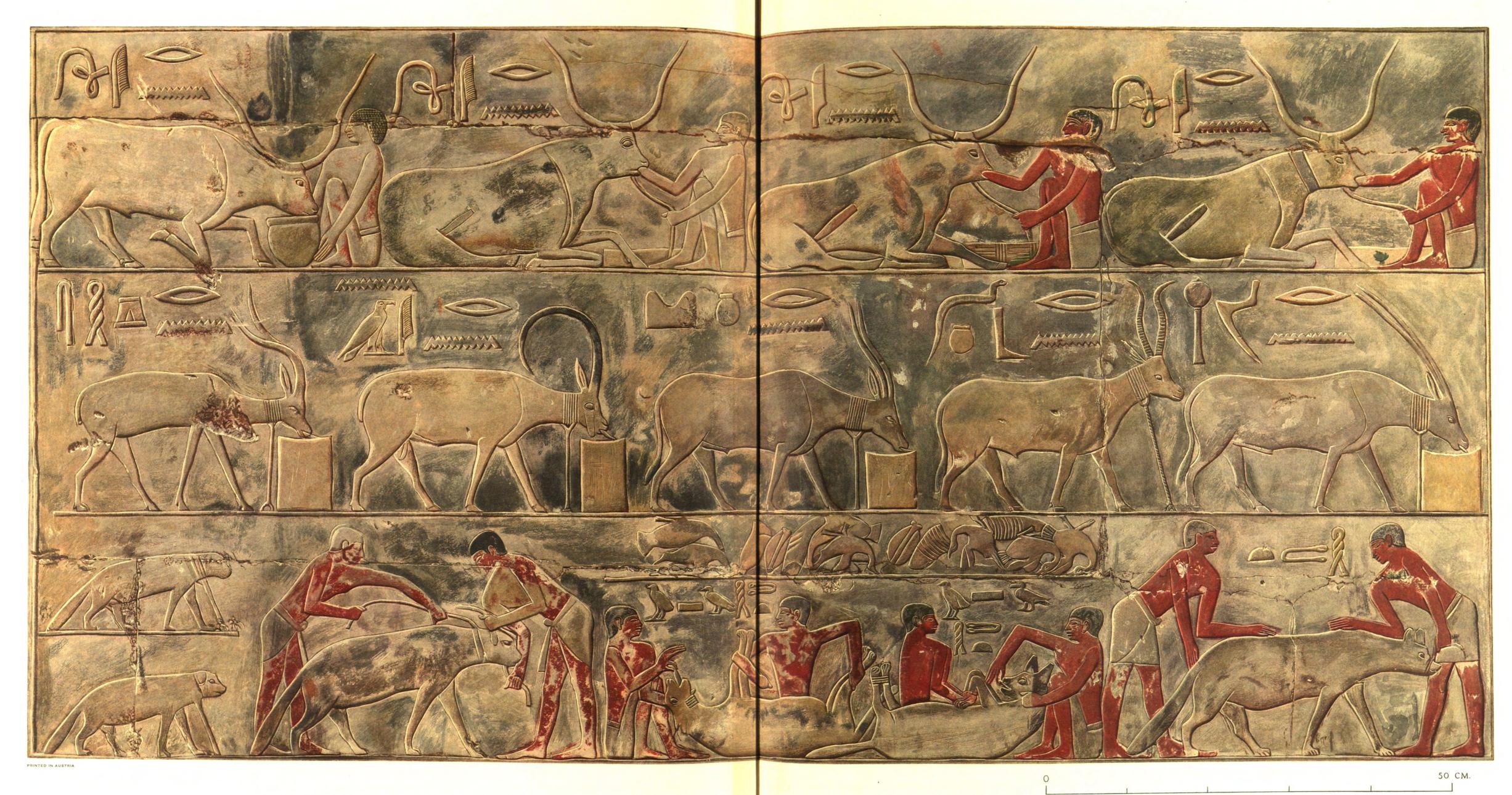
NORTH WALL, SCENE 1



HEAD OF MERERUKA
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATES 149-50



CONSTRUCTION OF BOATS; FEEDING OF CATTLE
NORTH WALL, SCENE 2



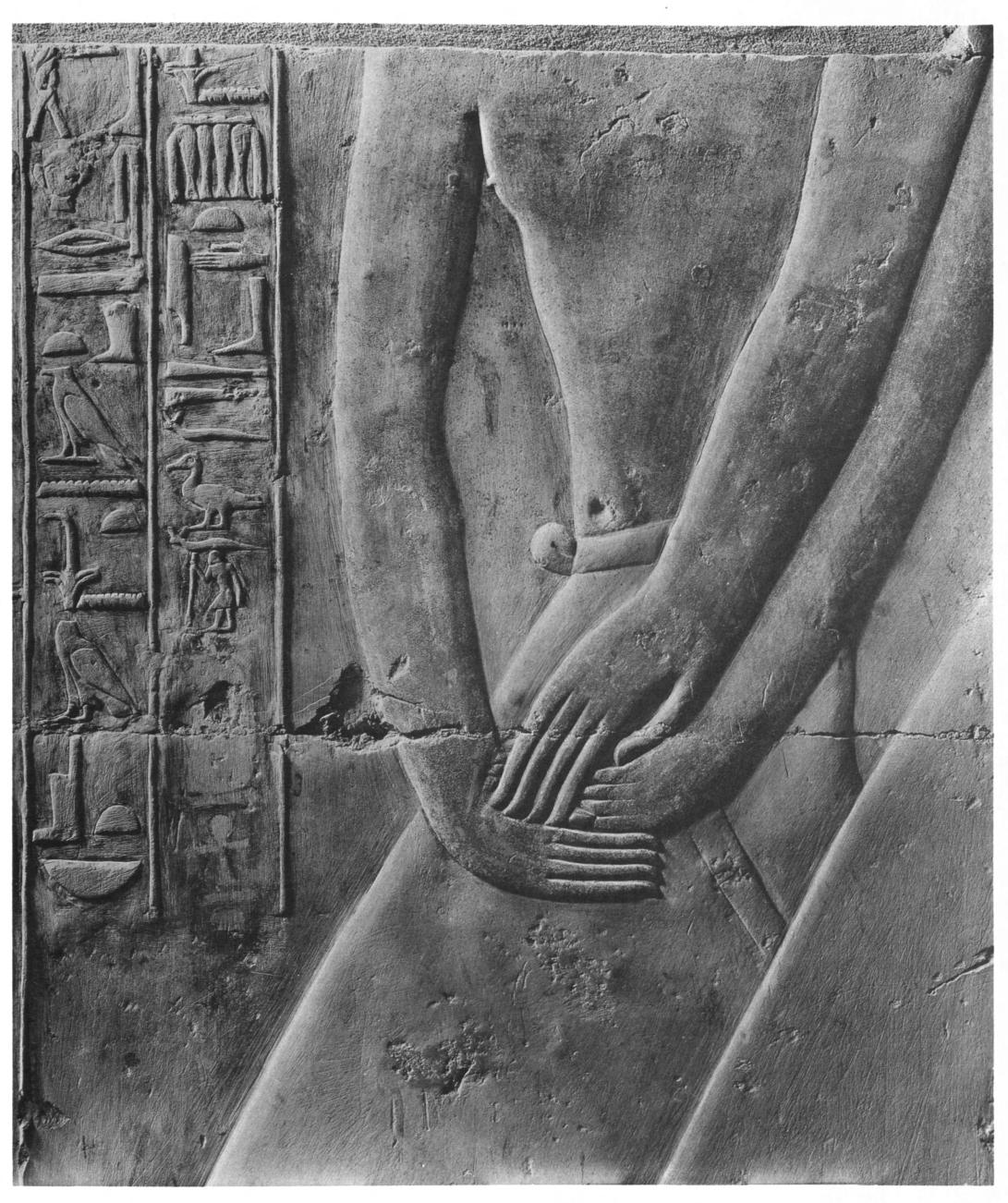
ATTENDANTS FORCIBLY FEEDING OXEN; SEMIDOMESTICATED ANTELOPES FEEDING FROM MANGERS; ATTENDANTS FORCIBLY FEEDING HYENAS IN ORDER TO FATTEN THEM FOR EATING NORTH WALL, SCENE 2

MERERUKA SUPPORTED BY TWO SONS

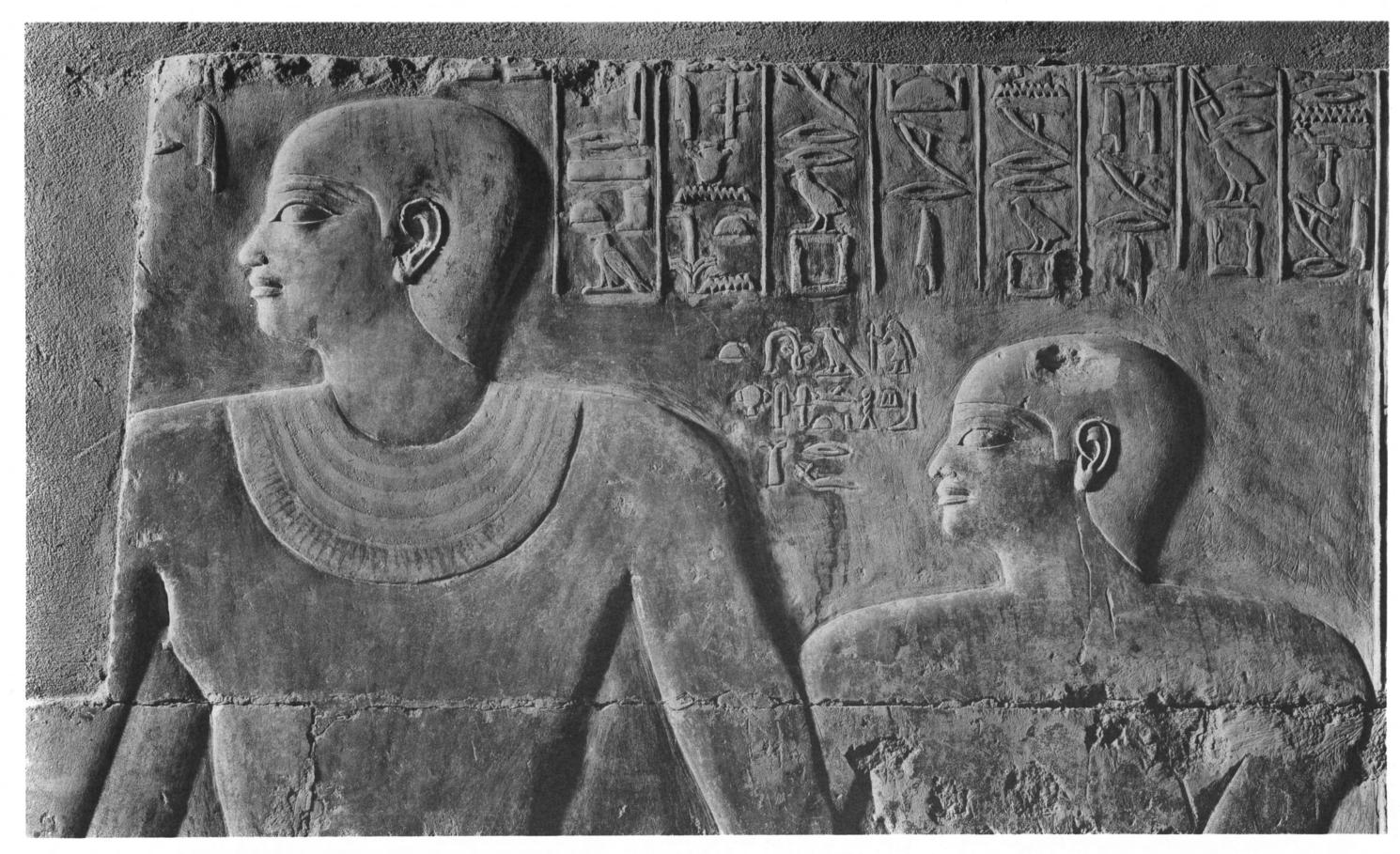
NORTH WALL, SCENE 3

COMPARE PLATES 104 AND 155-56

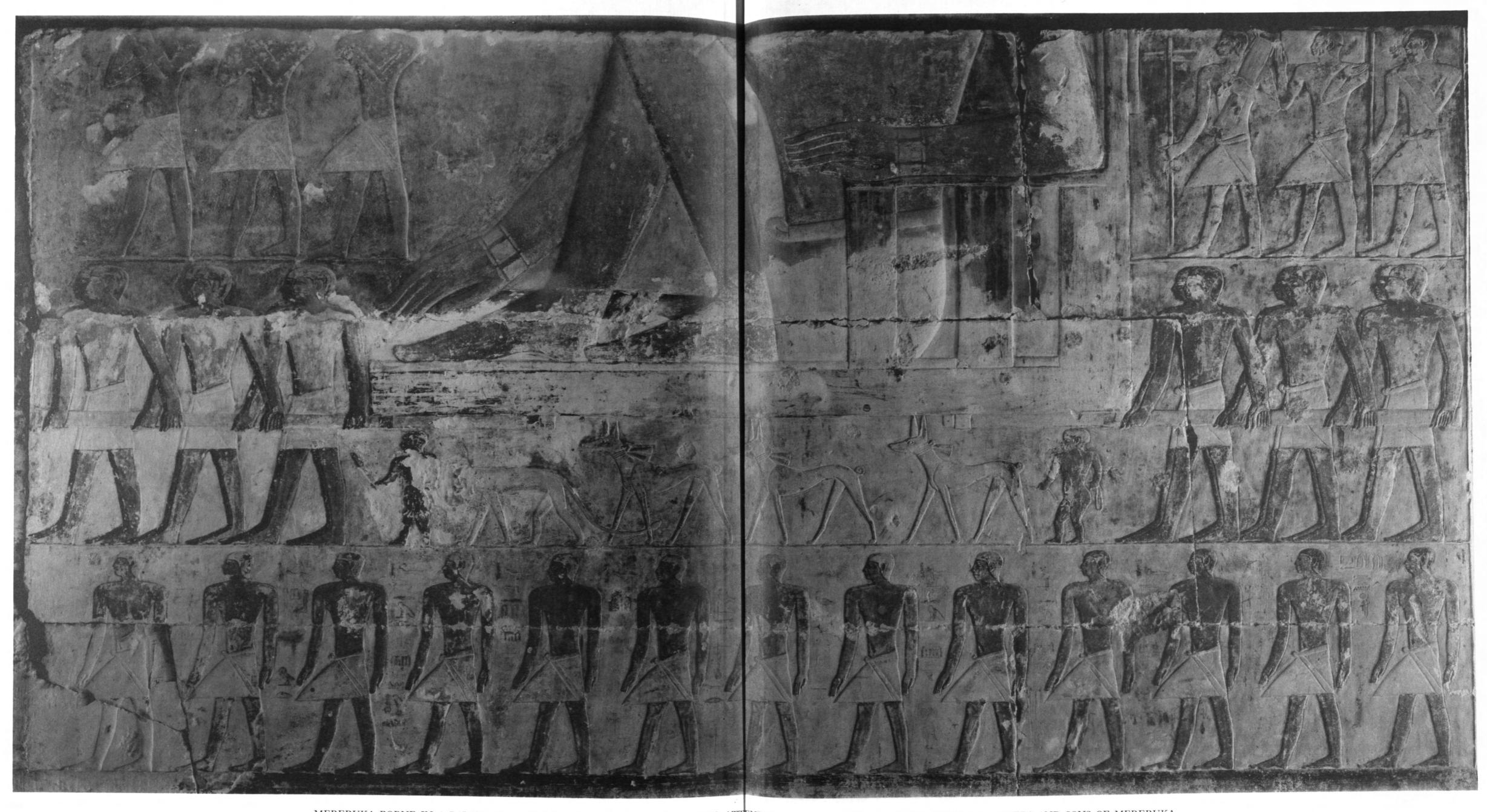
PLATE 154



HANDS OF MERERUKA AND A SON DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATES 104 AND 154



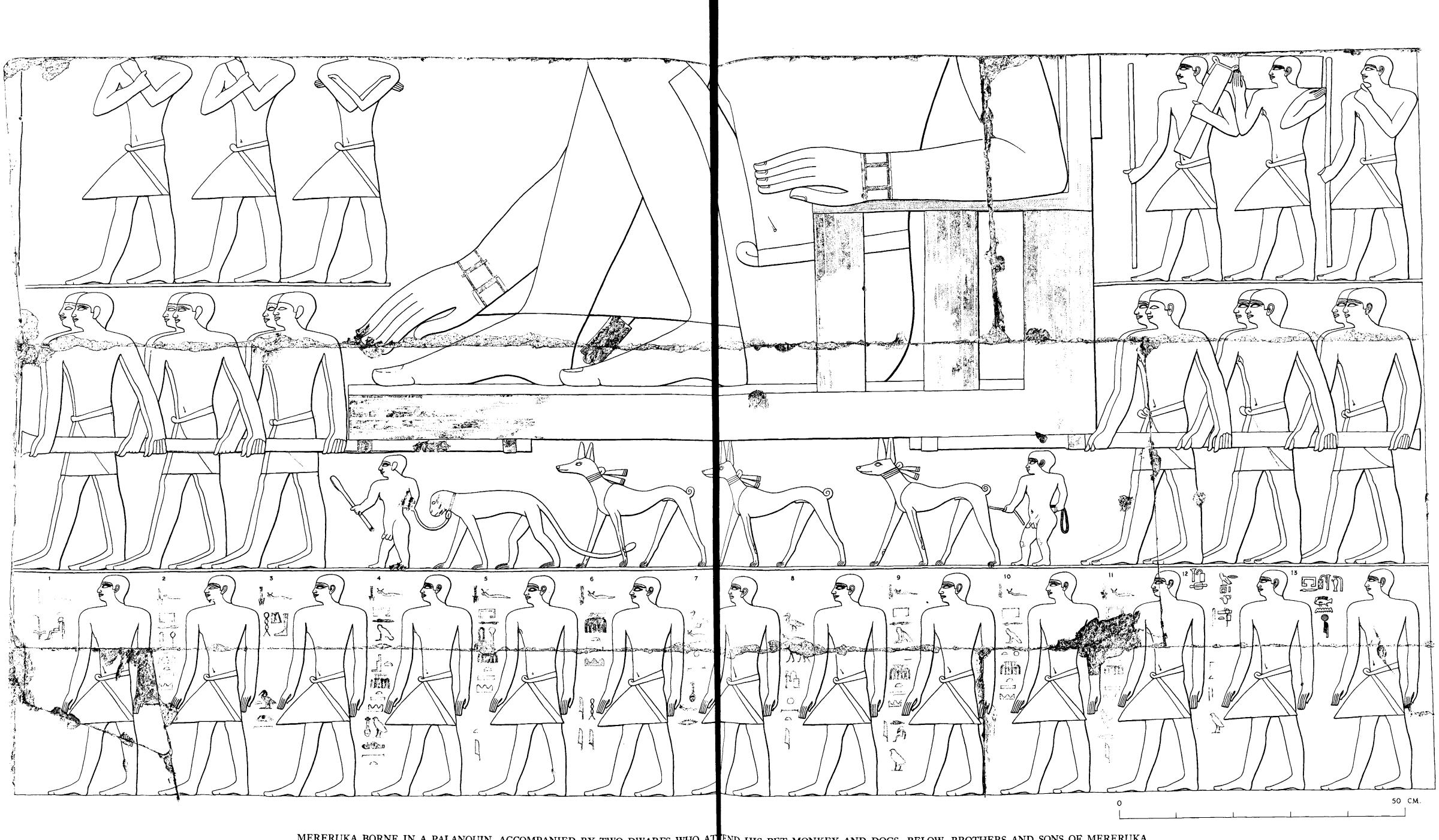
HEADS OF MERERUKA AND A SON DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATES 104 AND 154



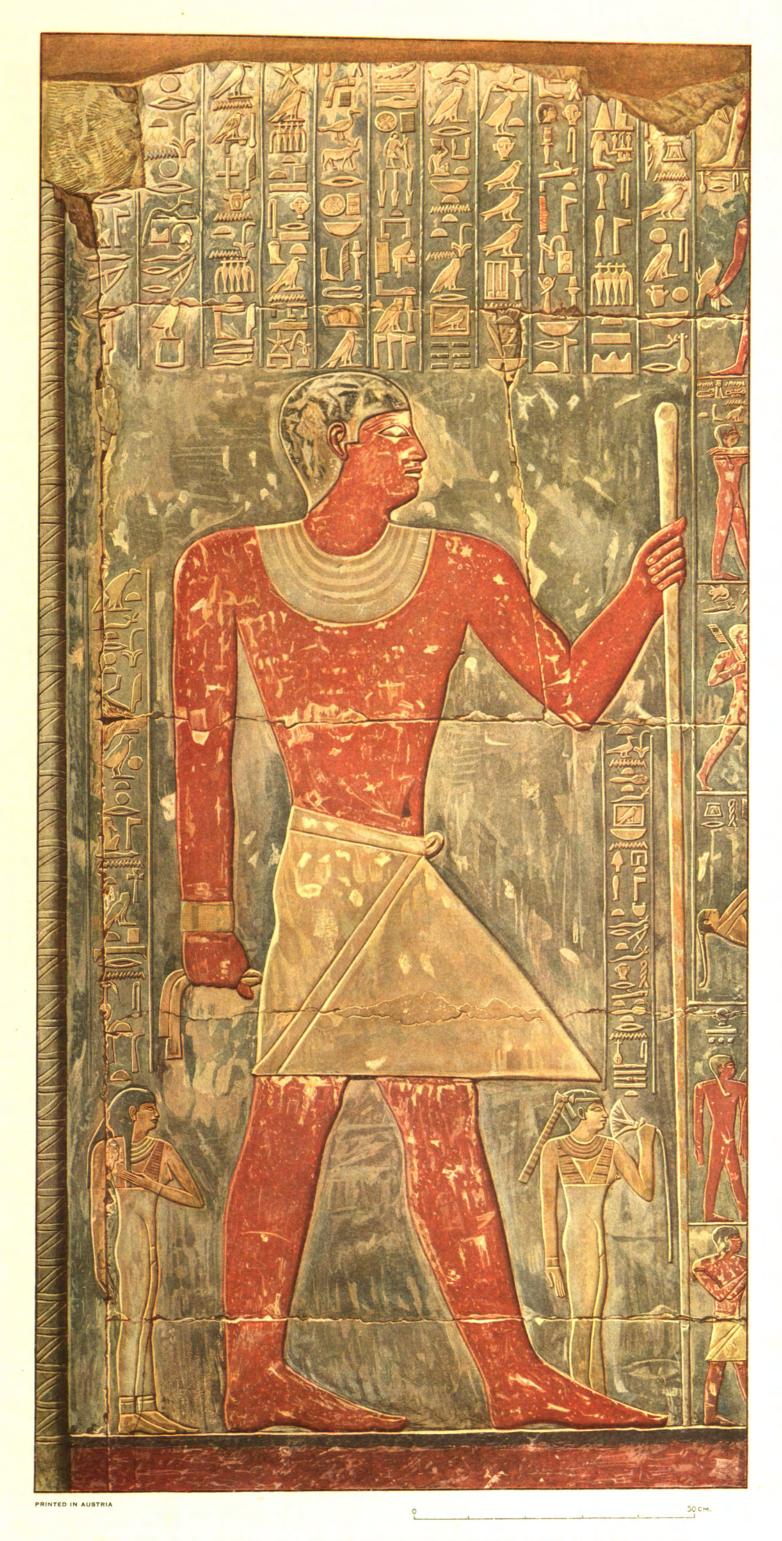
MERERUKA BORNE IN A PALANQUIN, ACCOMPANIED BY TWO DWARFS WHO ATTEND HIS PET MONKEY AND DOGS; BELOW, BROTHERS AND SONS OF MERERUKA

NORTH WALL, SCENE 4

COMPARE DRAWING, PLATE 158

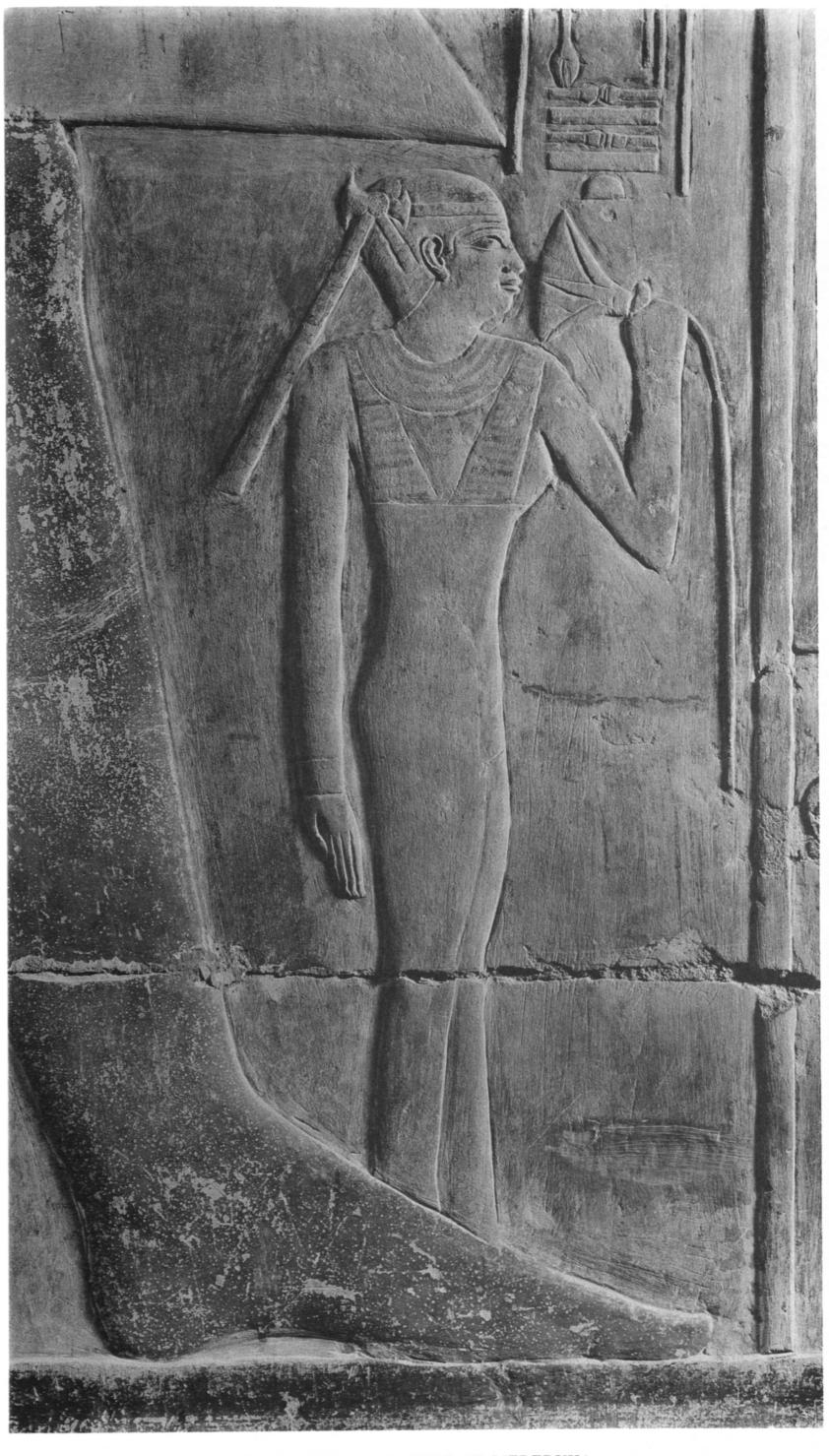


MERERUKA BORNE IN A PALANQUIN, ACCOMPANIED BY TWO DWARFS WHO AT END HIS PET MONKEY AND DOGS; BELOW, BROTHERS AND SONS OF MERERUKA NORTH WAL, SCENE 4

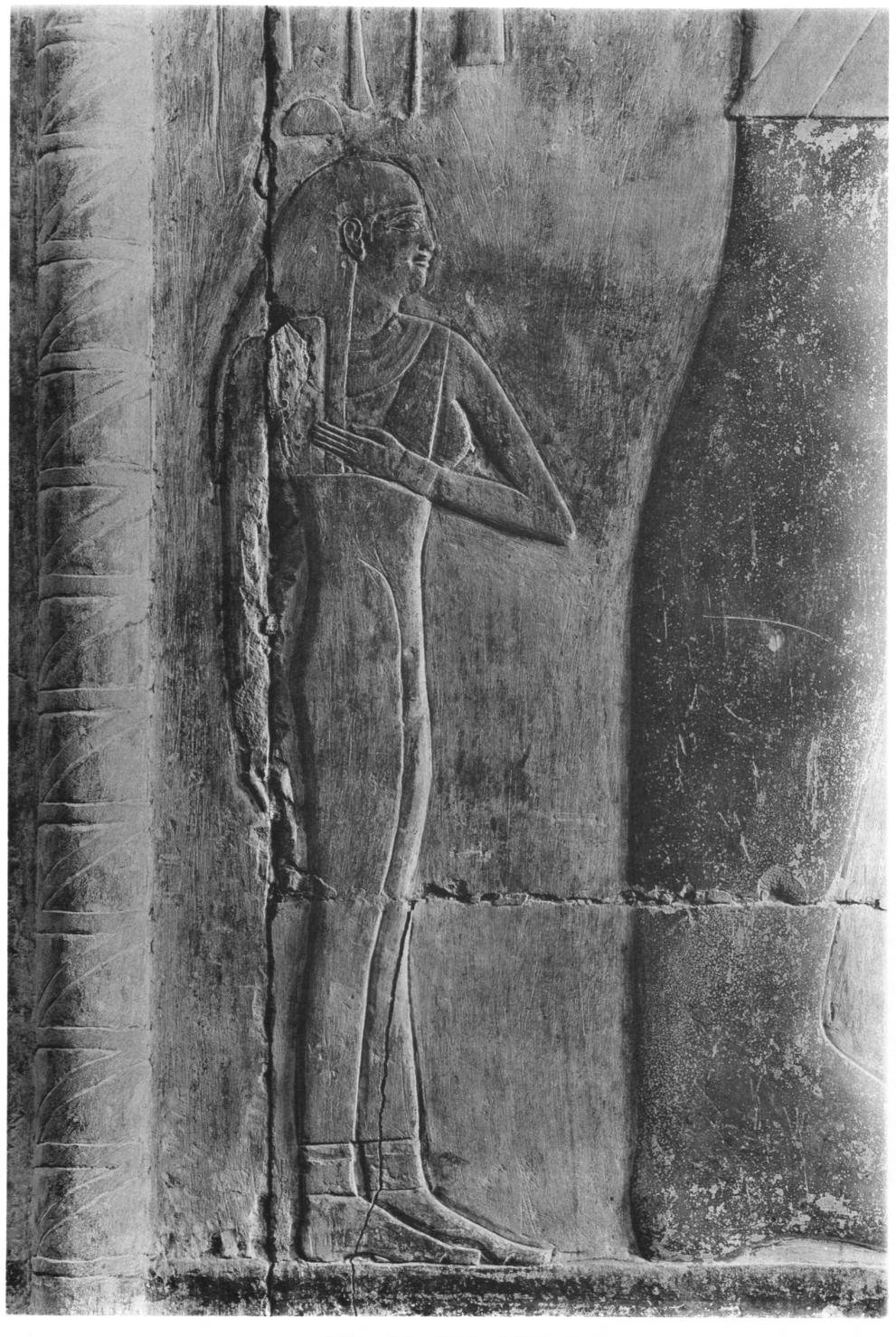


MERERUKA, WITH HIS WIFE WA'TETKHETḤOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING CHILDREN BRINGING BIRDS AND PLAYING GAMES (SHOWN ON PLATES 162–65)

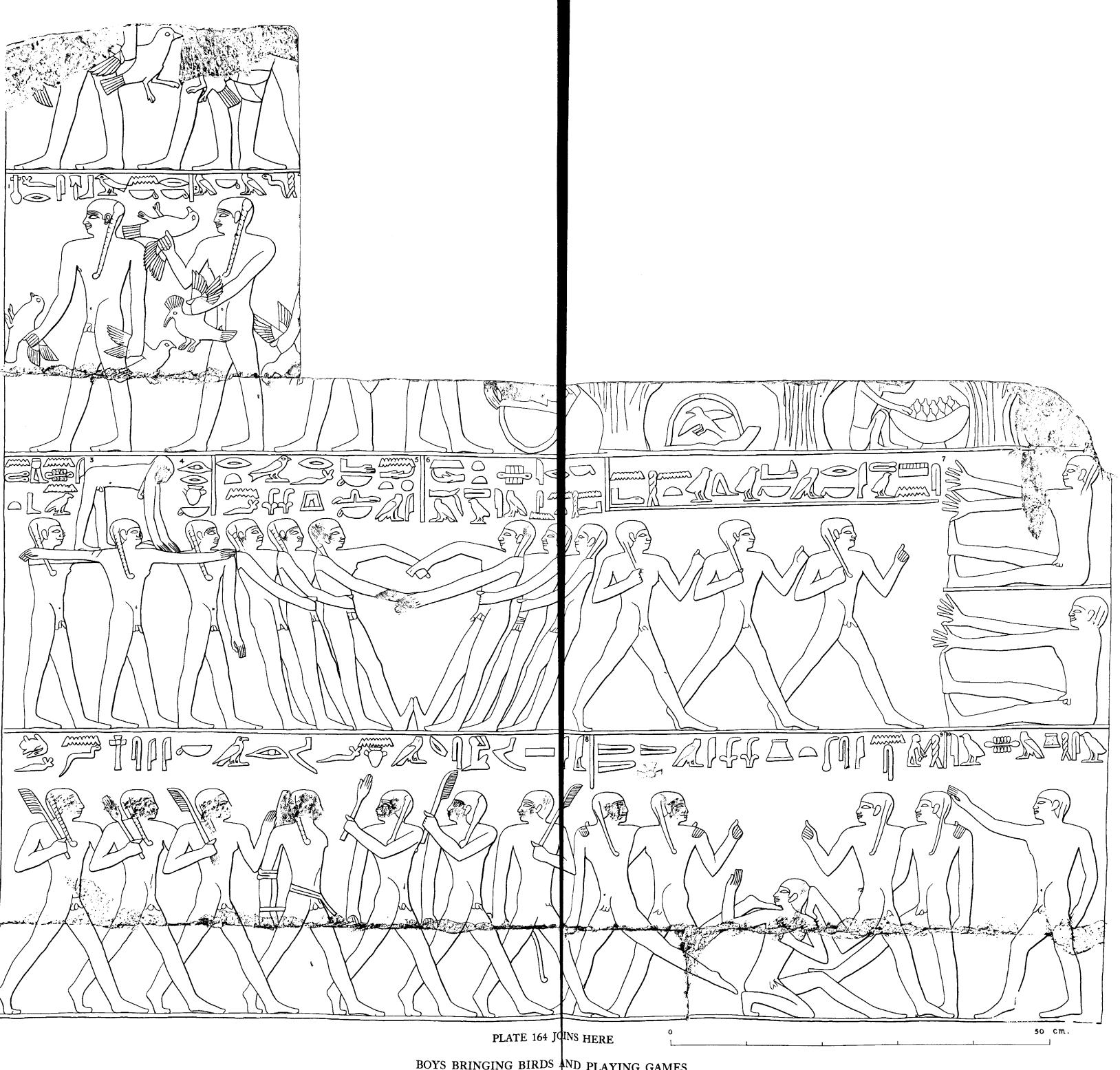
NORTH WALL, SCENE 5
COMPARE PLATES 160-61



WACTETKHETHOR, WIFE OF MERERUKA DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 159

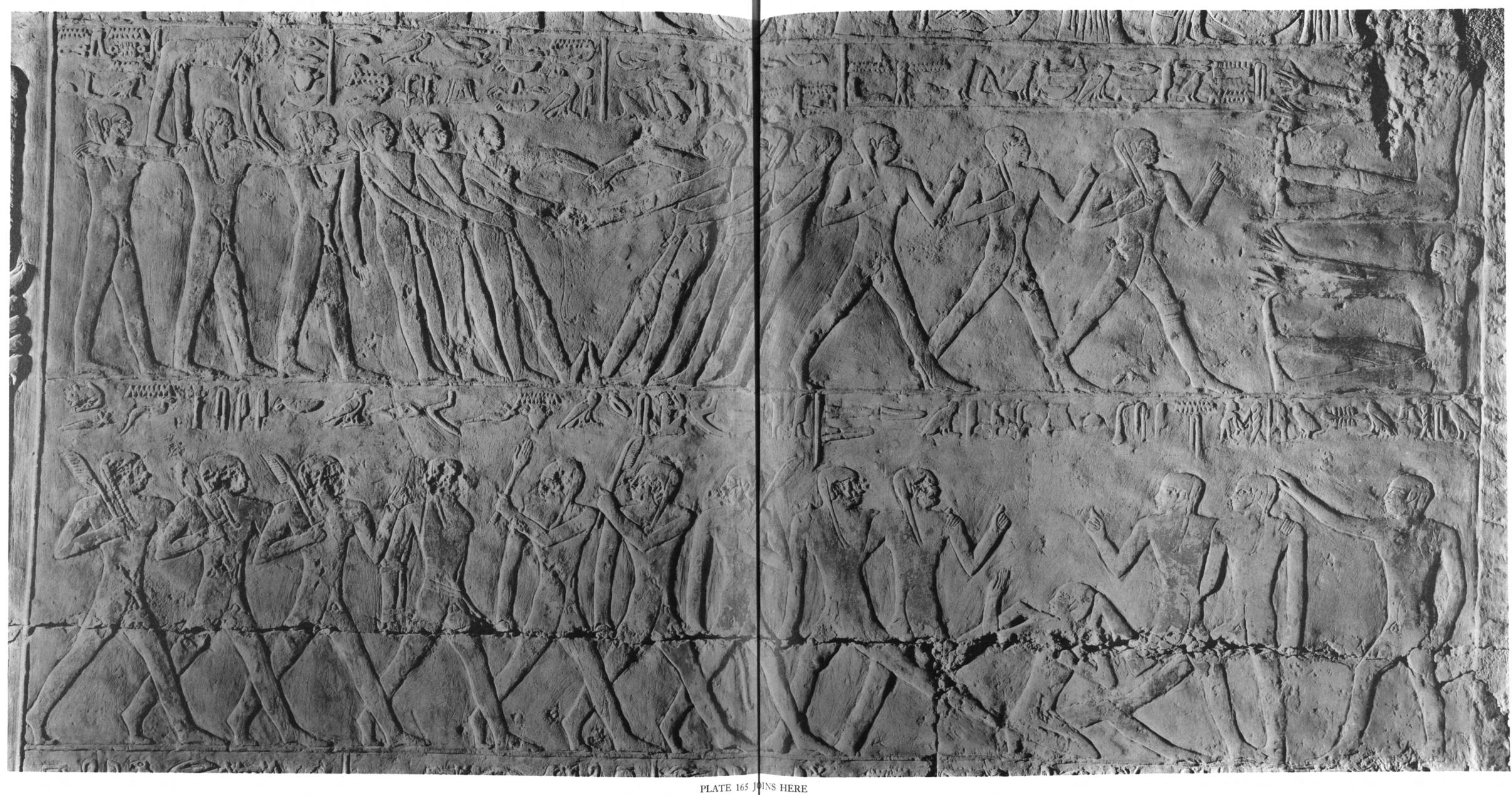


NEDJETEMPET, MOTHER OF MERERUKA DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 159

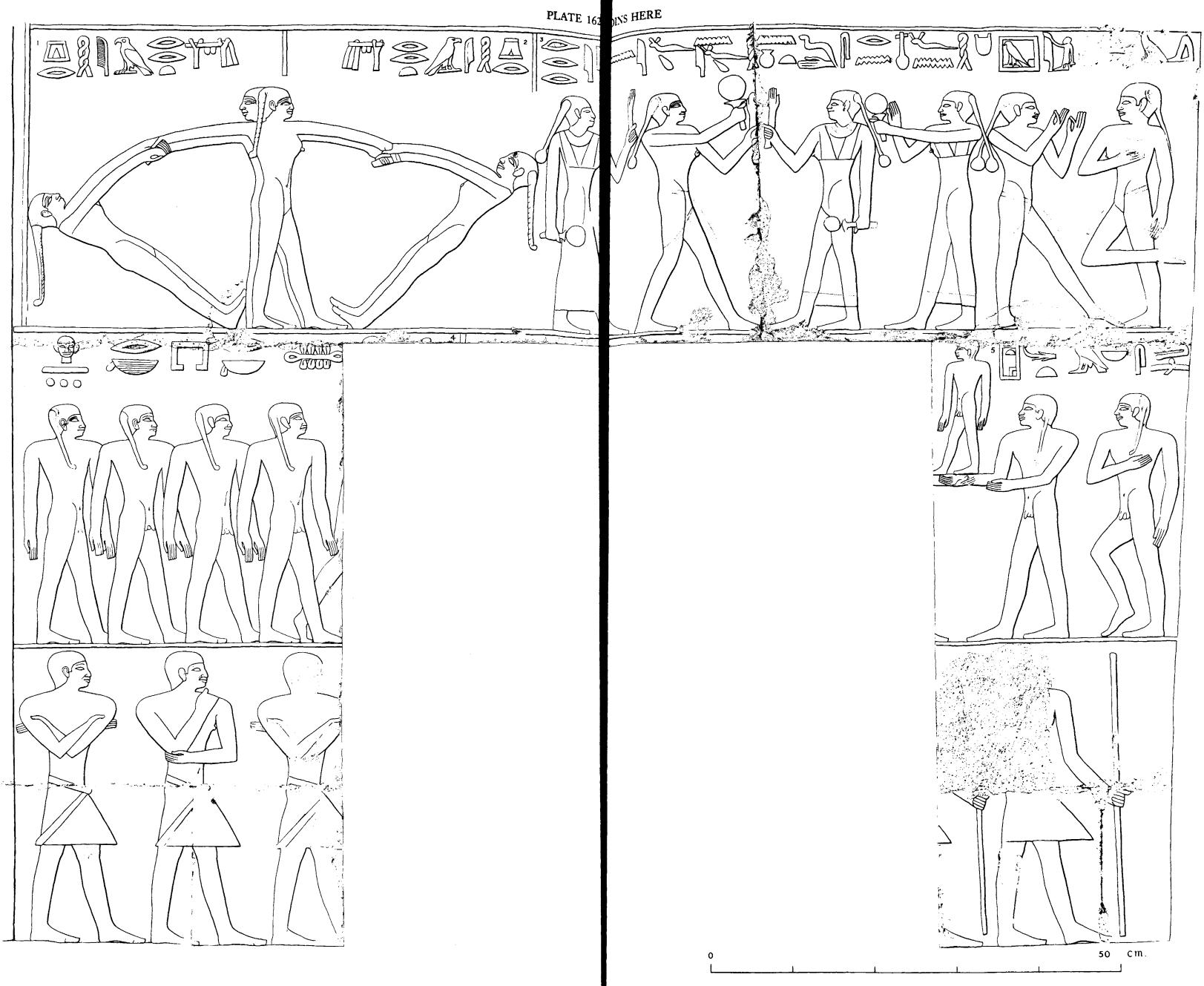


BOYS BRINGING BIRDS AND PLAYING GAMES
NORTH WALL SCENE 6

PLATE 162



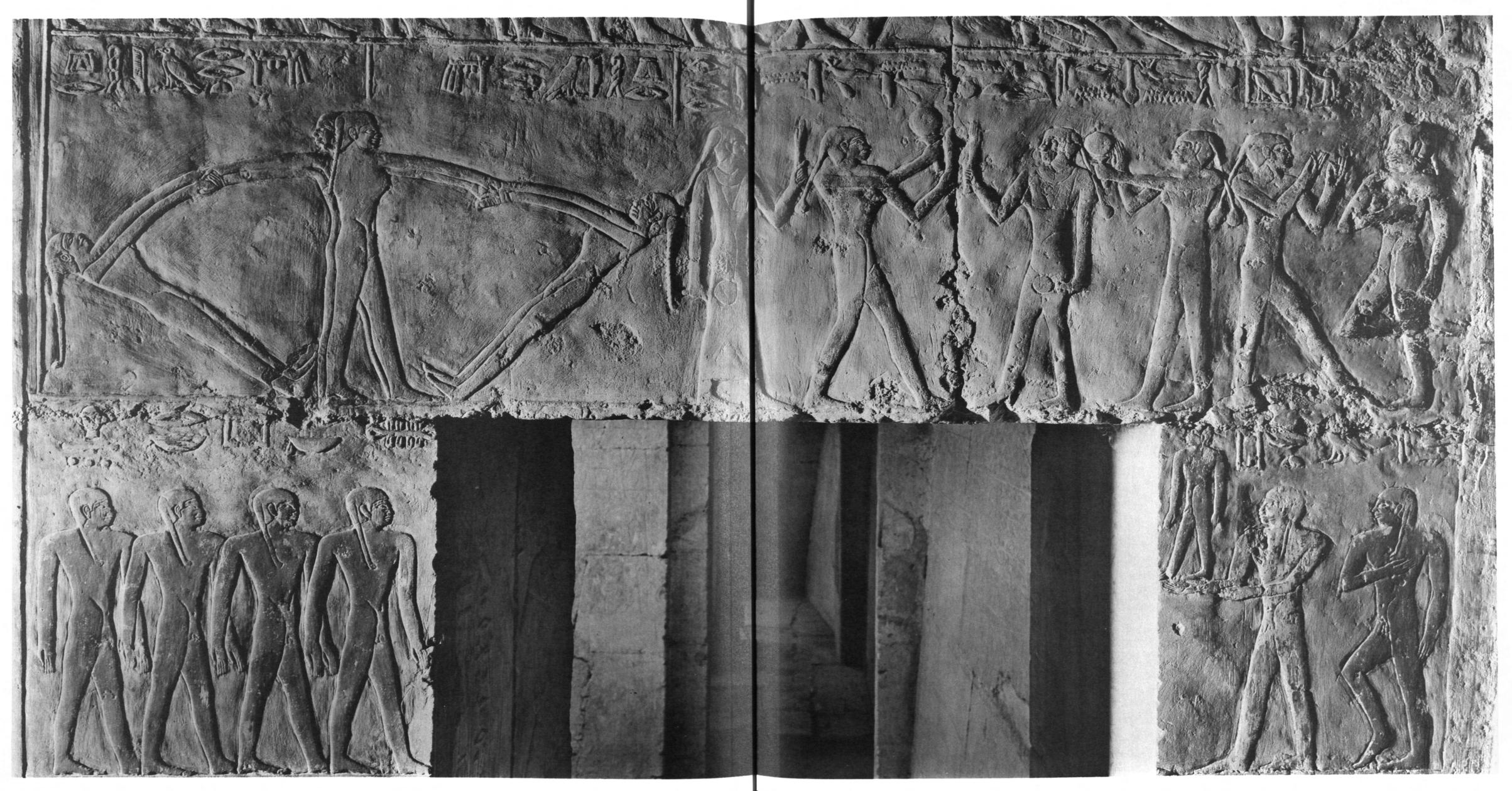
BOYS PLAYING GAMES
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 162



GIRLS PLAYING GAMES AND DANCING BOYS PLAYING GAMES; ATTENDANTS

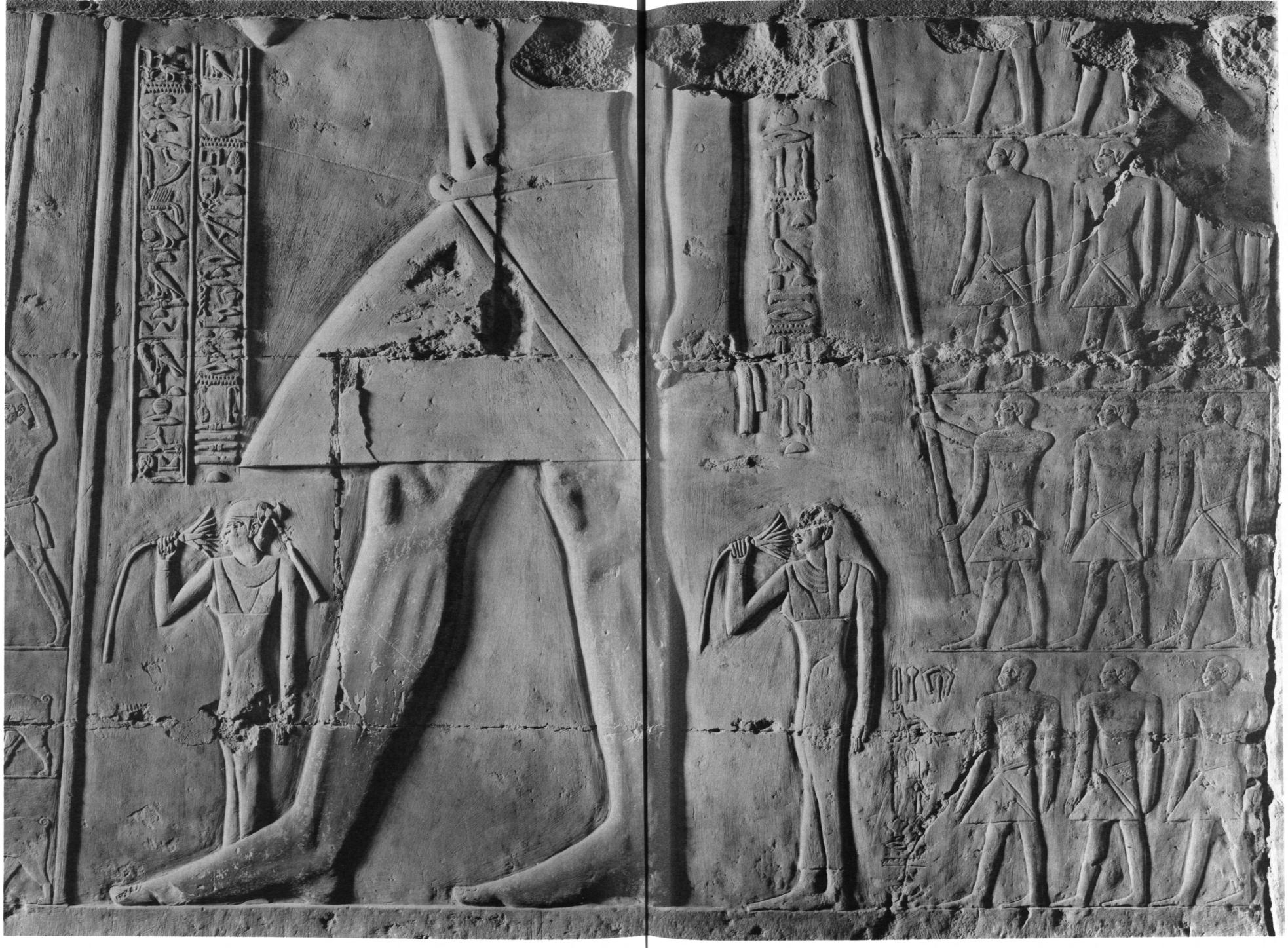
NORTH WALL SCENE 6

PLATE 165



GIRLS PLAYING GAMES AND DANCING; BOYS PLAYING GAMES

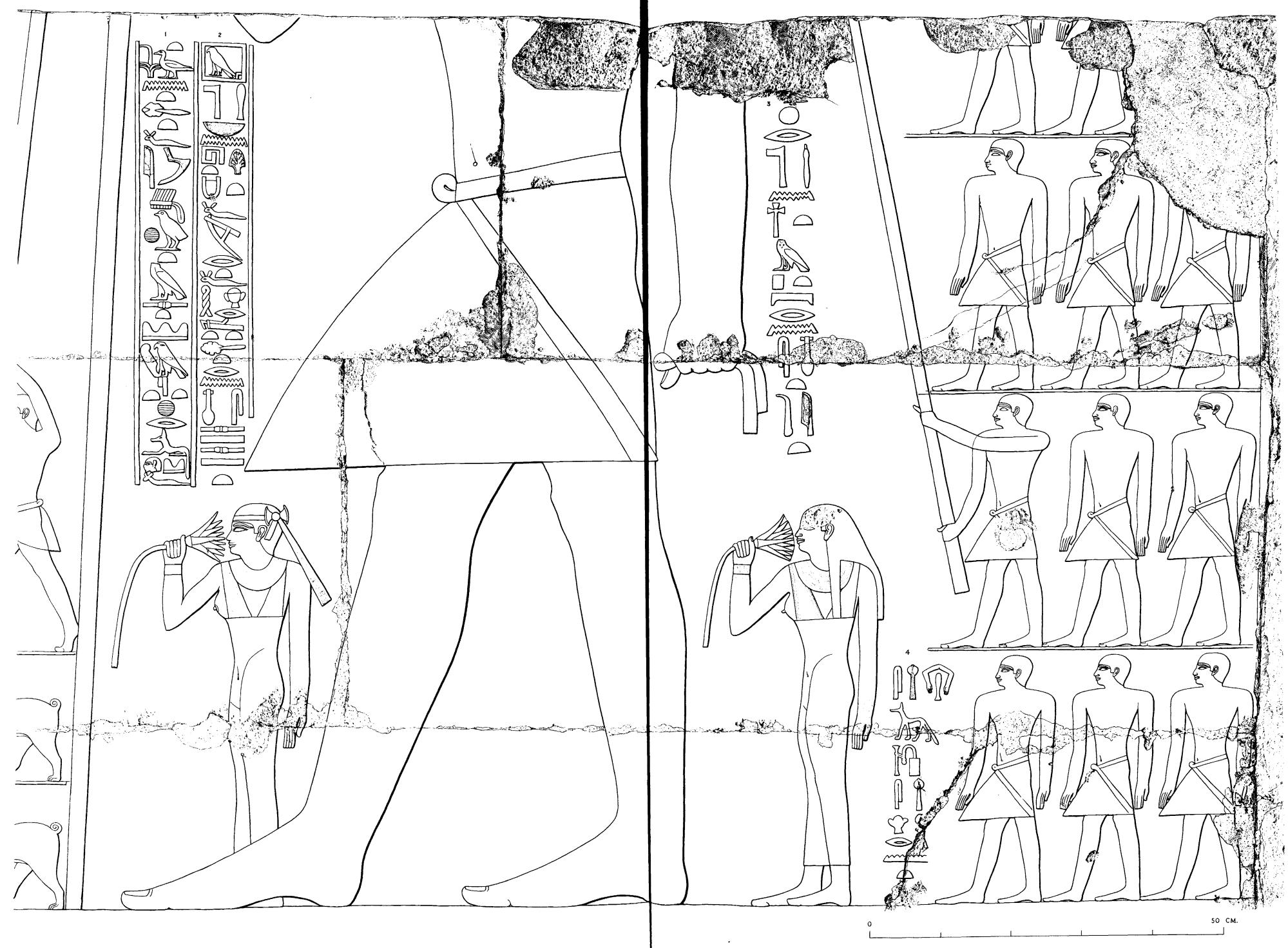
DETAIL OF SCENE STOWN ON PLATE 164



MERERUKA, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE WA'TETKHETḤOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES (SHOWN ON PLATES 168–70)

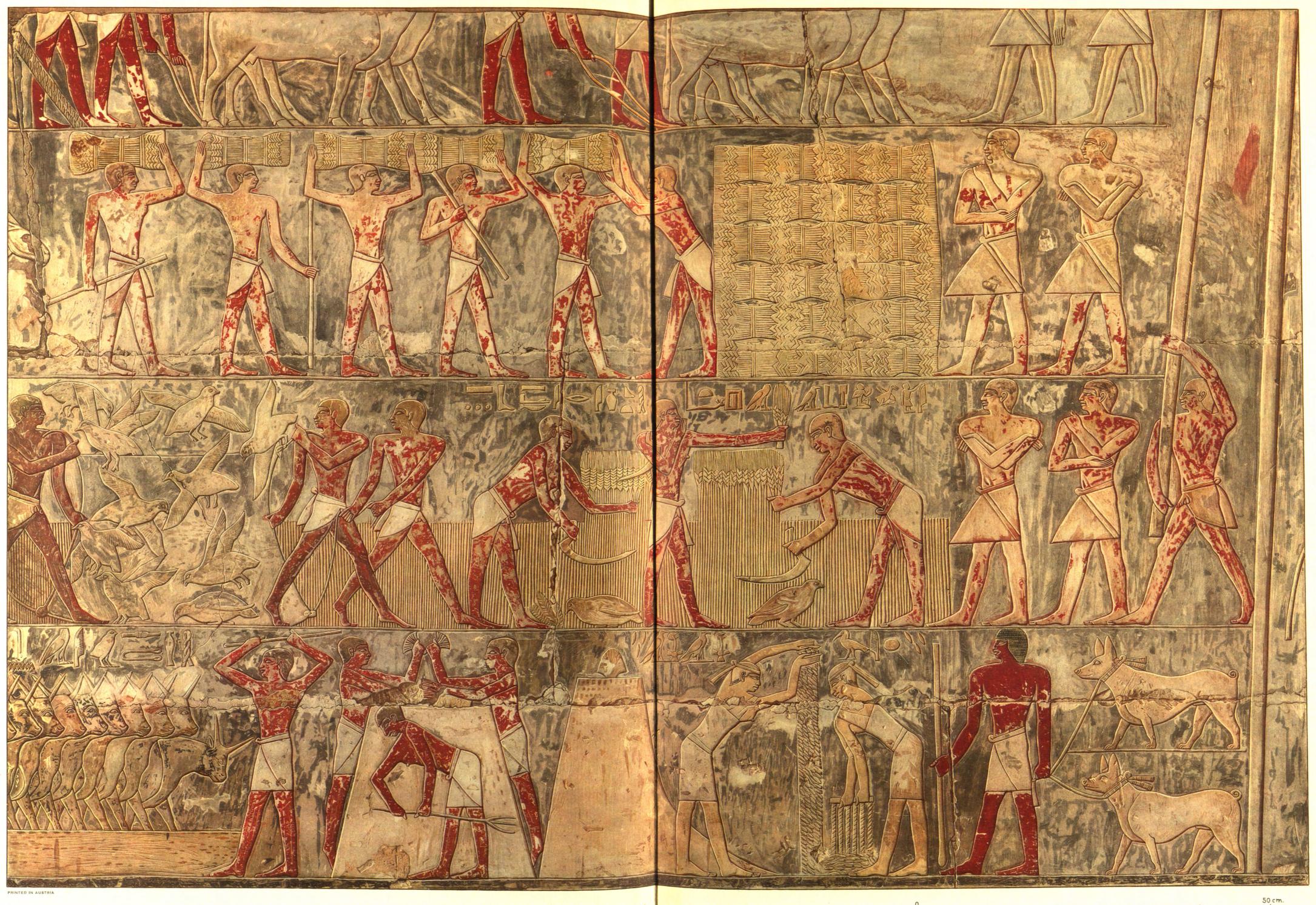
EAST WALL SCENE 1

COMPARE DRAWING, PLATE 167



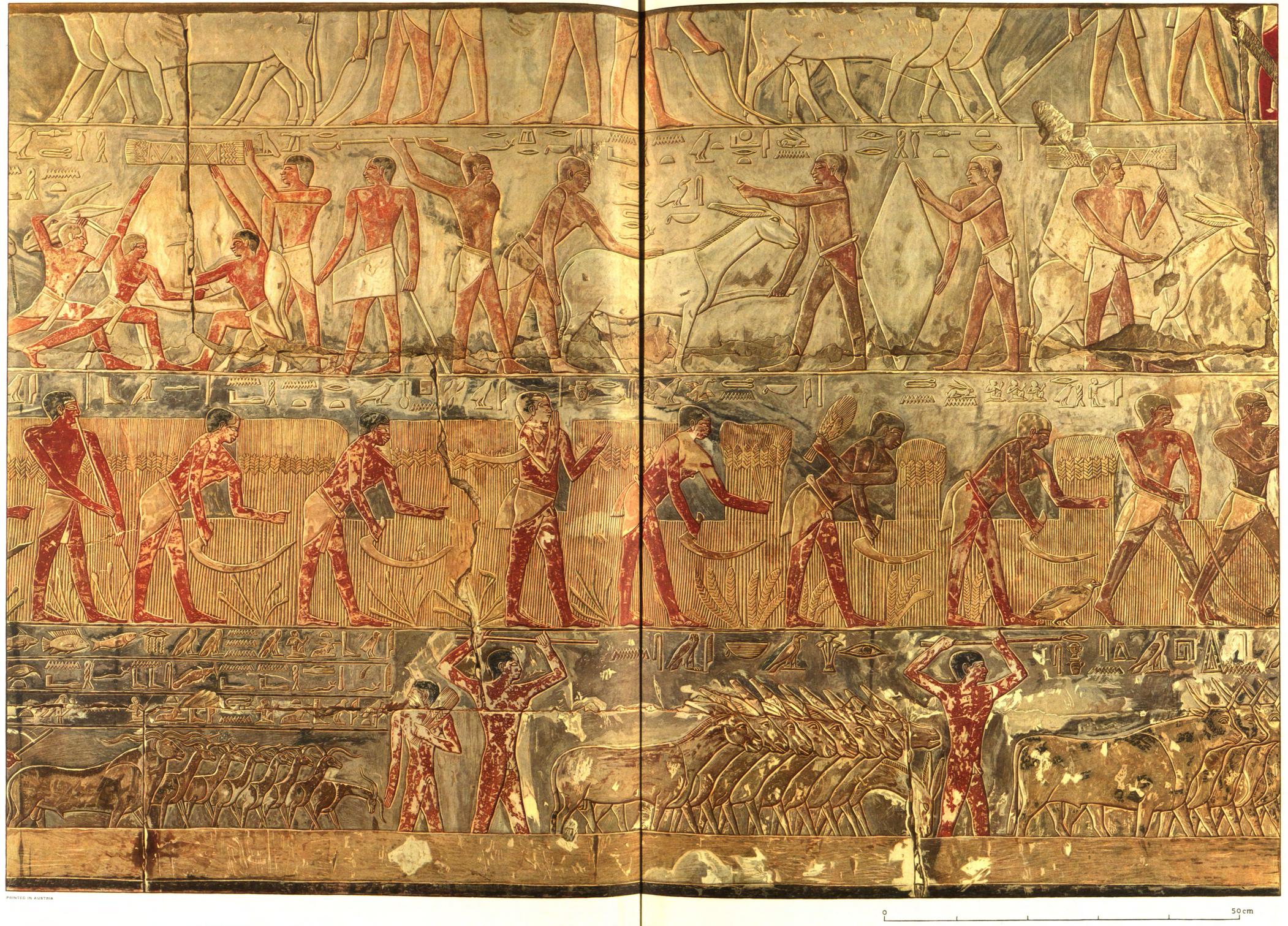
MERERUKA, ACCOMPANIED BY HIS WIFE WACTETKHETHOR AND HIS MOTHER NEDJETEMPET, VIEWING AGRICULTURAL ACTIVITIES (SHOWN ON PLATES 168-70)

EAST WALL SCENE 1



PLOWING; STACKING SHEAVES OF GRAIN; REAPING; TRAPPING BIRDS; WINNOWING GRAIN

EAST WALL, SCENE 2 (CONTINUED ON PLATES 169-70)

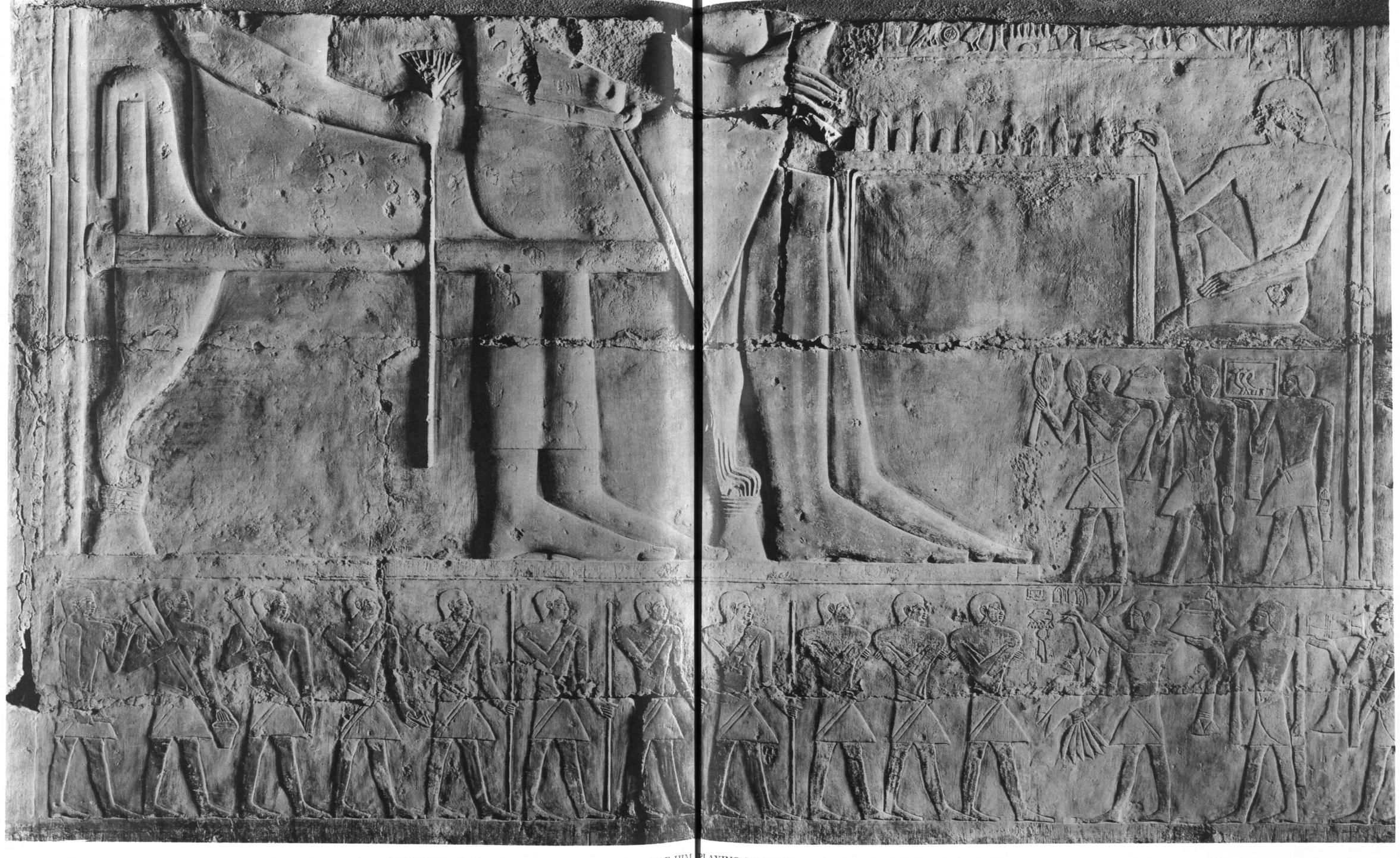


PLOWING; LOADING SACKS OF SHEAVES ON DONKEYS; REAPING, WITH A PIPE-PLAYER TO SET THE PACE; OXEN, DONKEYS, AND GOATS TREADING OUT THE GRAIN EAST WALL, SCENE 2 (CONTINUED FROM PLATE 168)



PLOWING; DONKEYS WAITING TO BE LOADED WITH SACKS OF SHEAVES; HARVESTING AND BINDING FLAX; STACKING SHEAVES OF GRAIN PREPARATORY TO THRESHING EAST WALL, SCENE 2 (CONTINUED FROM PLATE 169)

PLATE 171

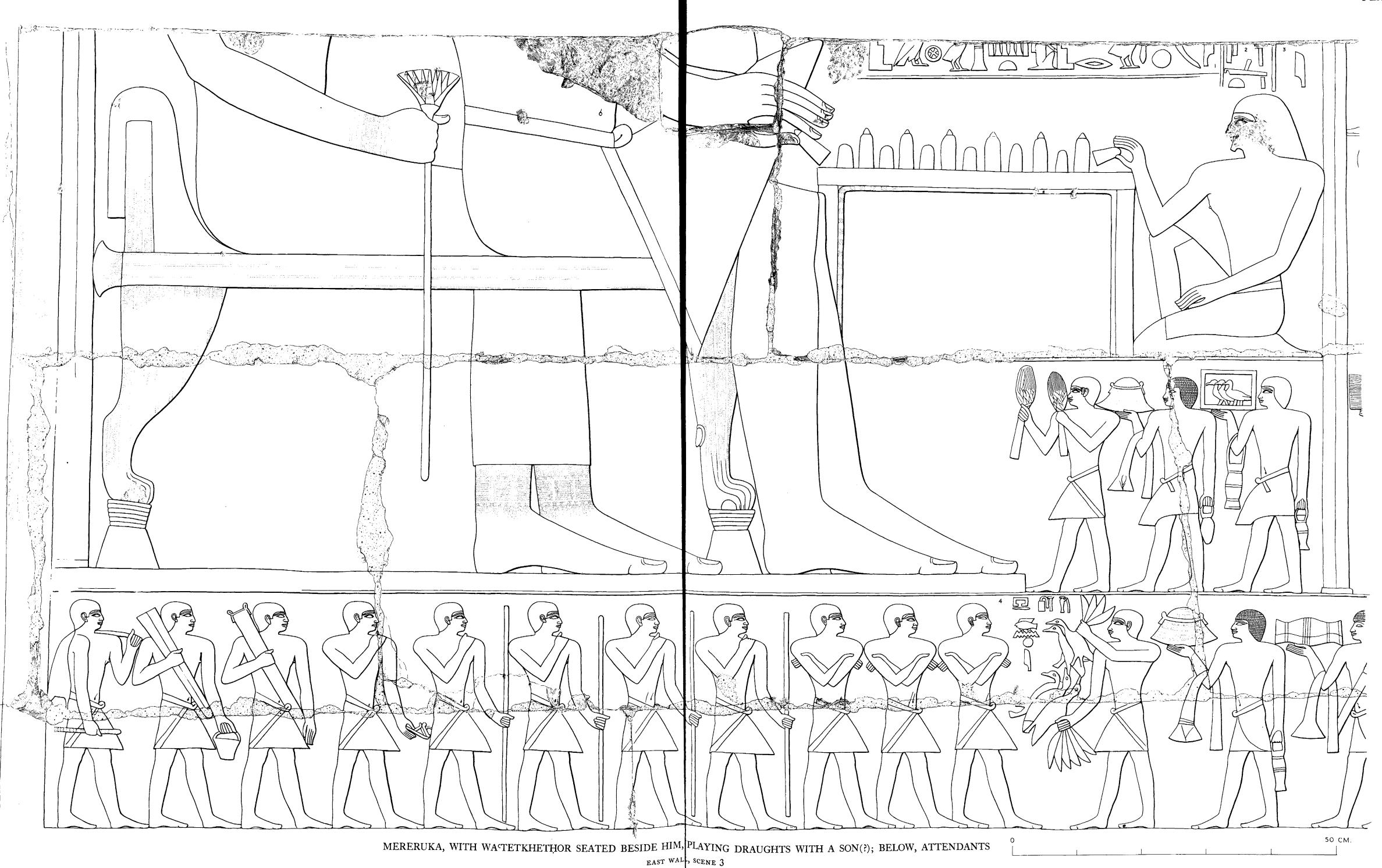


MERERUKA, WITH WACTETKHETHOR SEATED BESIDE HIM, PLAYING DRAUGHTS WITH A SON(?); BELOW, ATTENDANTS

EAST WALD SCENE 3

COMPARE DRAWING, PLATE 172

PLATE 172





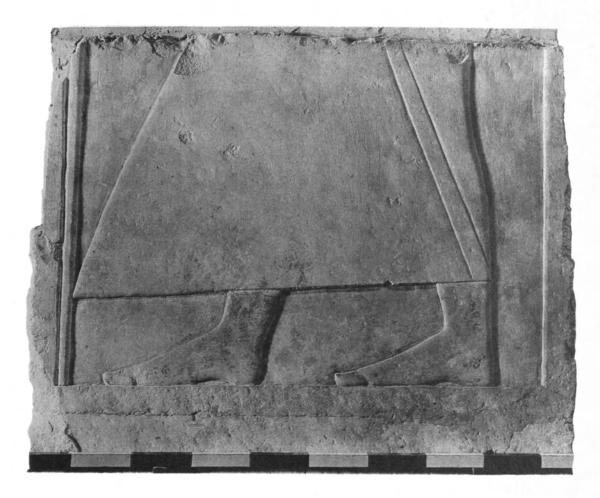
A. PIER 1, NORTH SIDE



B. PIER 1, EAST SIDE



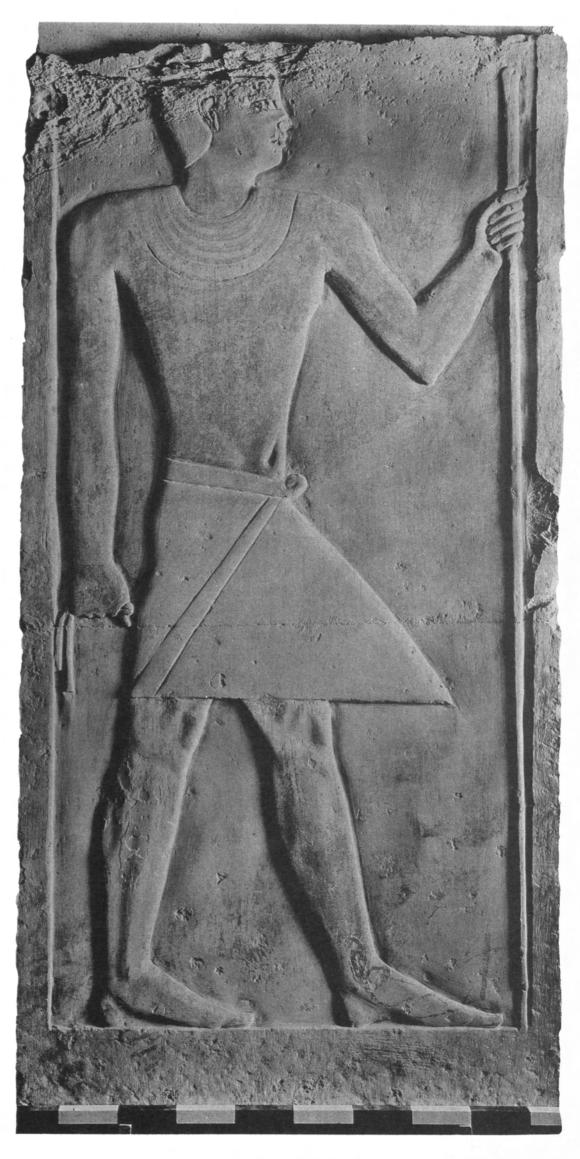
A. PIER 1, SOUTH SIDE



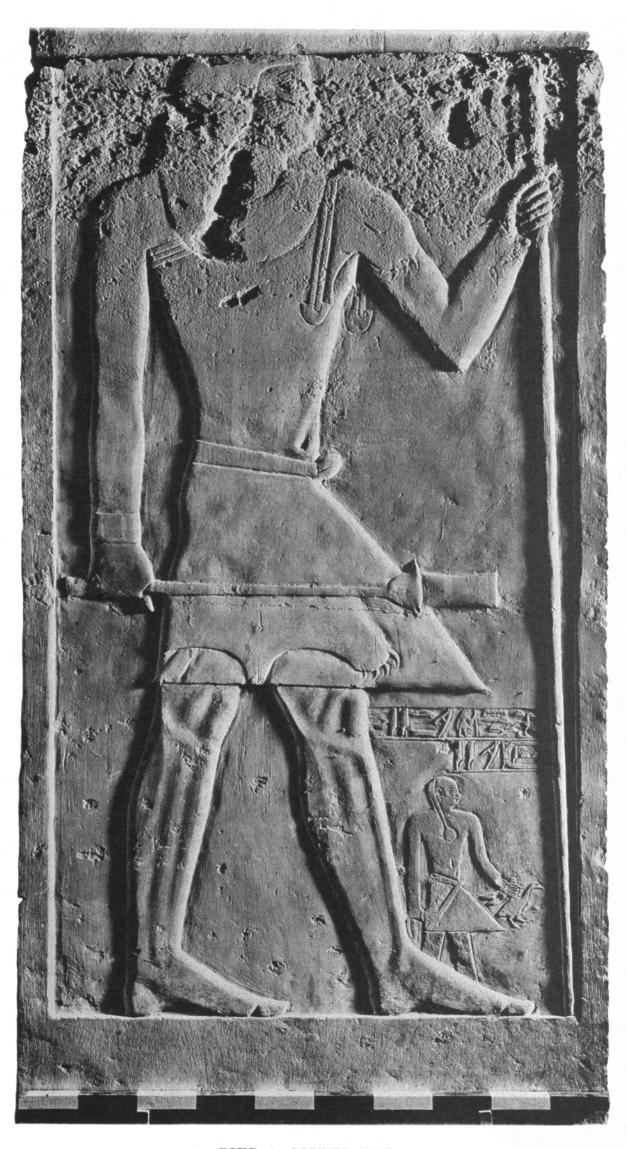
B. PIER 1, WEST SIDE



PIER 2, NORTH SIDE



PIER 2, EAST SIDE



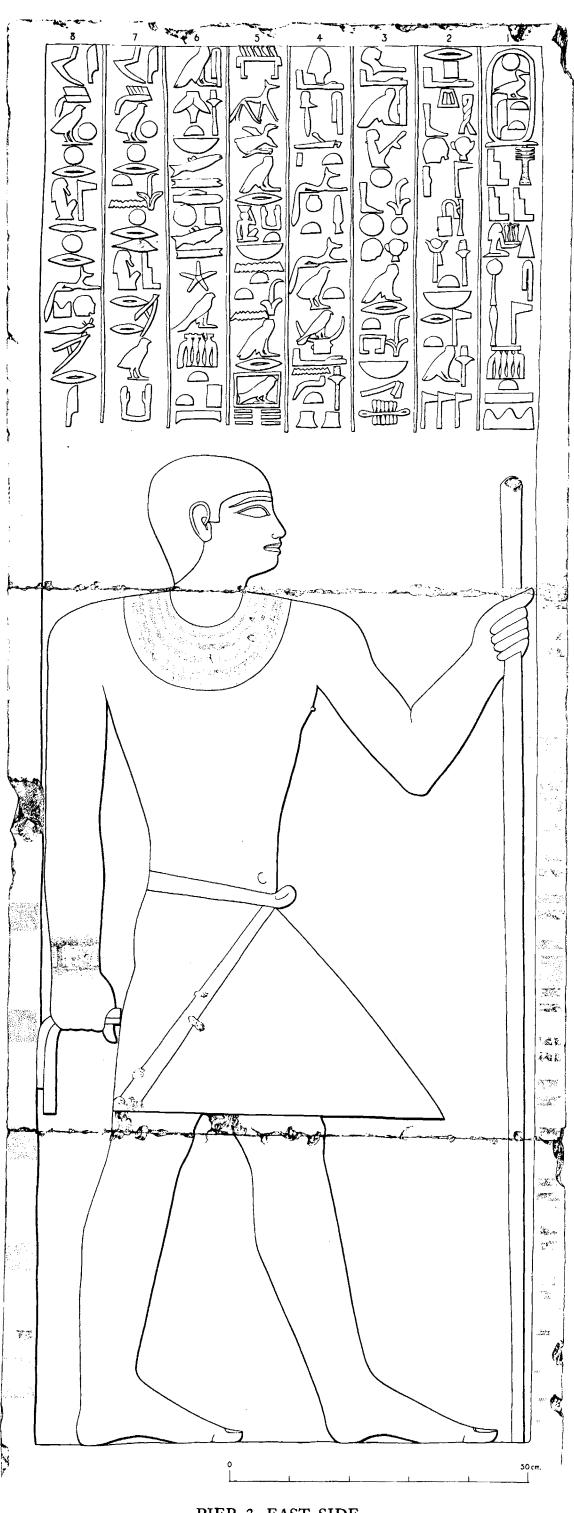
PIER 2, SOUTH SIDE



PIER 2, WEST SIDE



PIER 3, NORTH SIDE Compare Plate $182\,A$



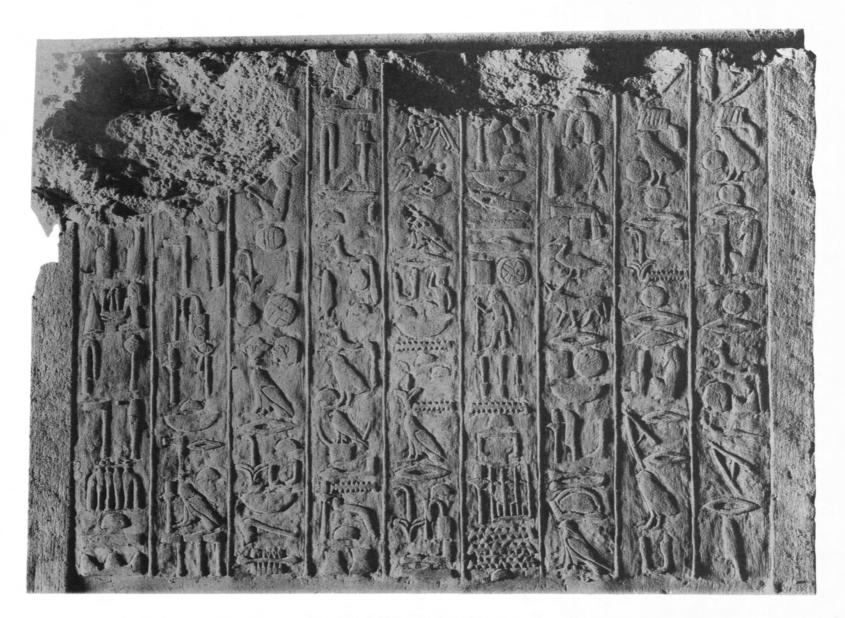
PIER 3, EAST SIDE



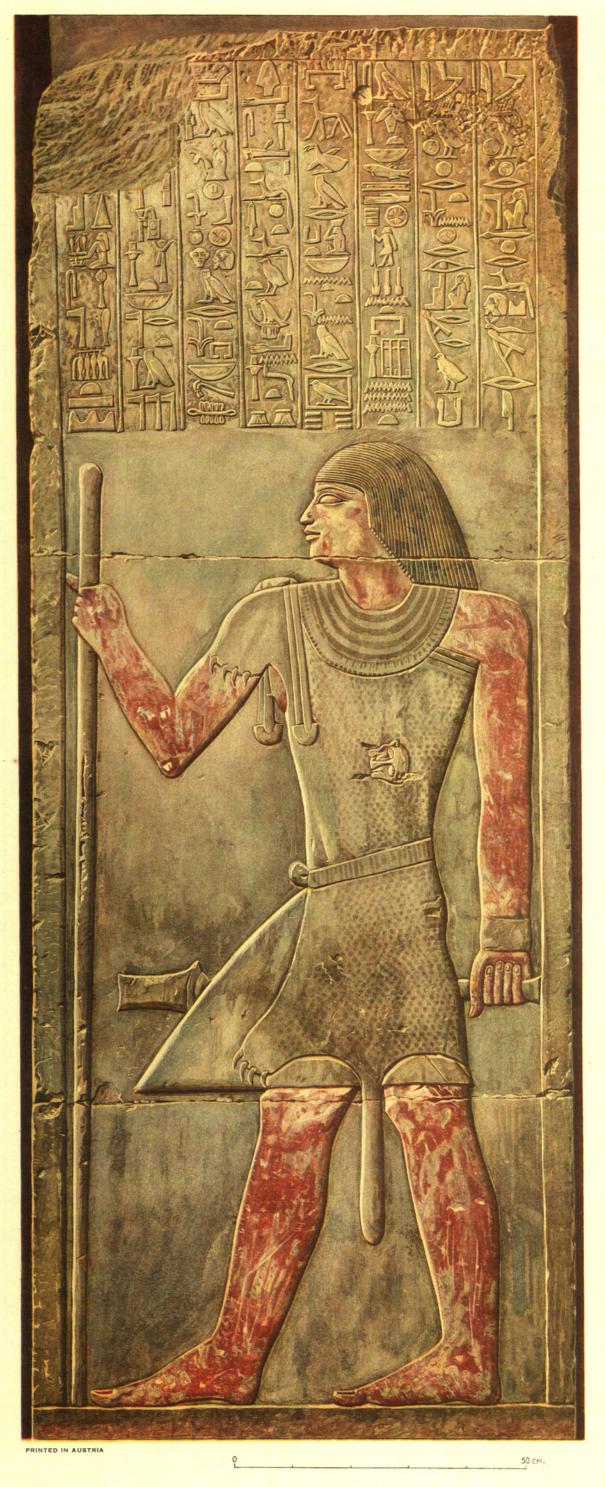
PIER 3, SOUTH SIDE COMPARE PLATE 182 B



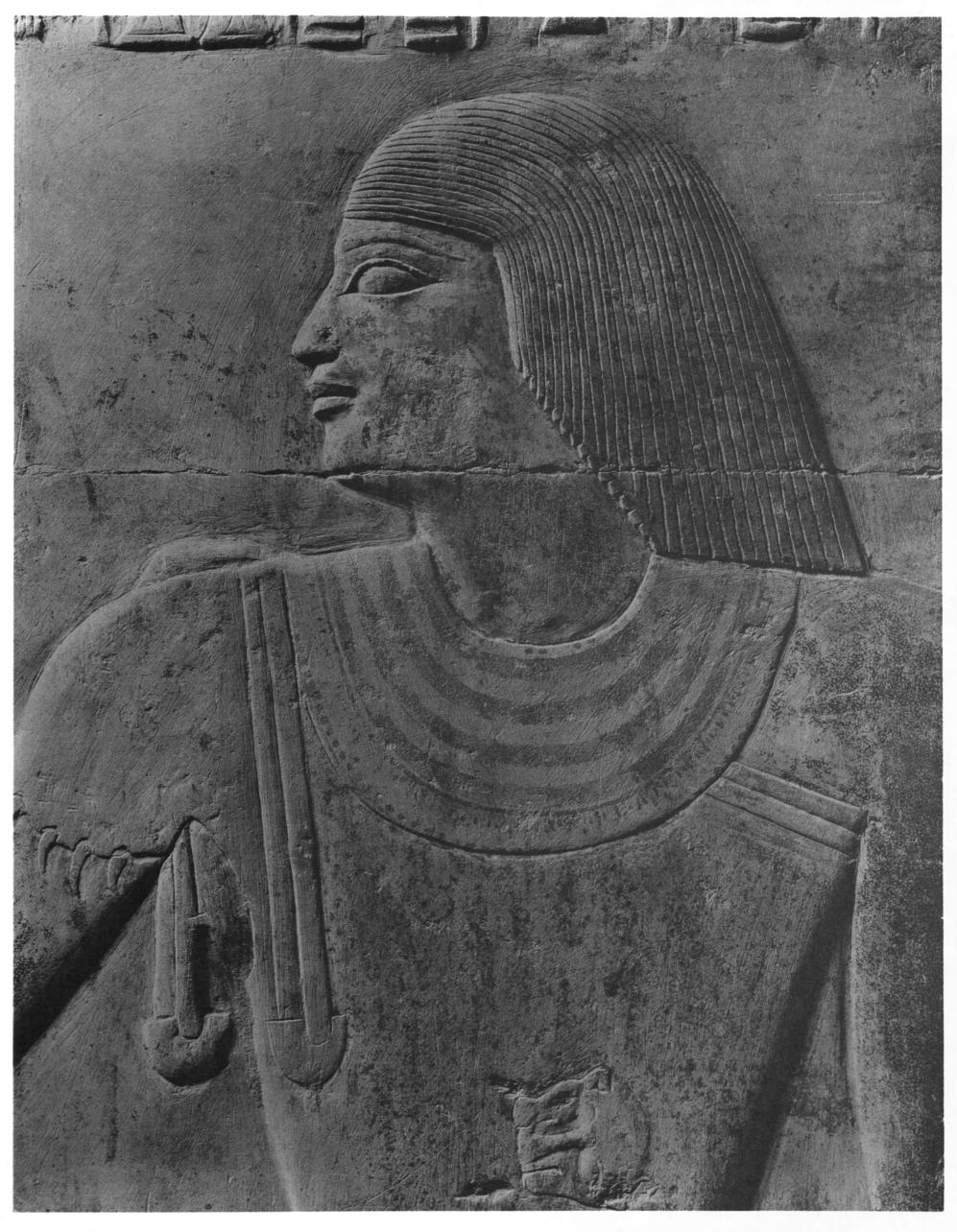
A. TITLES OF MERERUKA
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 179



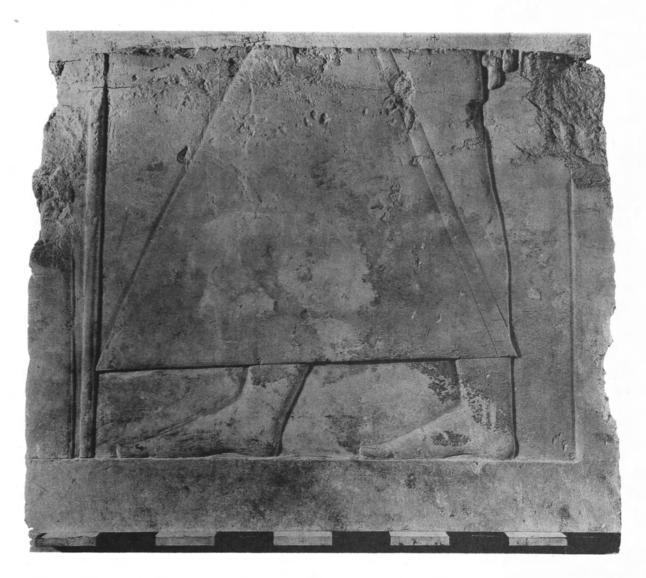
B. TITLES OF MERERUKA
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 181



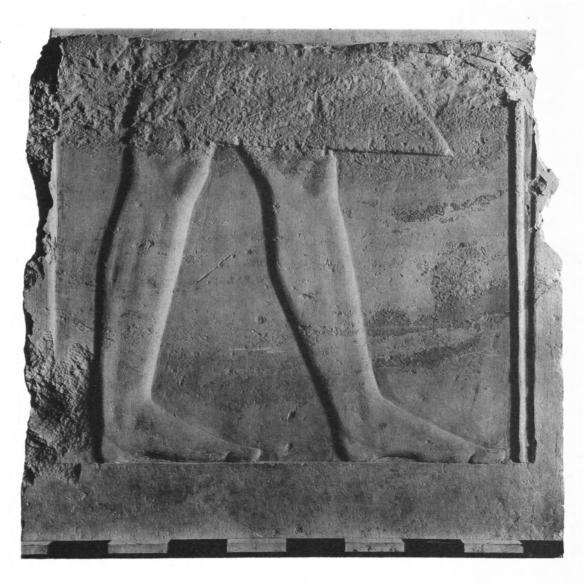
PIER 3, WEST SIDE



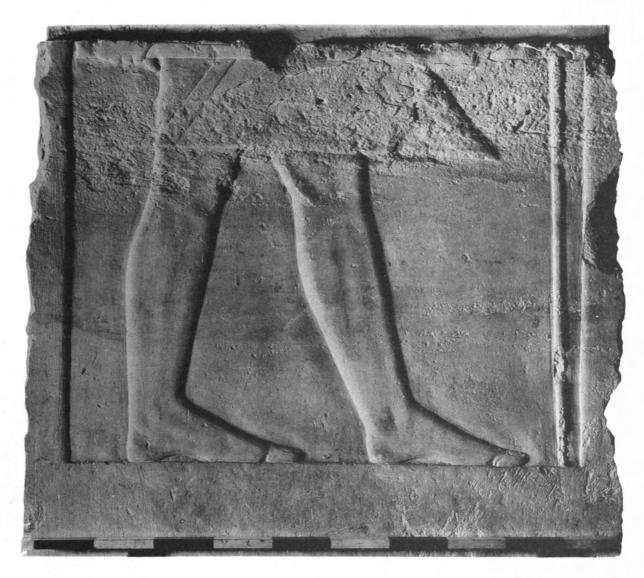
HEAD OF MERERUKA
DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 183



A. PIER 4, NORTH SIDE



B. PIER 4, EAST SIDE



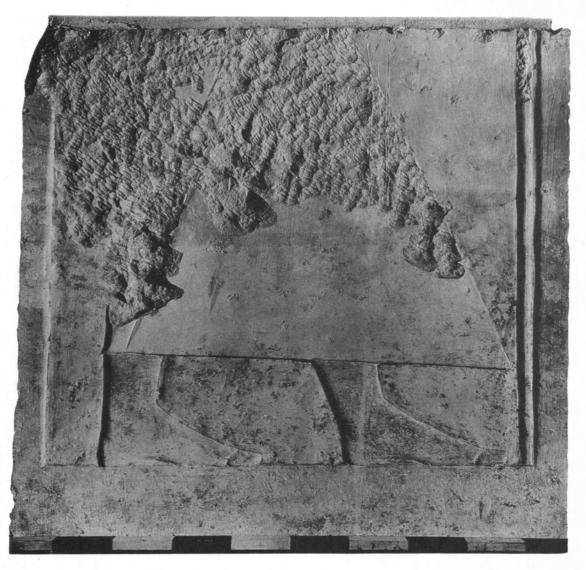
A. PIER 4, SOUTH SIDE



B. PIER 4, WEST SIDE



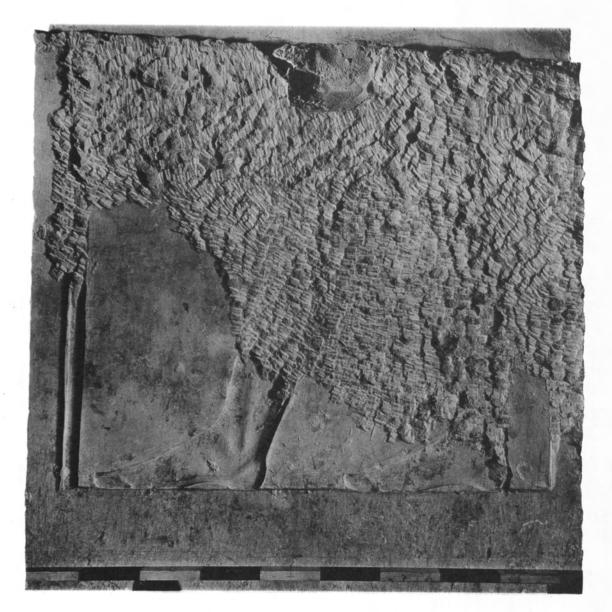
A. PIER 6, NORTH SIDE



B. PIER 6, EAST SIDE

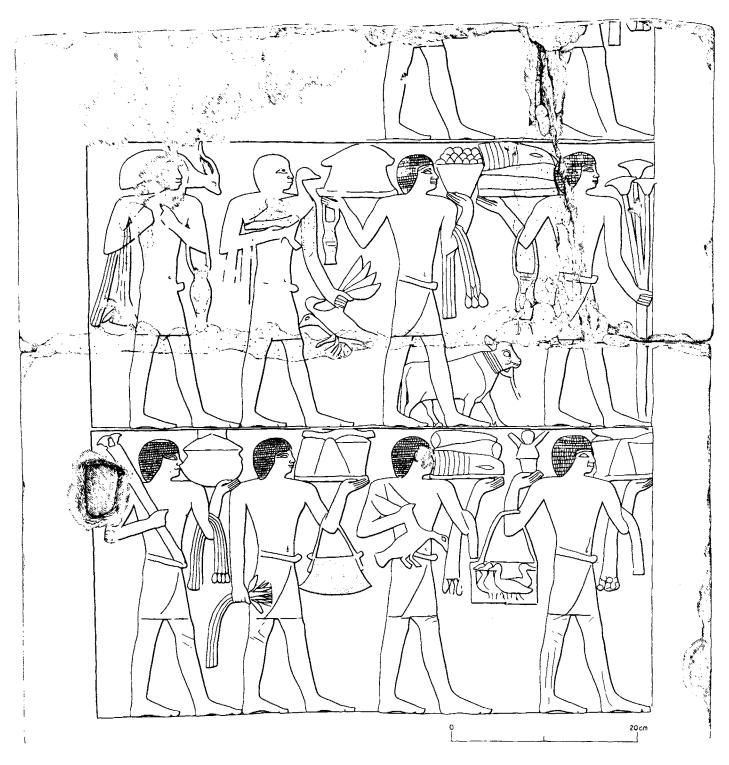


A. PIER 6, SOUTH SIDE

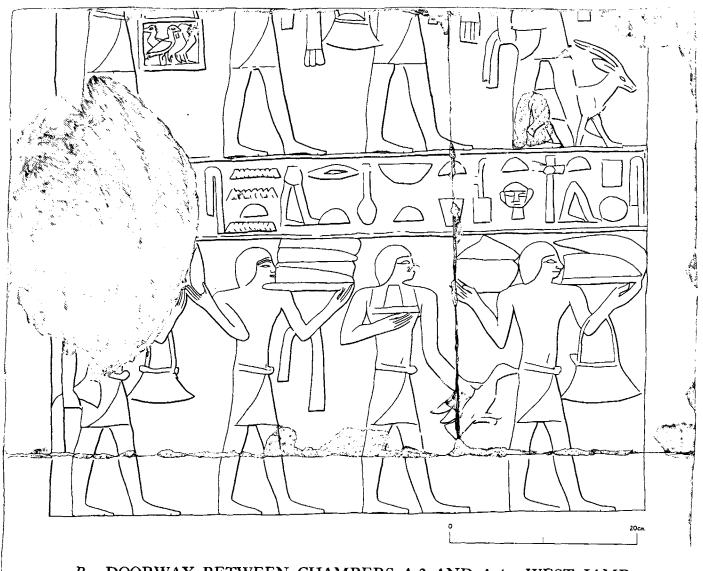


B. PIER 6, WEST SIDE

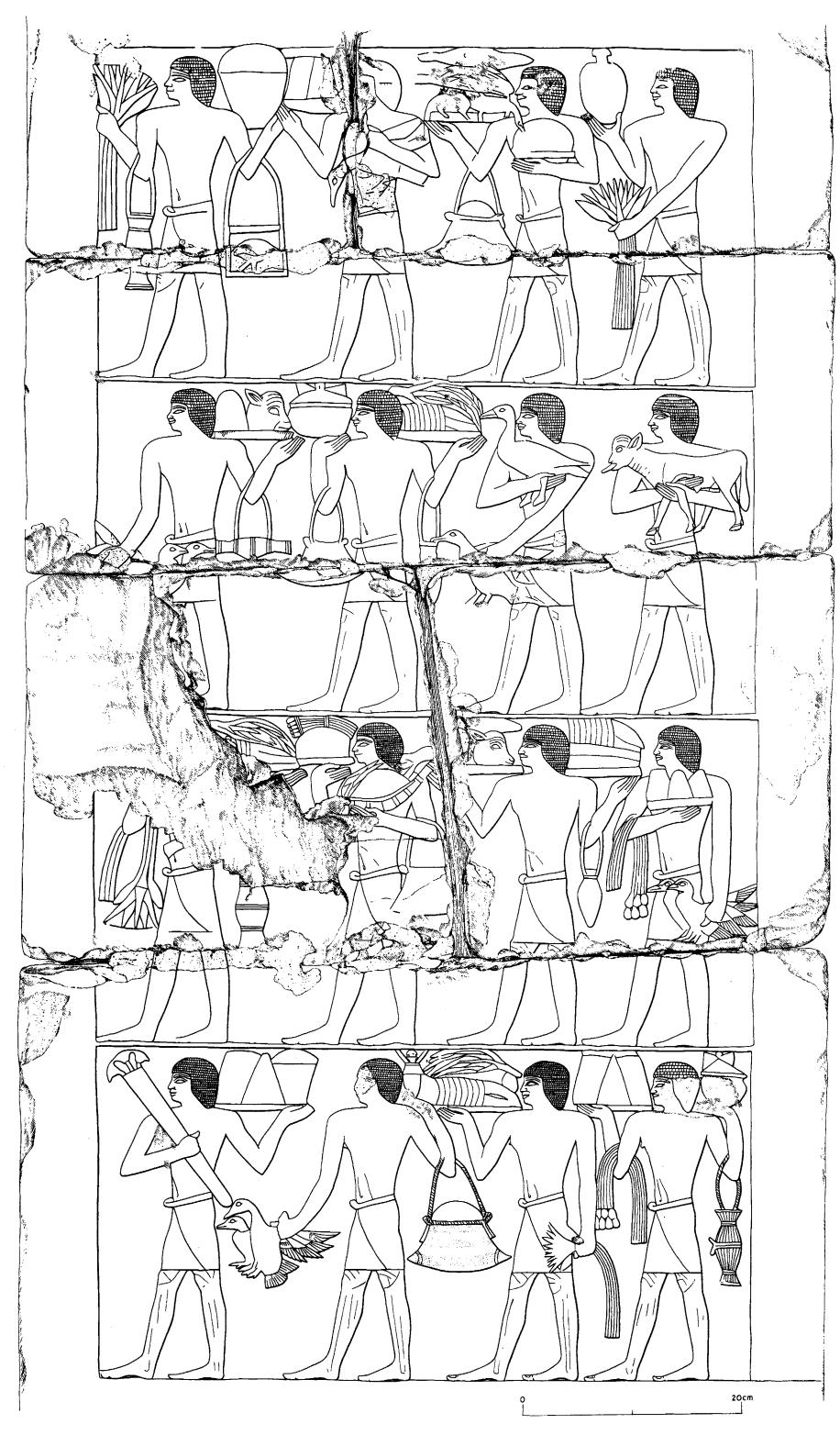
DOORJAMBS AND INSCRIPTIONS OF CHAMBERS A 1-21



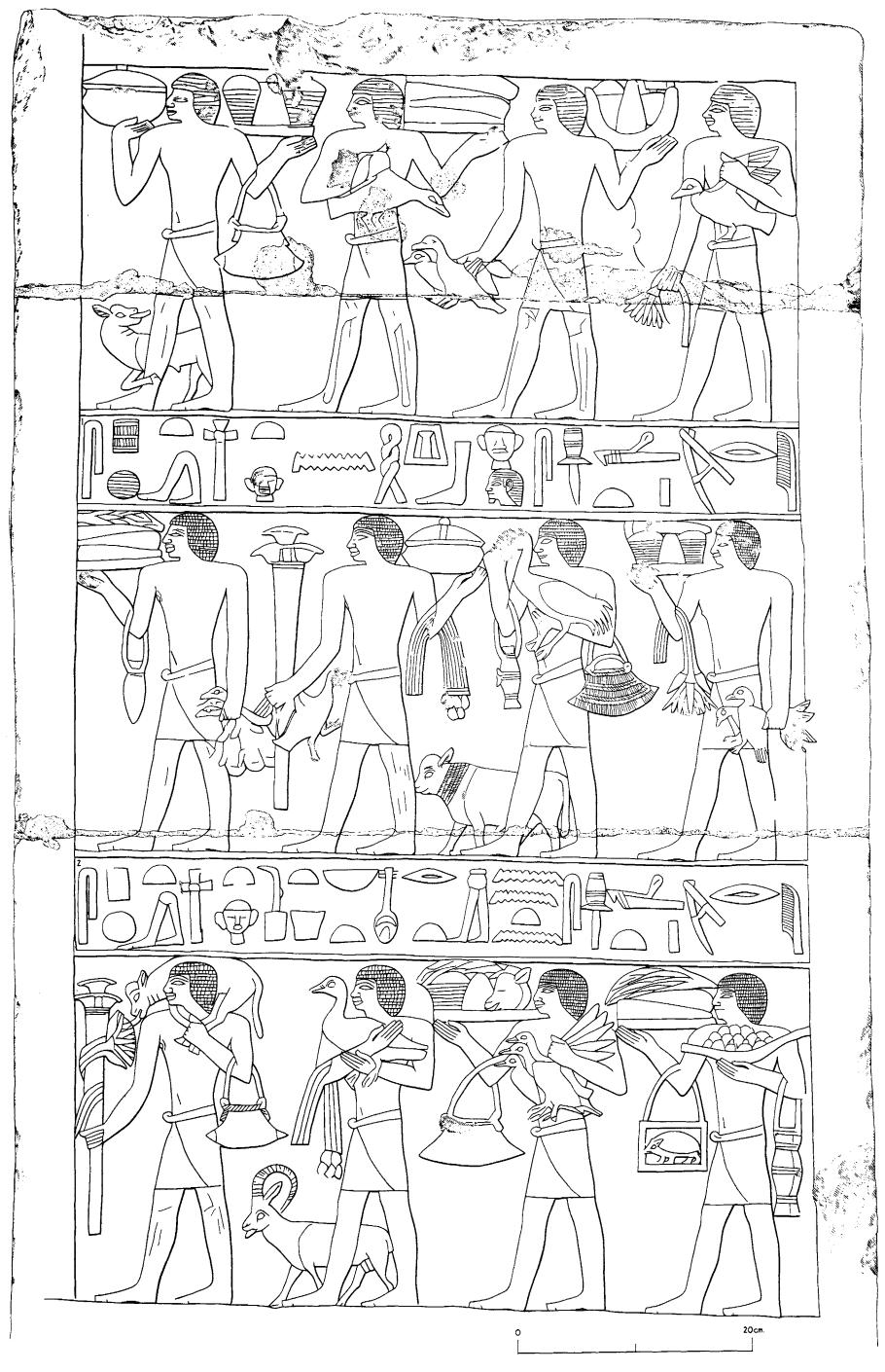
A. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 1 AND A 3. WEST JAMB



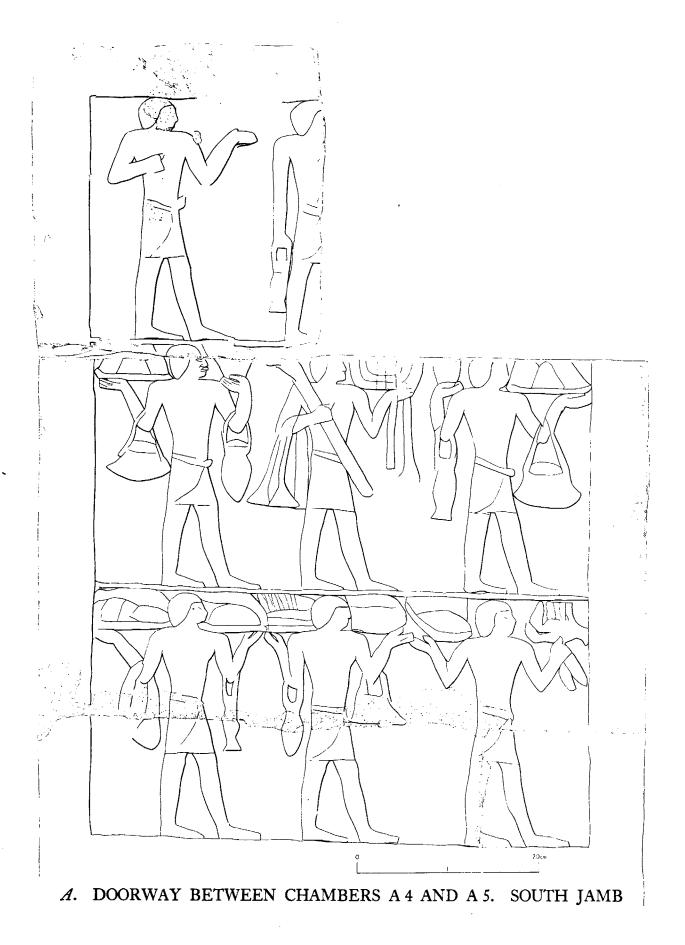
B. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 3 AND A 4. WEST JAMB

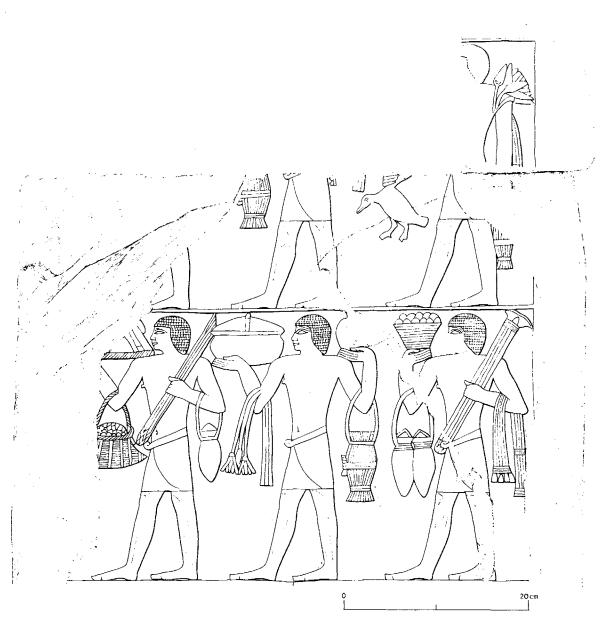


DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 1 AND A 3. EAST JAMB

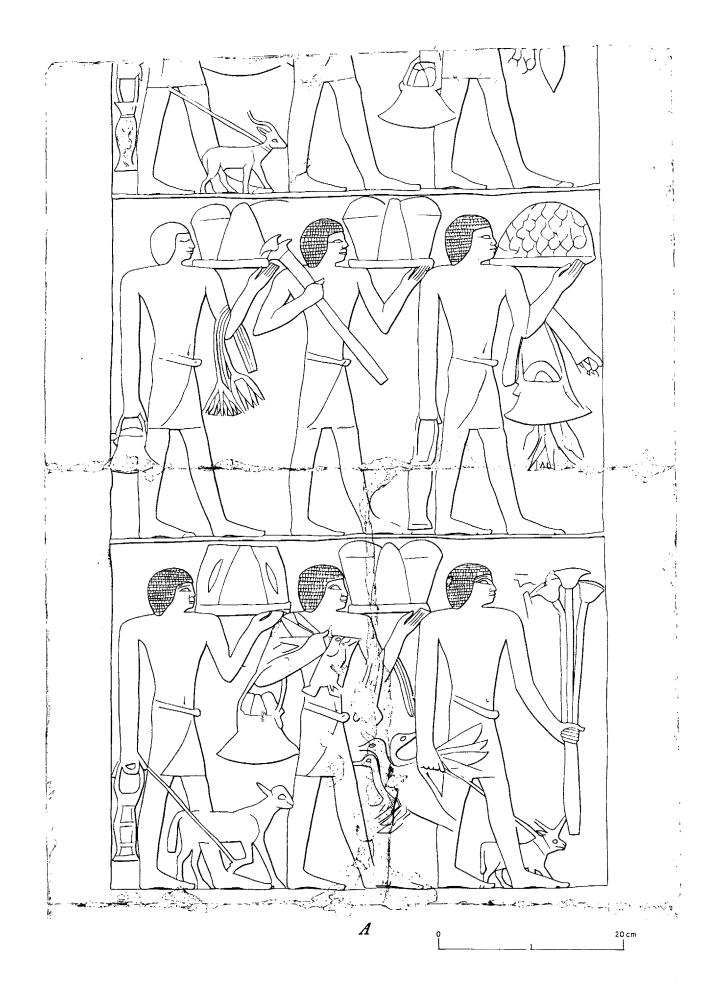


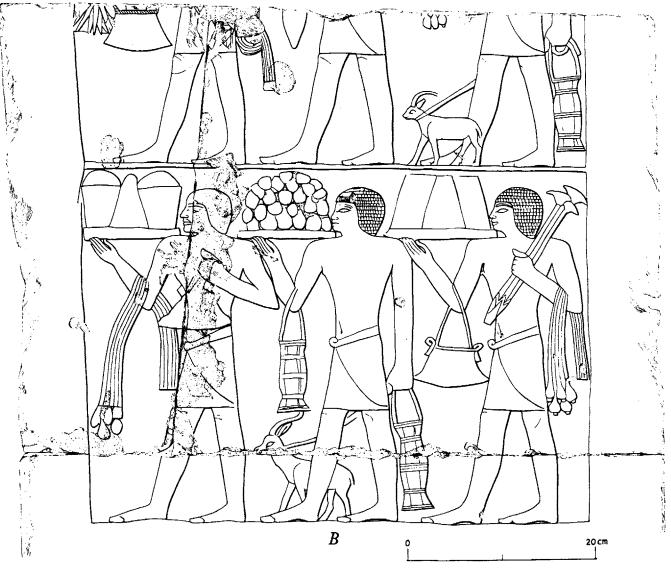
DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 3 AND A 4. EAST JAMB





B. DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 4 AND A 11. EAST JAMB

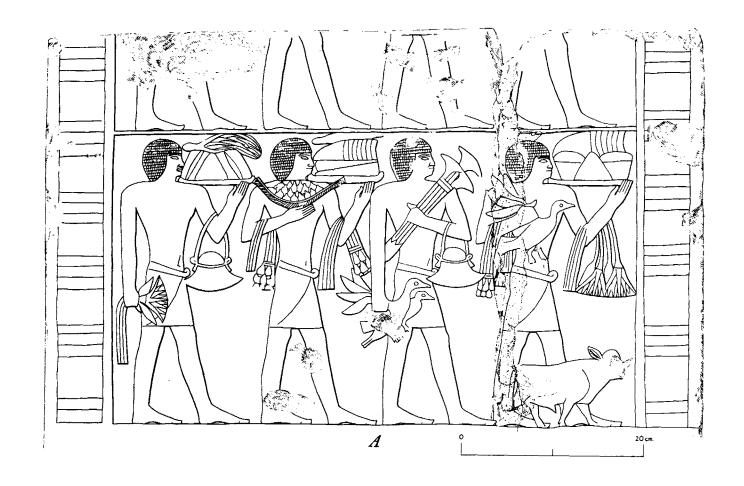


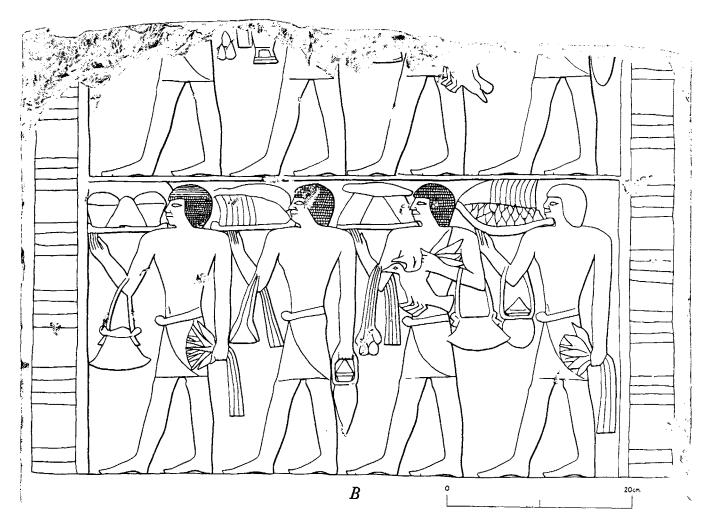


DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 4 AND A 6

A. SOUTH JAMB

B. NORTH JAMB

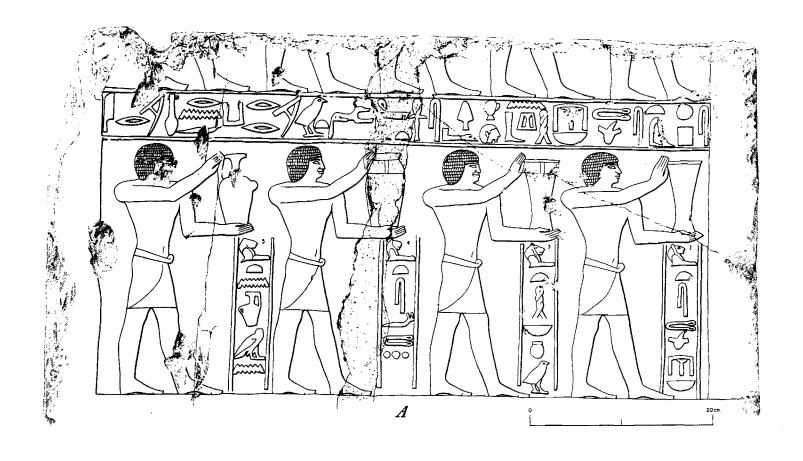


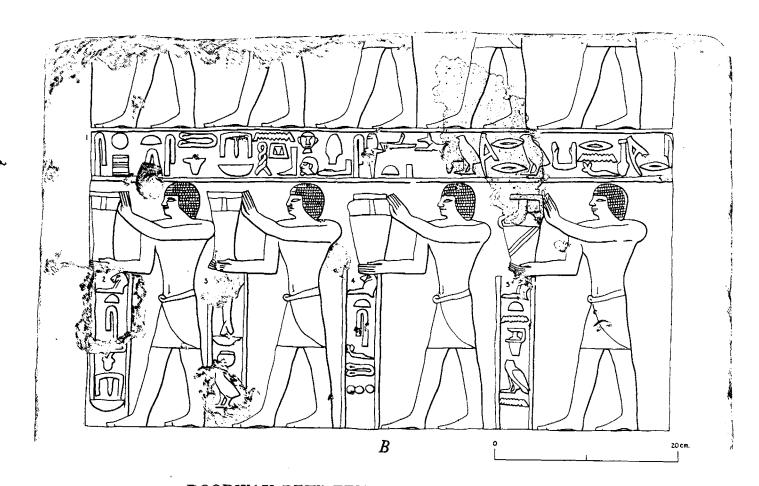


DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 6 AND A 8

A. WEST JAMB

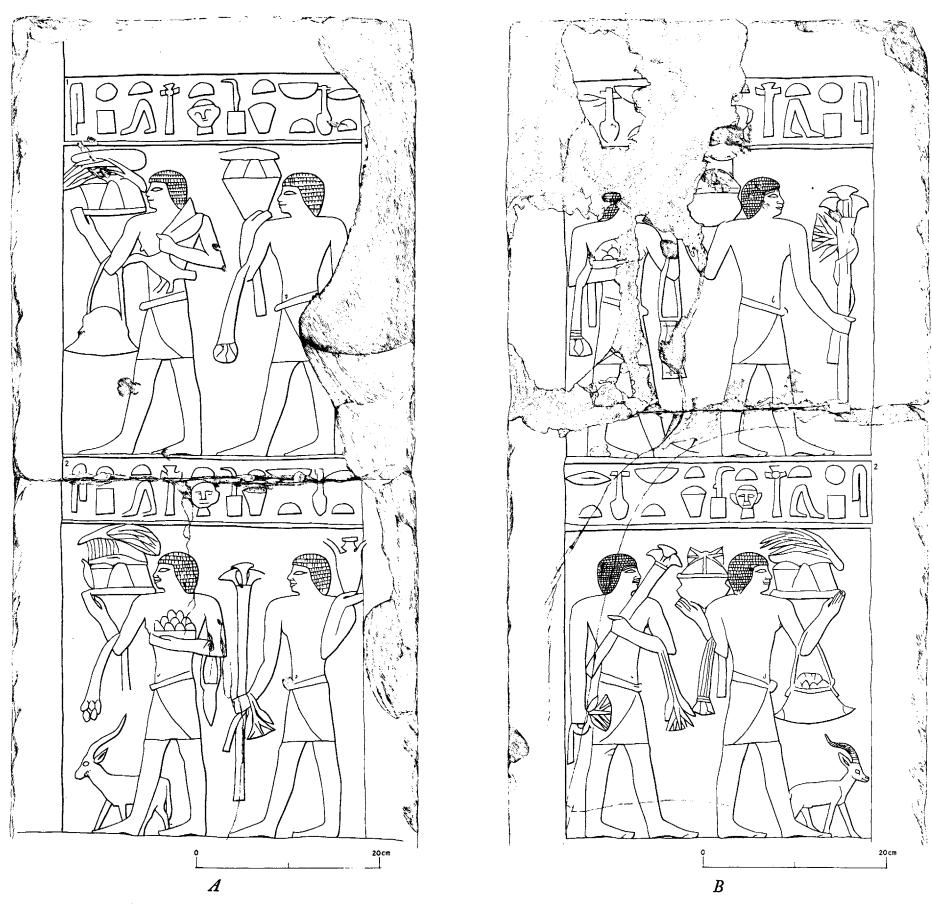
B. EAST JAMB





DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A8 AND A9

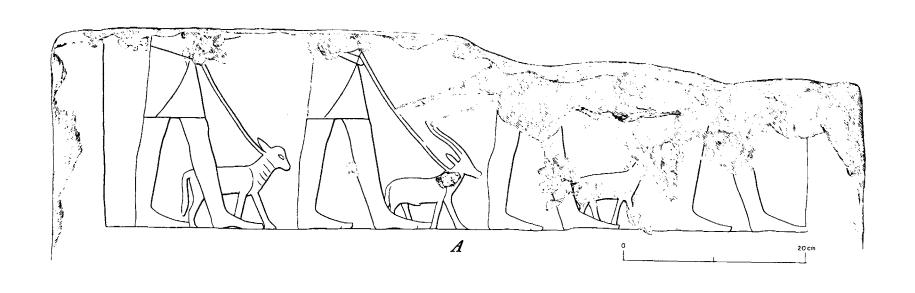
- A. WEST JAMB
- B. EAST JAMB

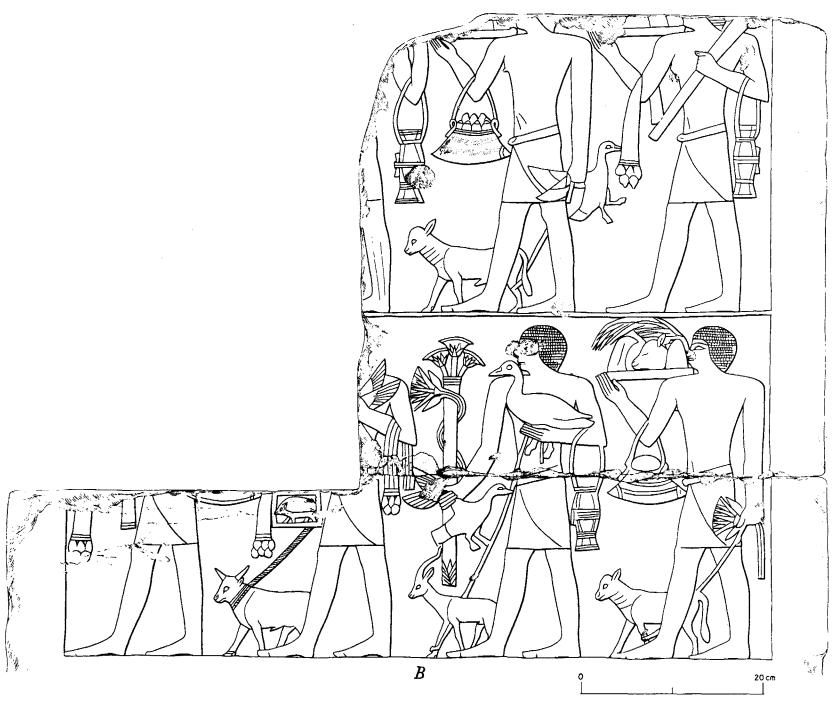


DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 11 AND A 12

A. NORTH JAMB

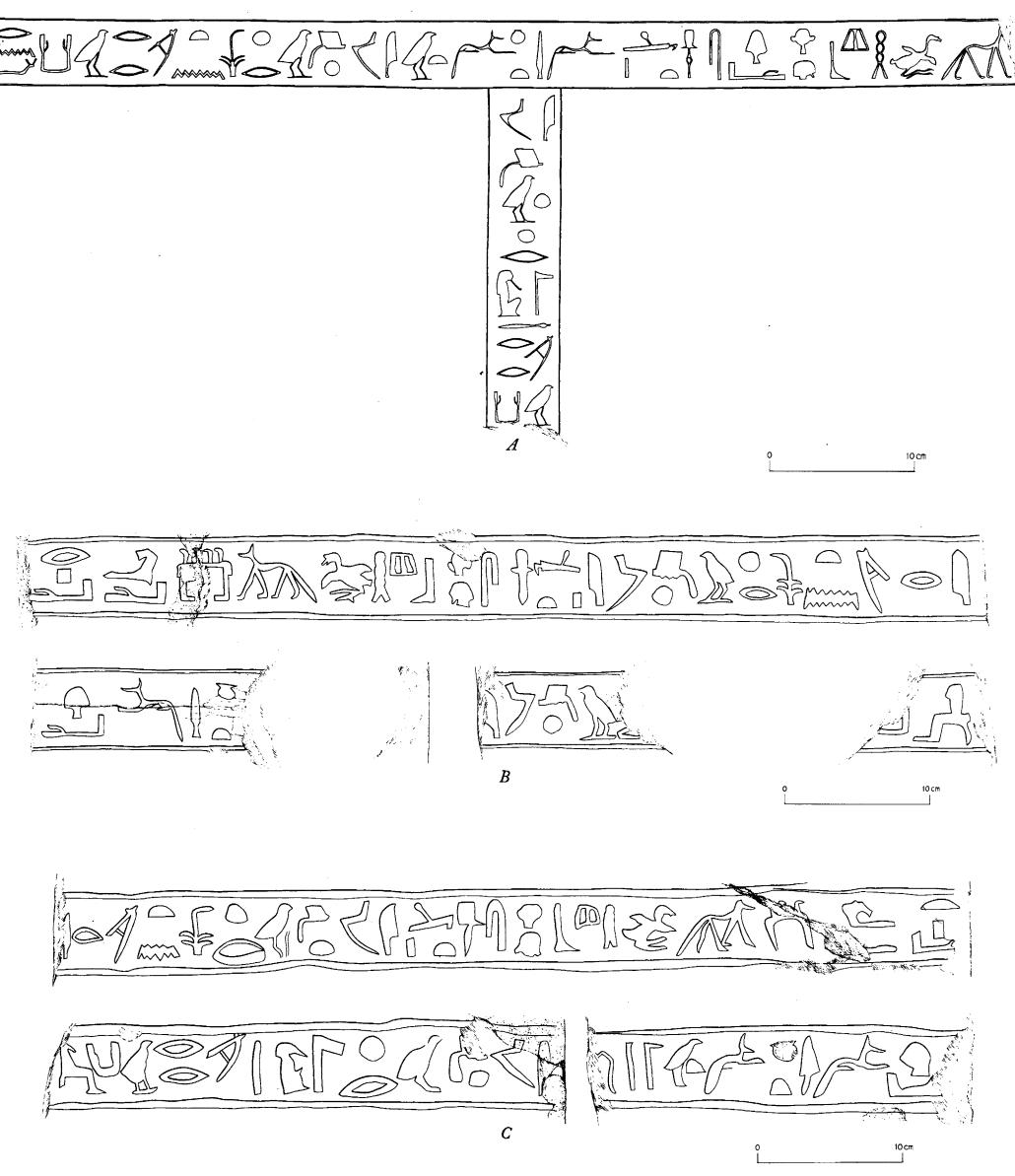
B. SOUTH JAMB





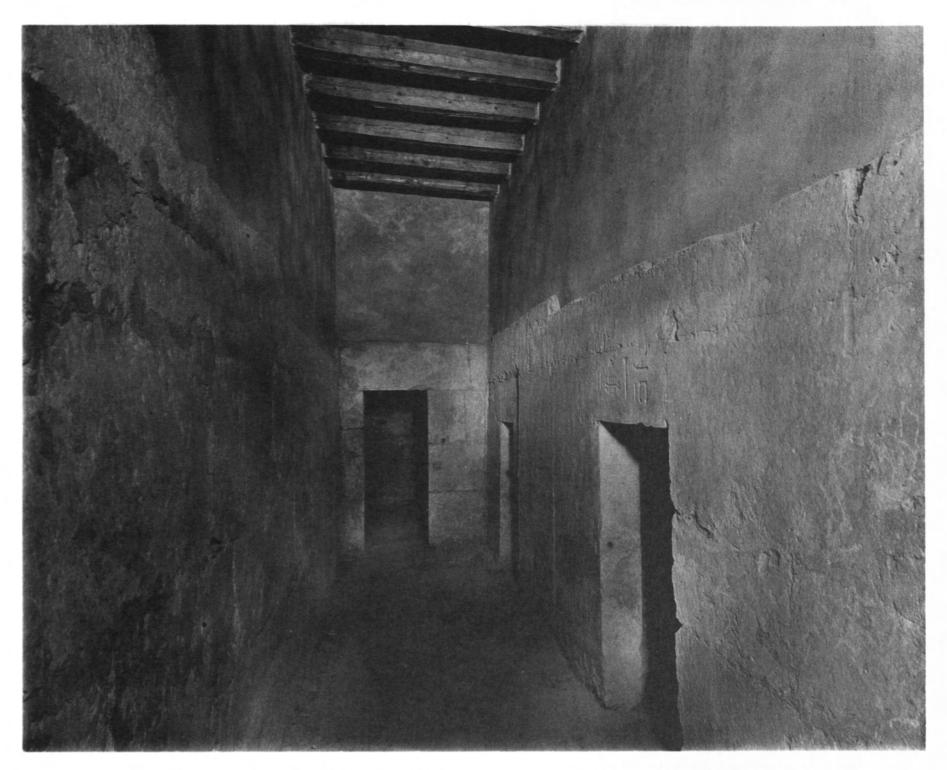
DOORWAY BETWEEN CHAMBERS A 11 AND A 13

- A. WEST JAMB
- B. EAST JAMB

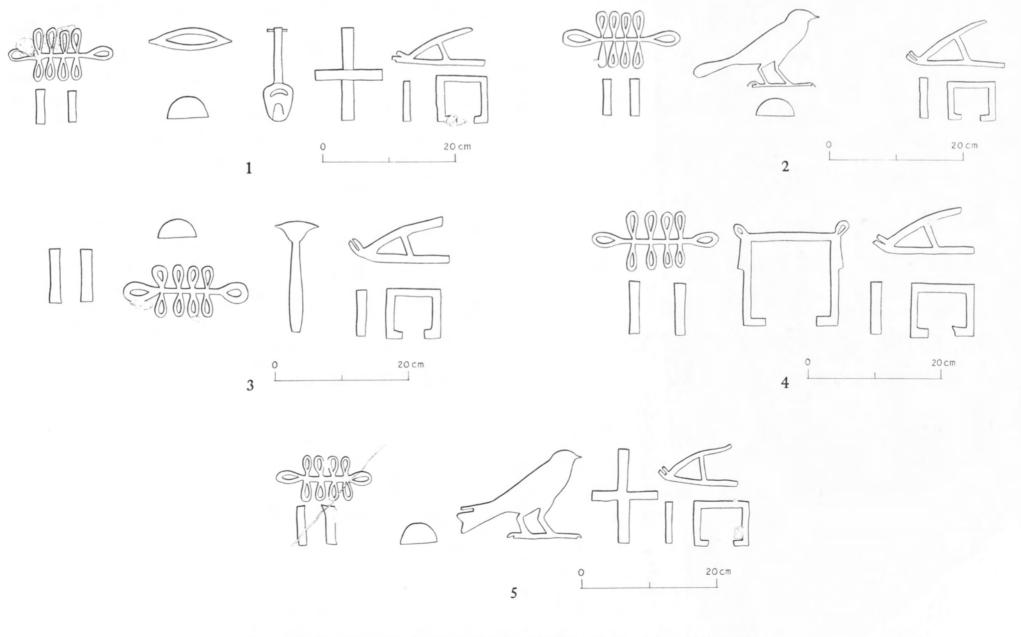


INSCRIPTIONS ON ALTAR IN CHAMBER A 13

- A. TOP
- B. WEST SIDE
- C. EAST SIDE



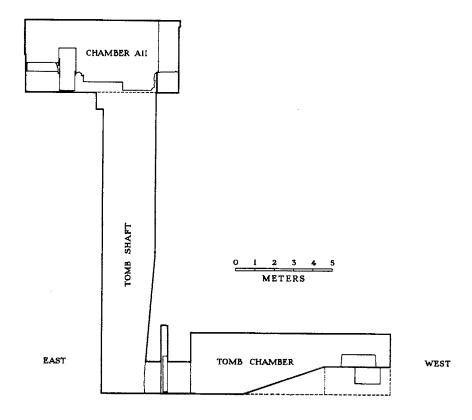
A. CHAMBER A 16. INTERIOR, LOOKING SOUTH; ENTRANCES TO MAGAZINES A 18-A 20



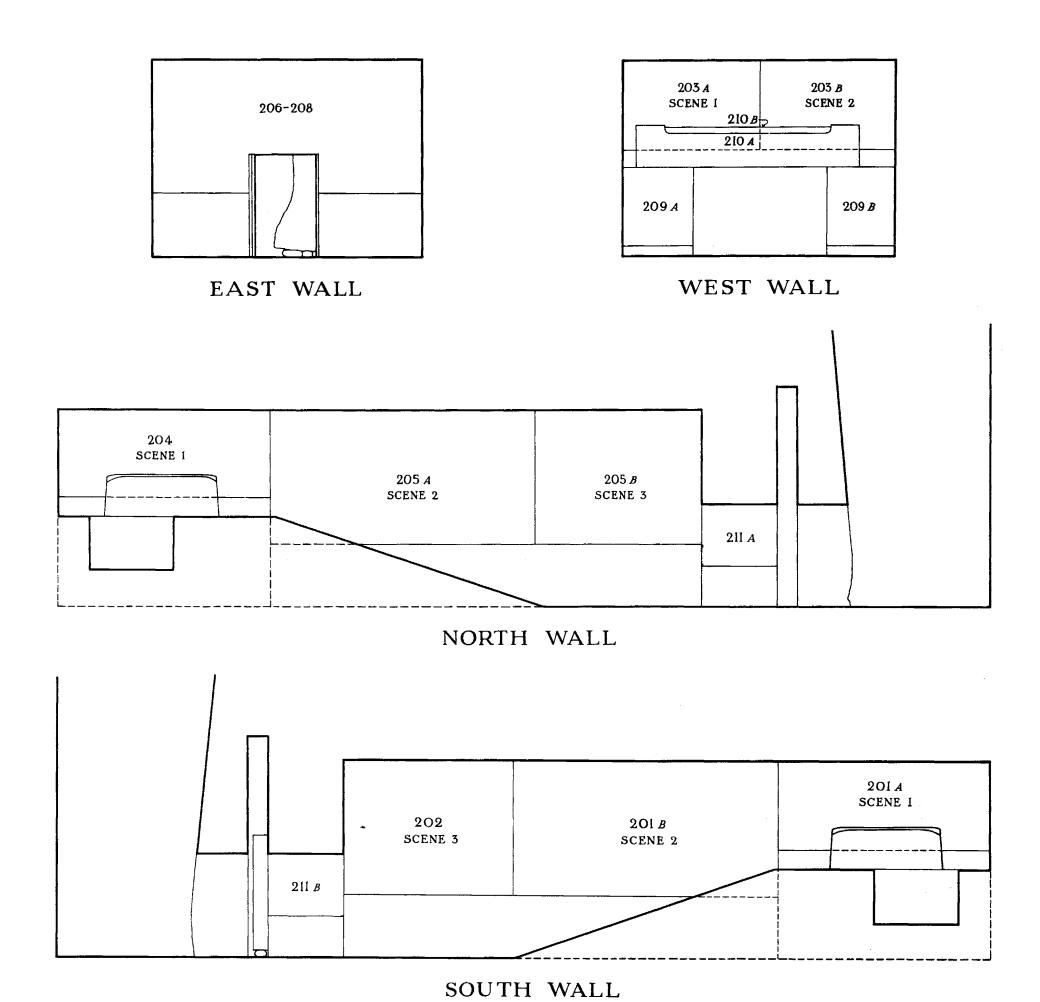
B. INSCRIPTIONS OVER ENTRANCES TO THE MAGAZINES:

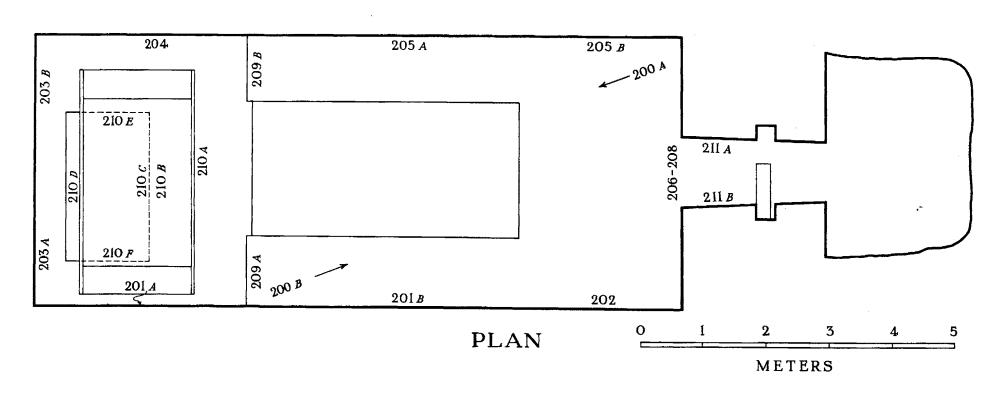
- 1. A 15
- 2. A 17
- 3. A 18
- 4. A 19
- 5. A 20

TOMB CHAMBER



TOMB SHAFT AND TOMB CHAMBER
Vertical Section, Looking South. Scale, 1:200

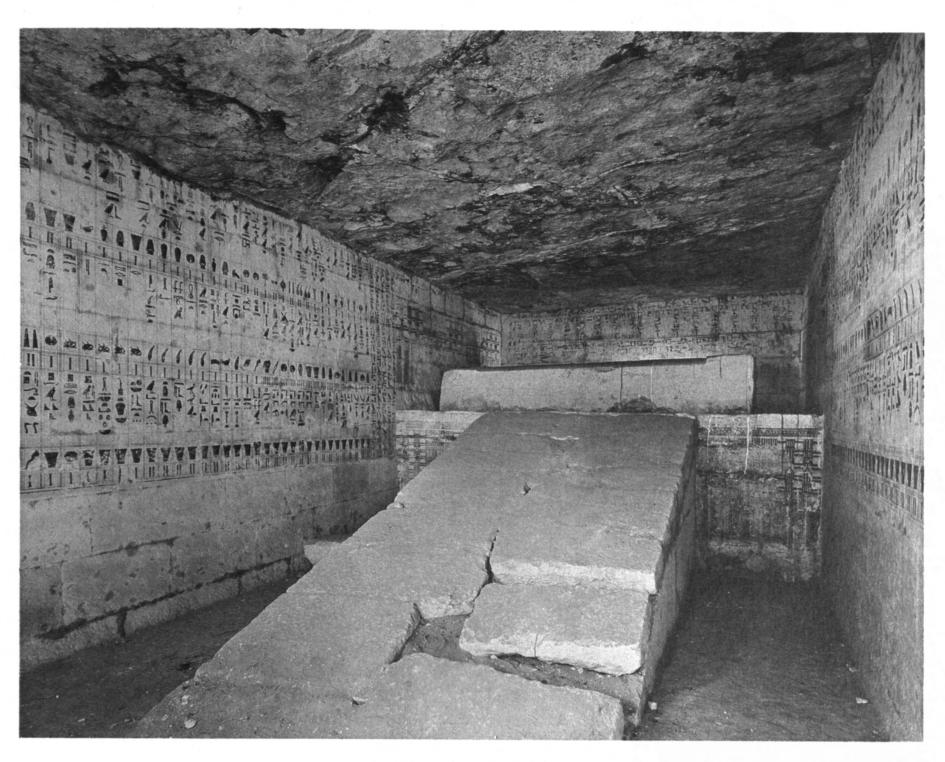




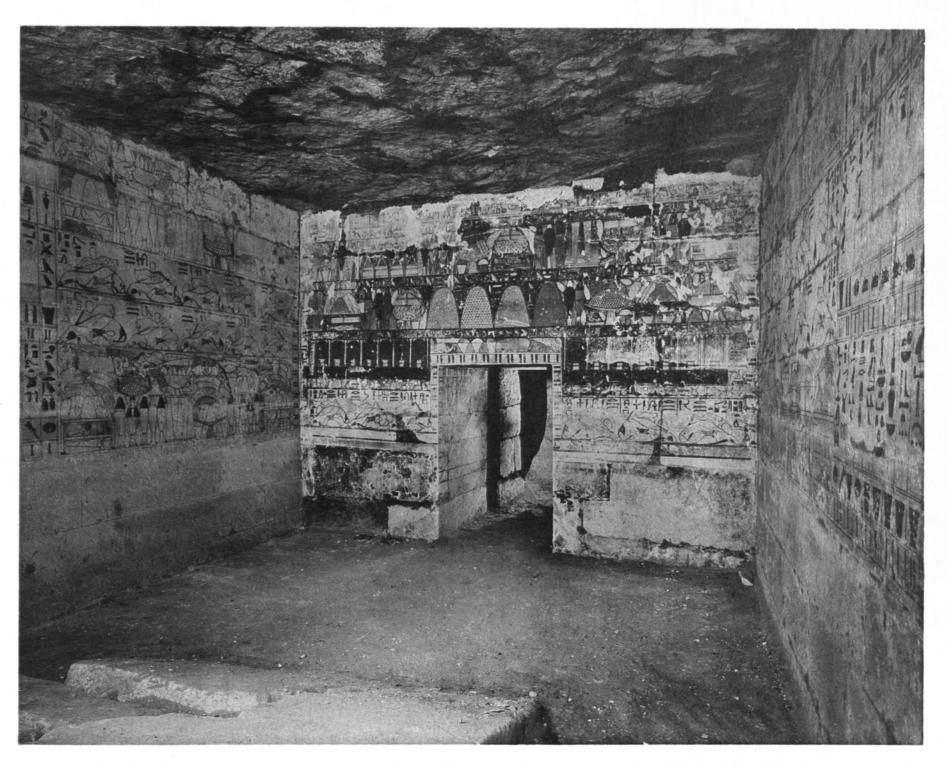
TOMB CHAMBER

PLAN AND ELEVATIONS, SHOWING THE ARRANGEMENT OF SCENES

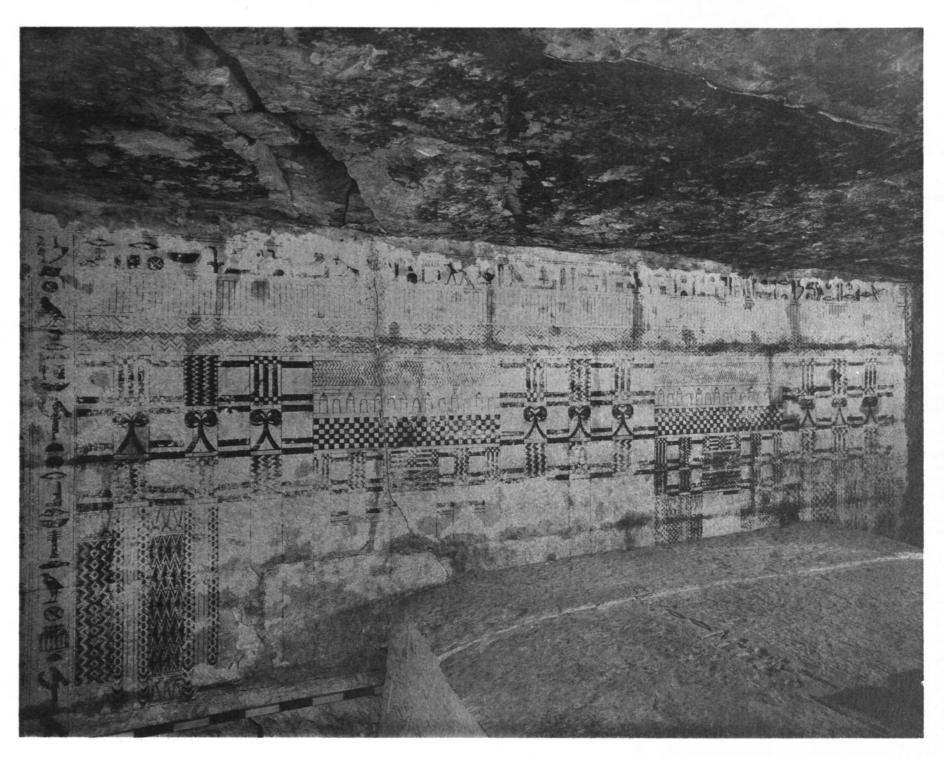
The numbers refer to plates of this volume. Scale, 1:60



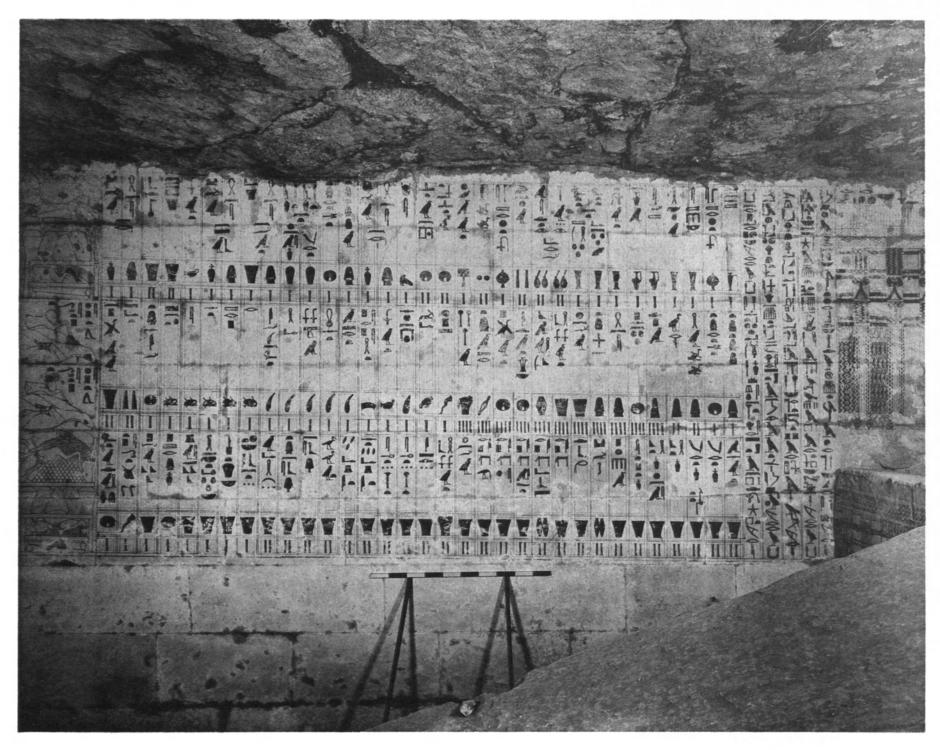
A. INTERIOR, LOOKING WEST



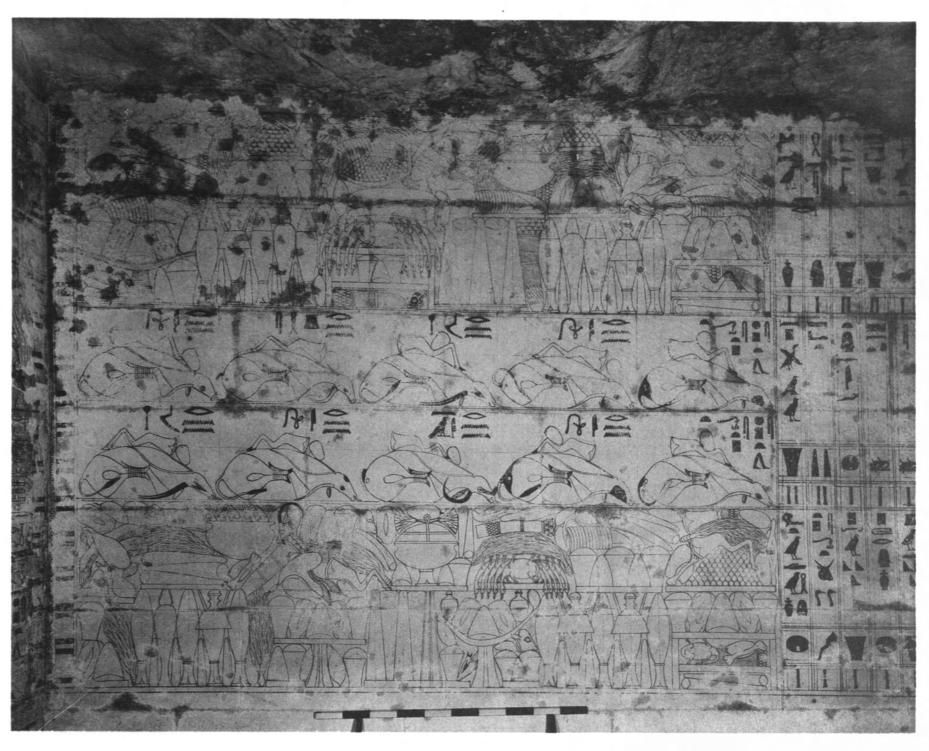
B. INTERIOR, LOOKING EAST



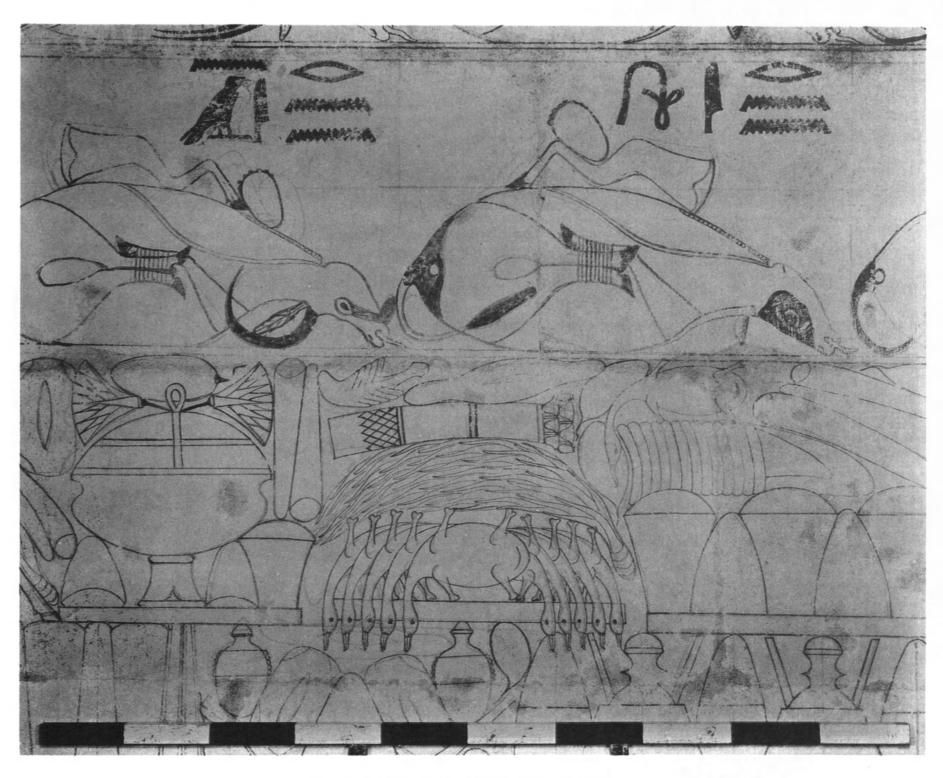
A. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 1



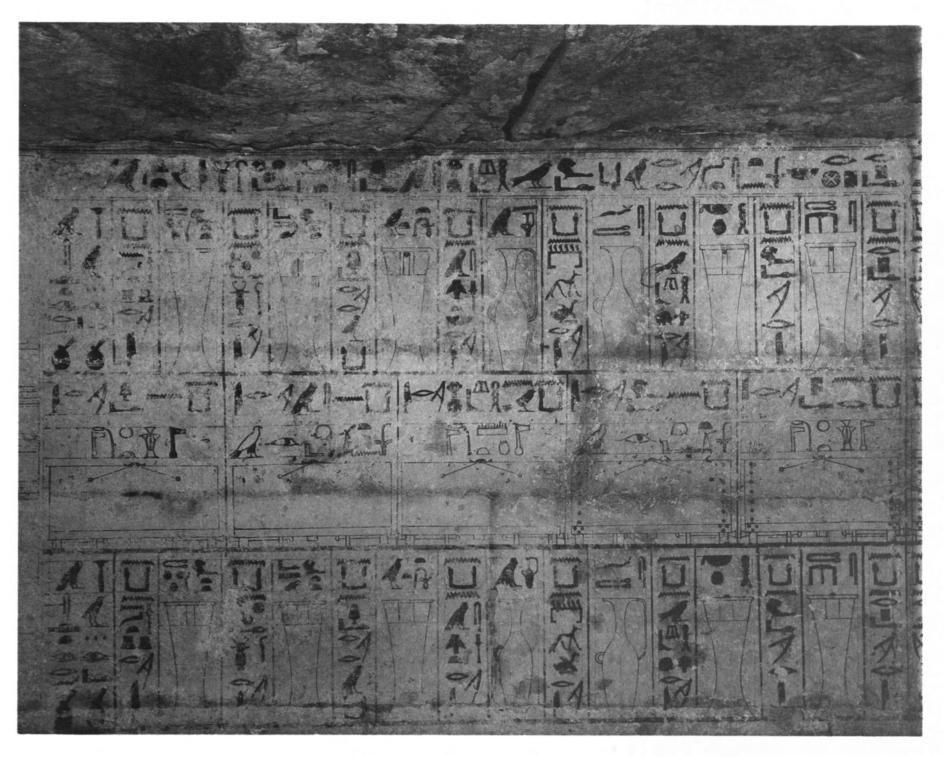
B. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 2



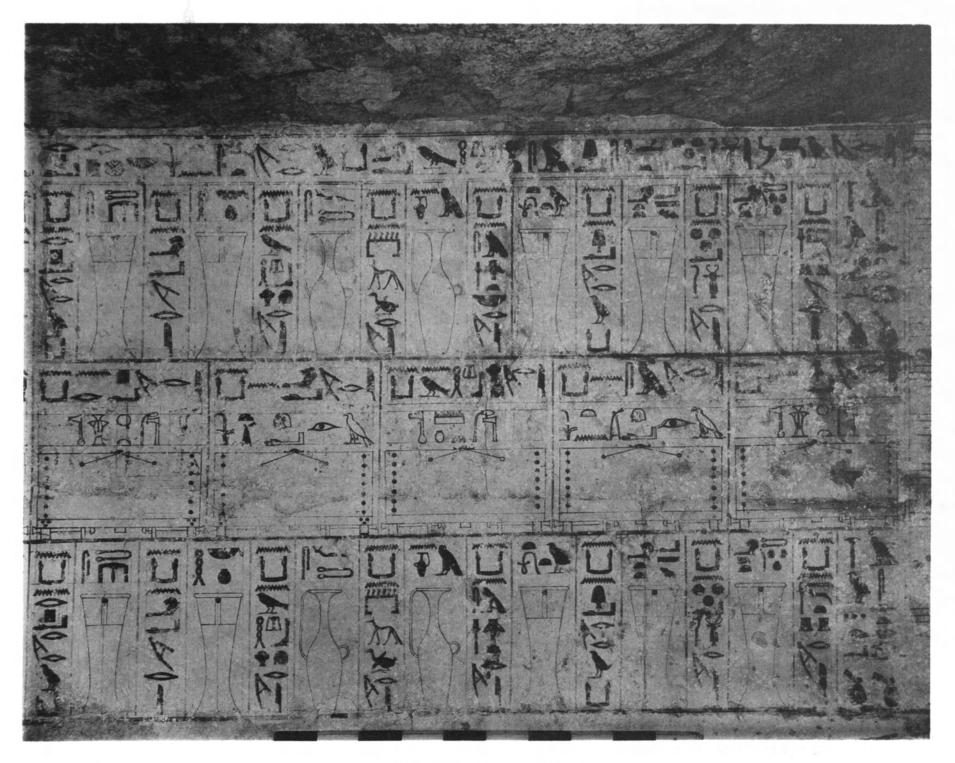
A. SOUTH WALL, SCENE 3



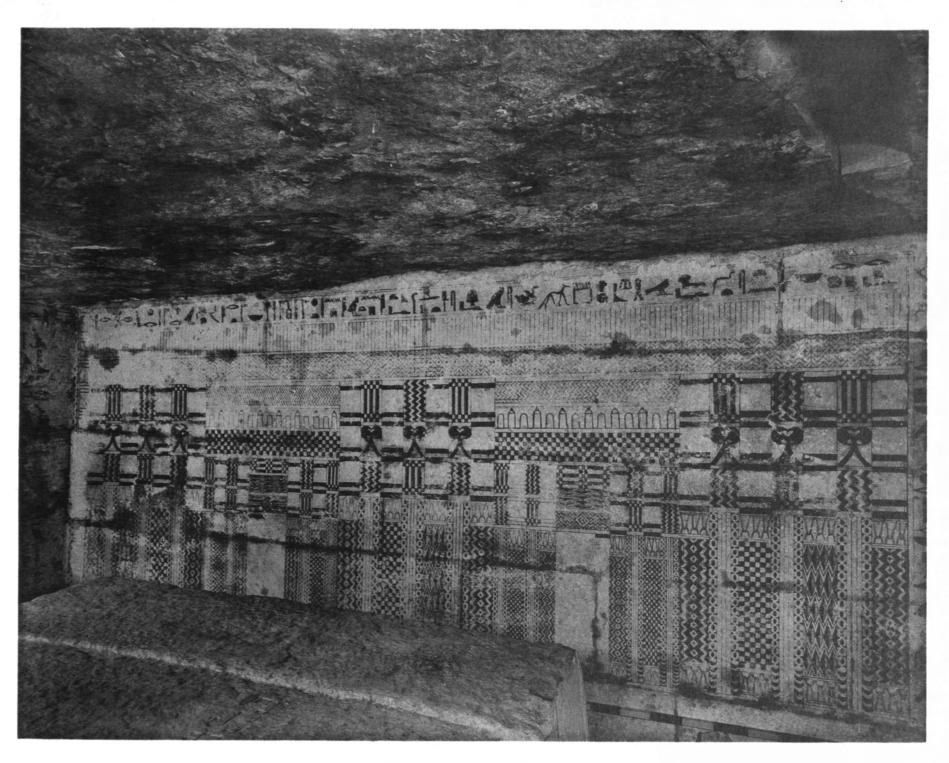
B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A



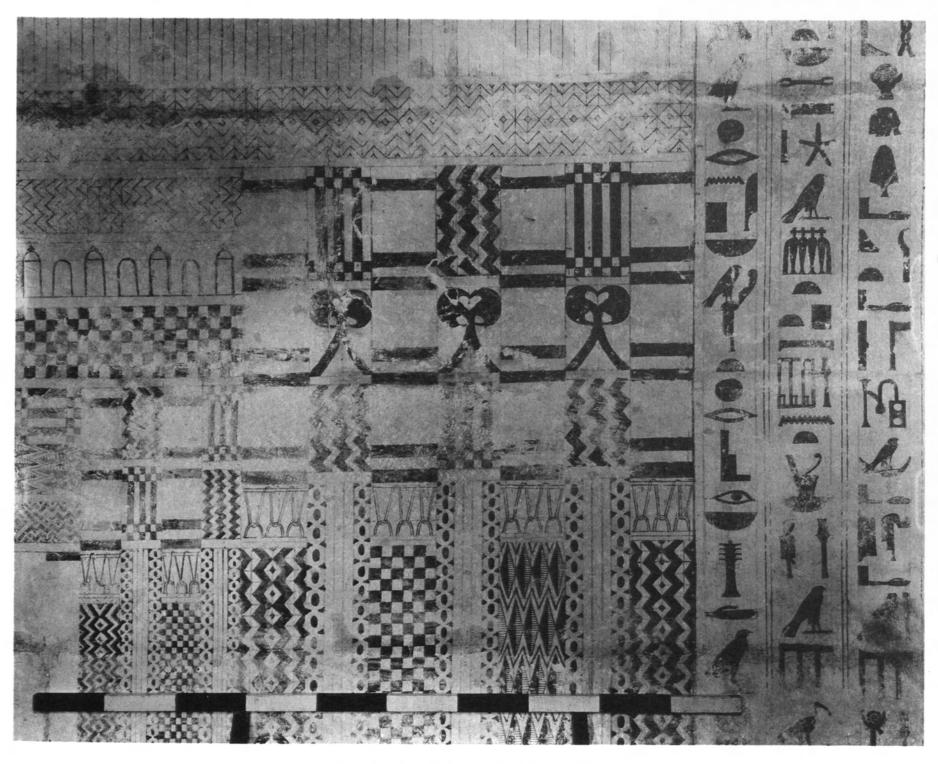
A. WEST WALL, SCENE 1



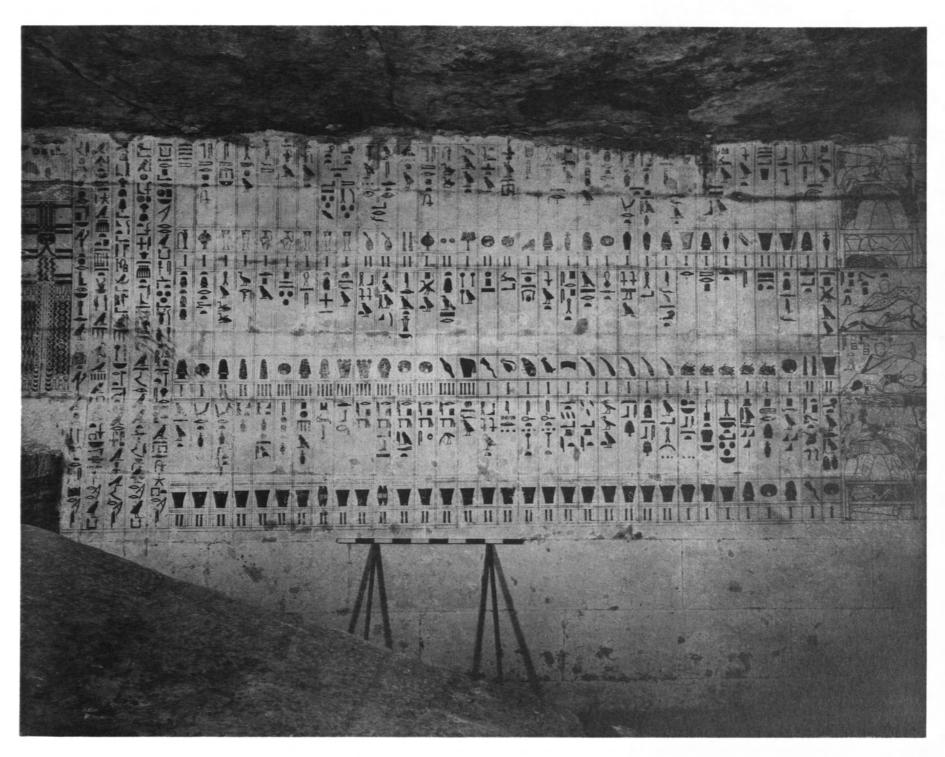
B. WEST WALL, SCENE 2



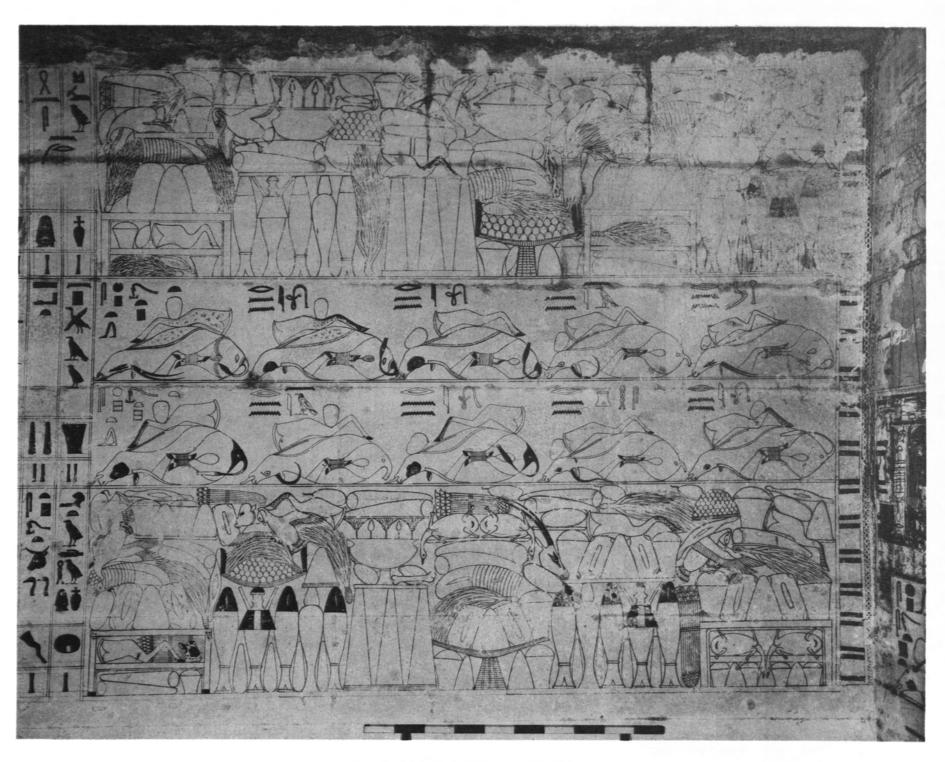
A. NORTH WALL, SCENE 1



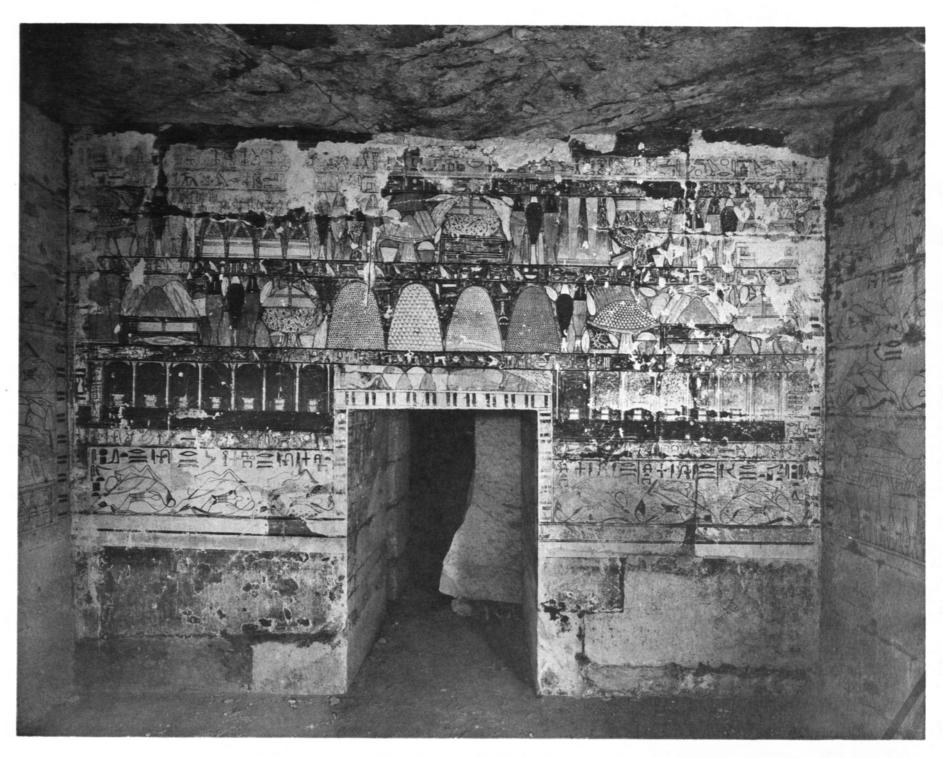
 $\it B.$ DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON $\it A$



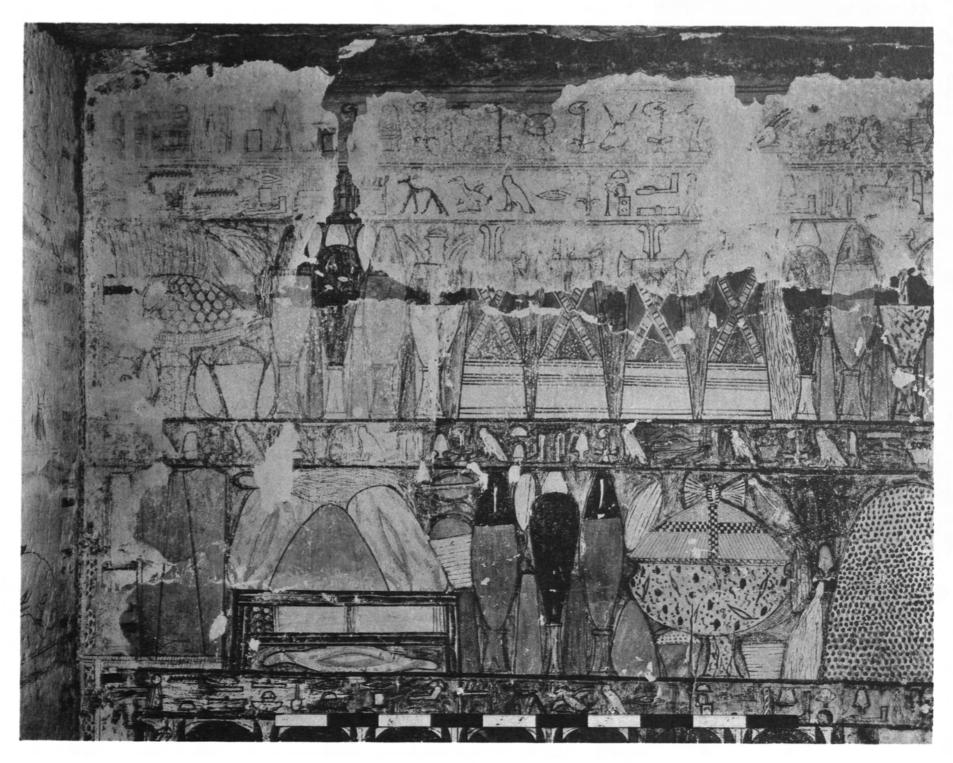
A. NORTH WALL, SCENE 2



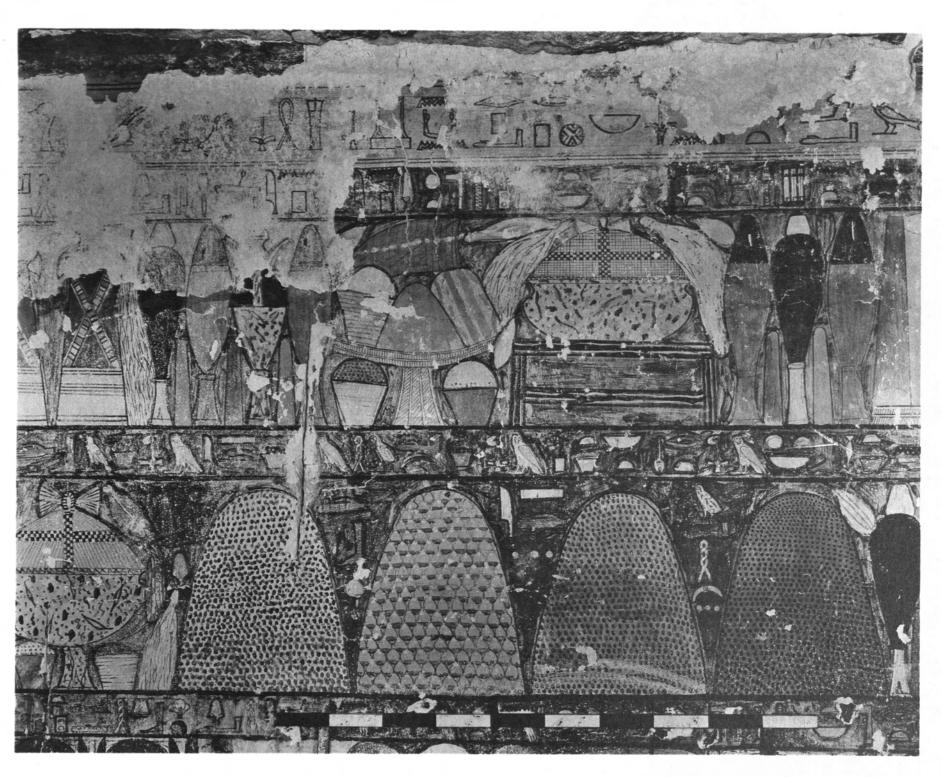
B. NORTH WALL, SCENE 3



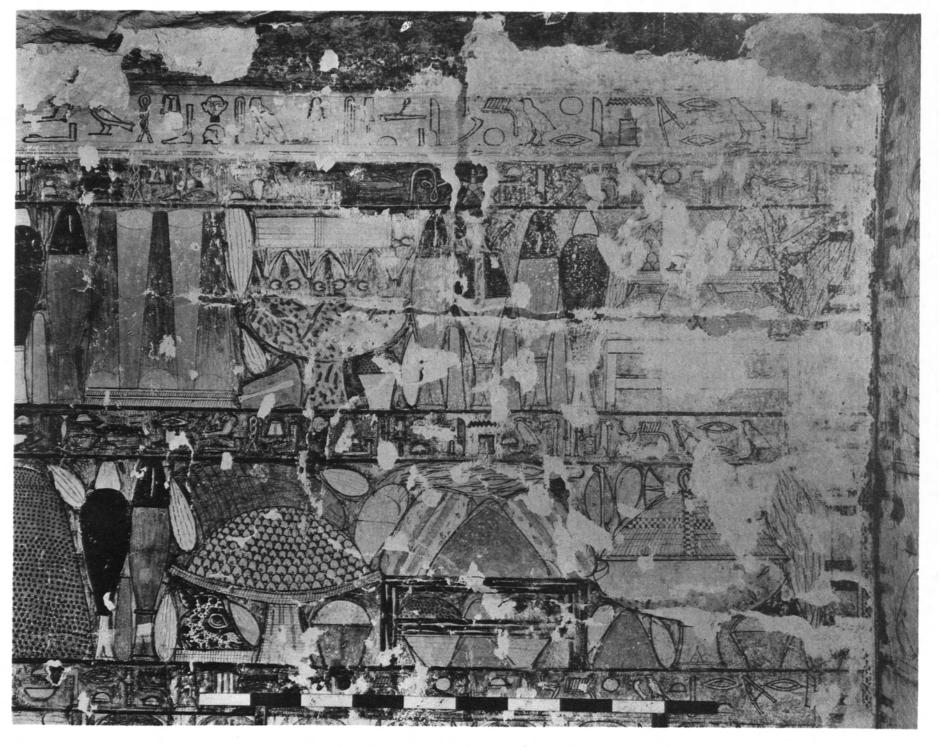
A. EAST WALL



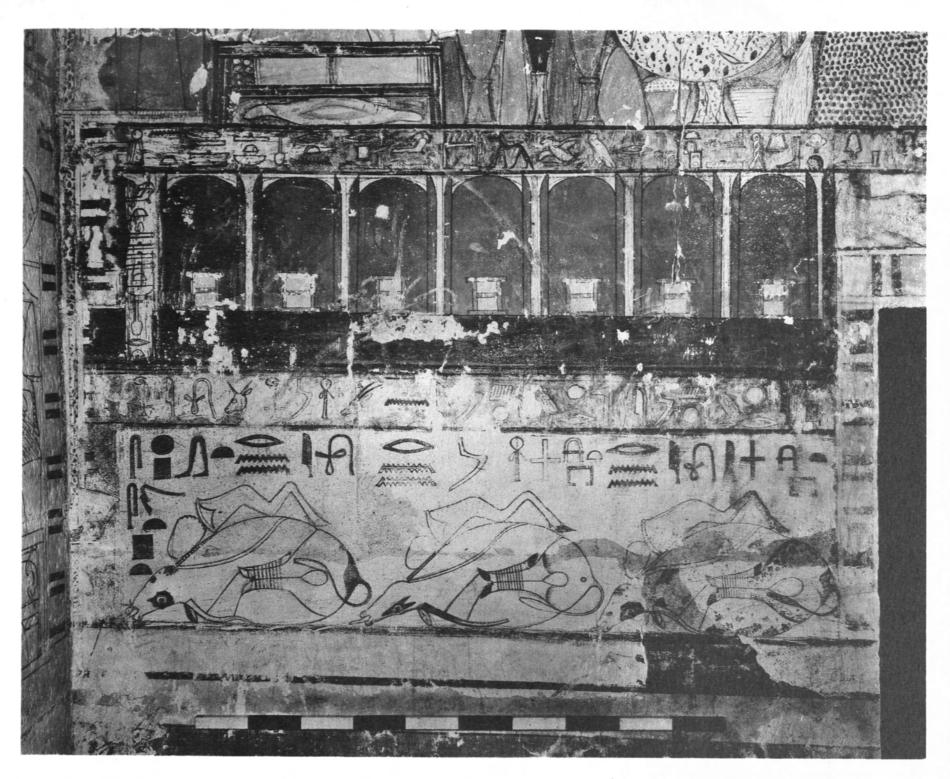
B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A



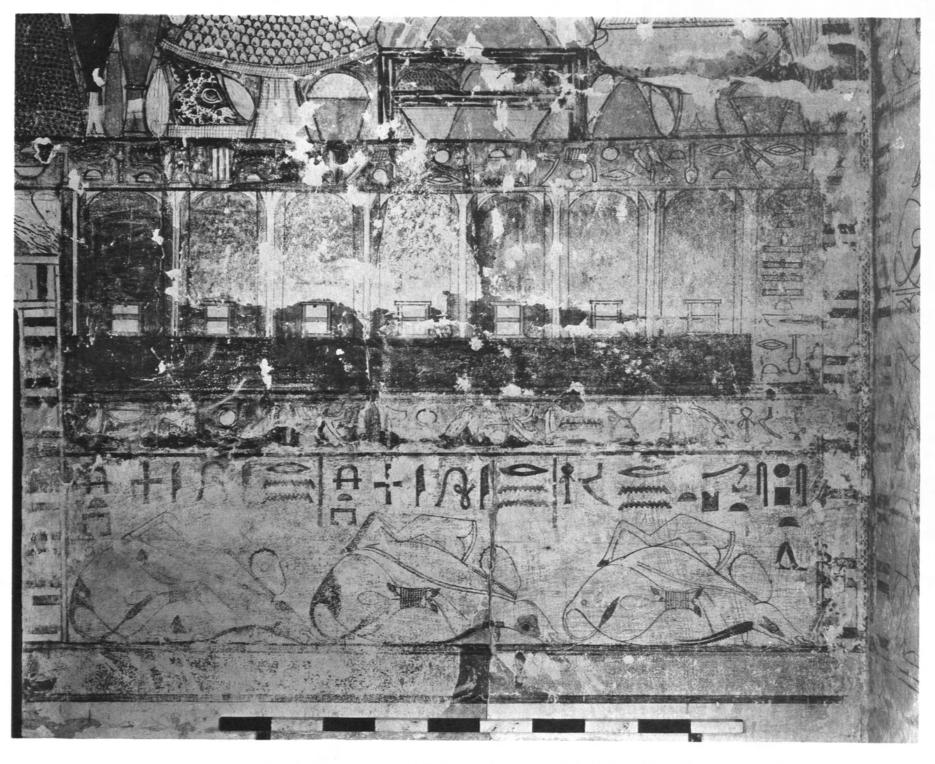
 $\it A$. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 206 $\it A$



B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 206 A

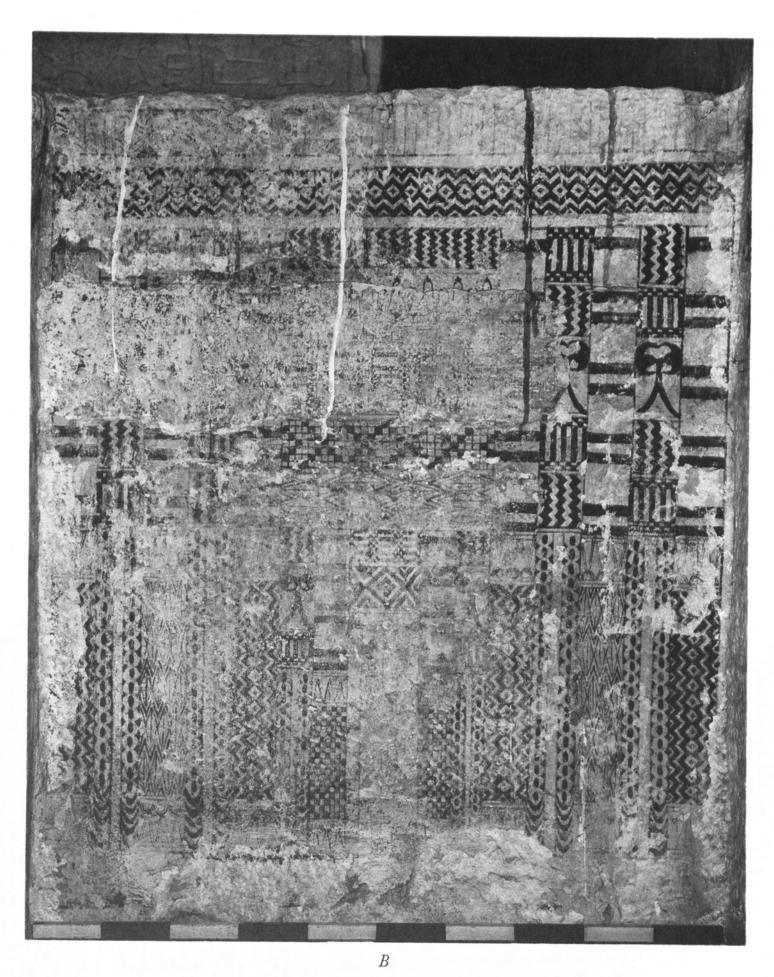


A. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 206 A



B. DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON PLATE 206 A





DECORATIONS ON EAST SIDE OF SARCOPHAGUS

A. AT LEFT OF RAMP

B. AT RIGHT OF RAMP



A. SARCOPHAGUS LID, EAST SIDE

THE RESIDENCE SAINTER TO THE PROPERTY OF THE P

B. INSCRIPTION ON TOP OF SARCOPHAGUS LID

C. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, EAST SIDE

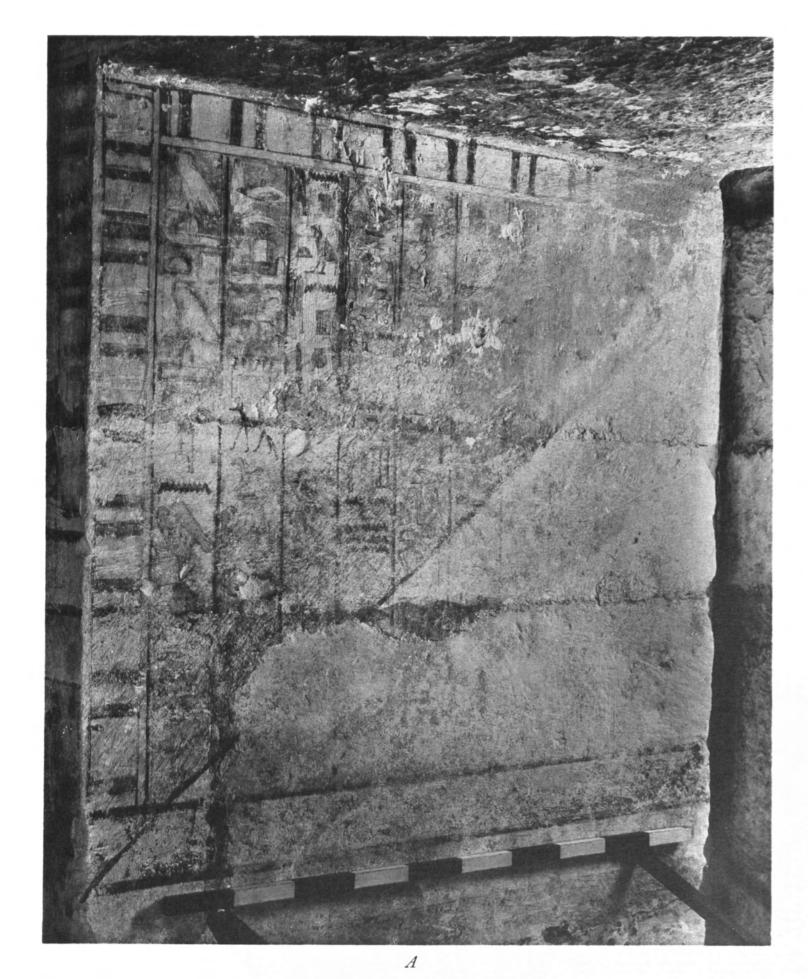
Q TESARCIE TO THE TOTAL SEPTEMBLE E

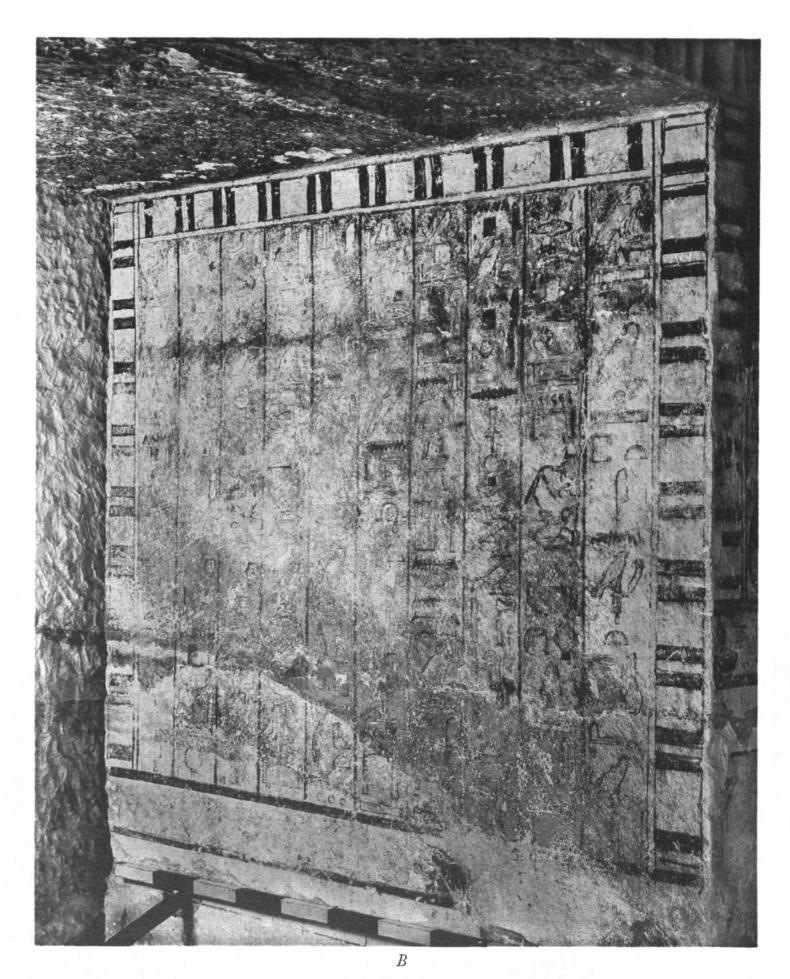
D. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, WEST SIDE

10 P 20 cm.

E. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, NORTH END

F. INSCRIPTION ON INTERIOR OF SARCOPHAGUS, SOUTH END

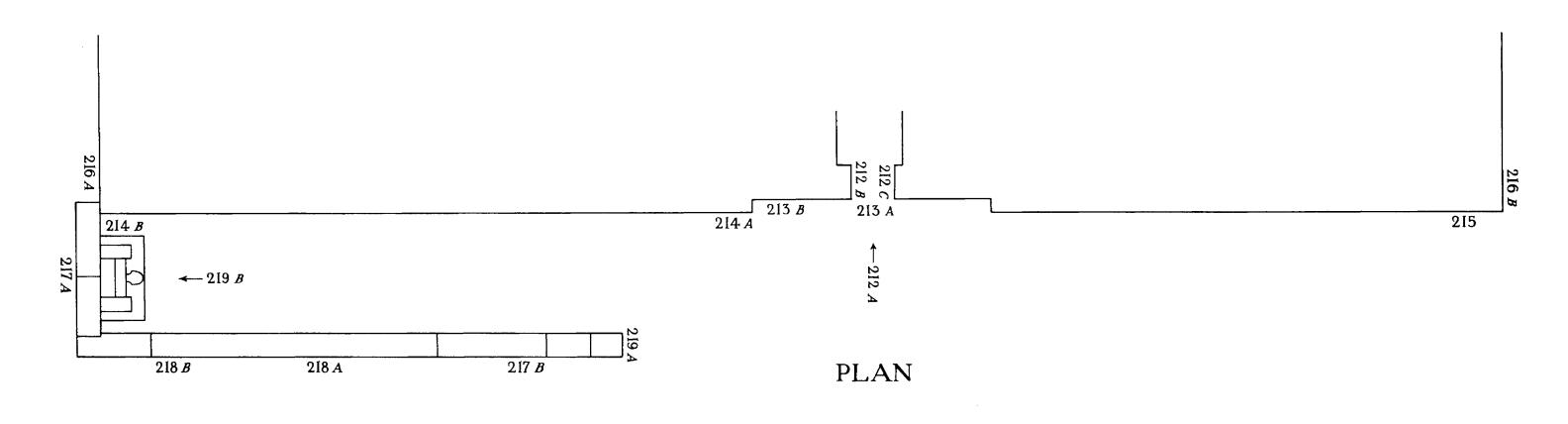


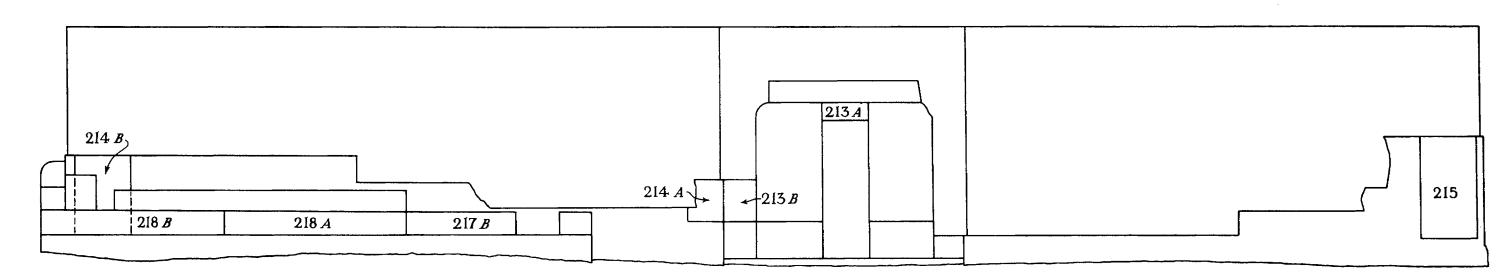


DOORWAY BETWEEN TOMB SHAFT AND TOMB CHAMBER

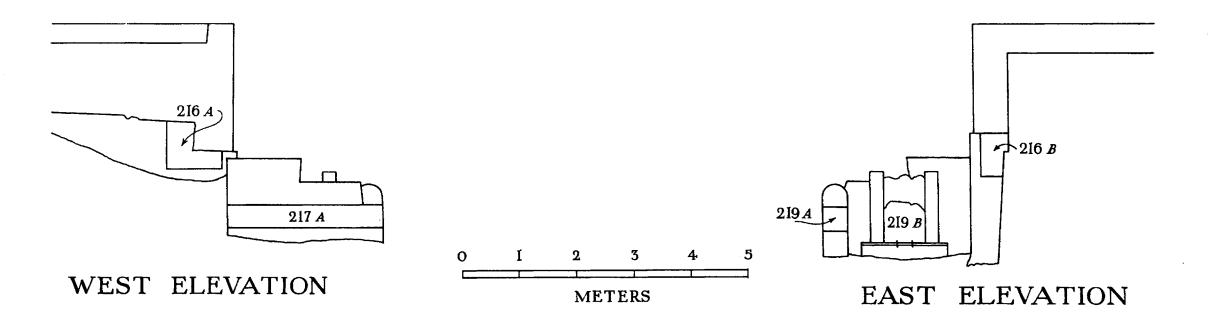
A. NORTH JAMB
B. SOUTH JAMB

EXTERIOR





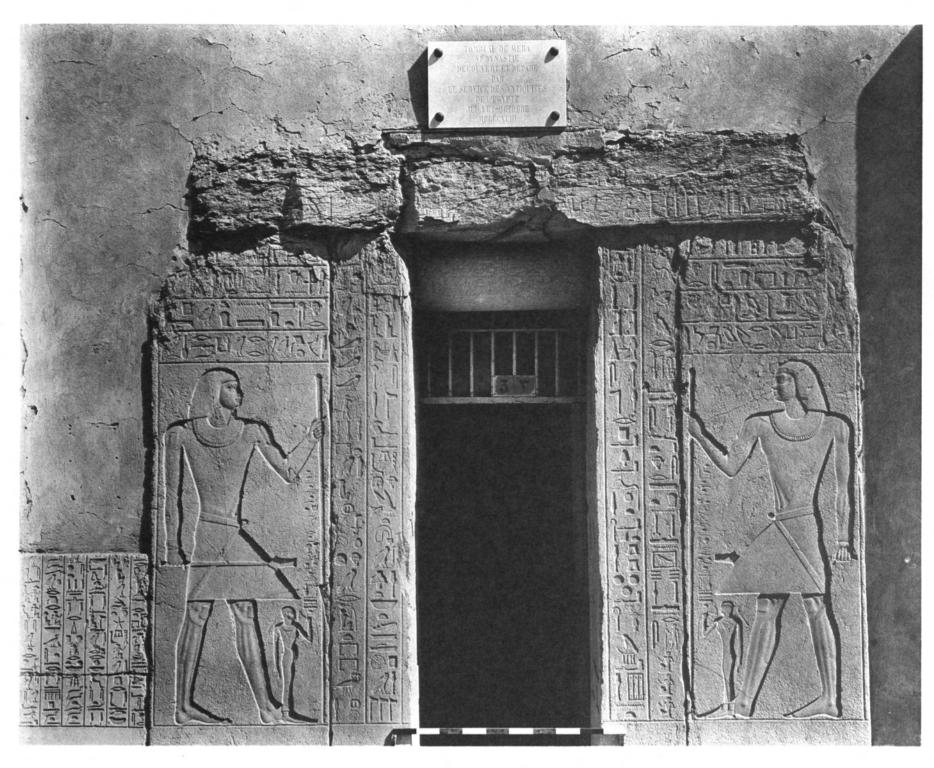
SOUTH ELEVATION



EXTERIOR. FRONT OF THE MASTABA

PLAN AND ELEVATIONS, SHOWING ARRANGEMENT OF SCENES AND INSCRIPTIONS

The numbers refer to plates of this volume. Scale, 3:200



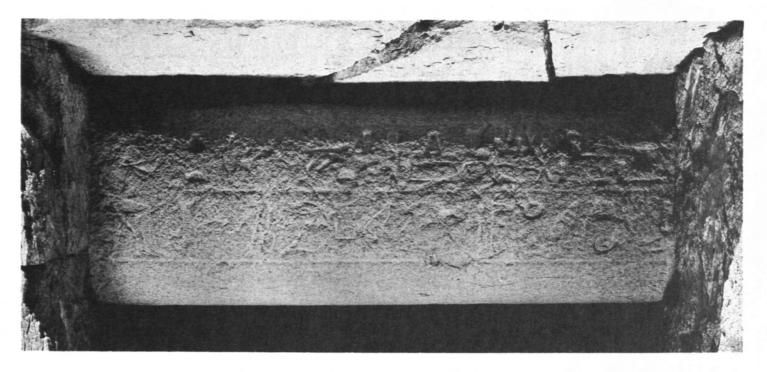
A. ENTRANCE TO MASTABA



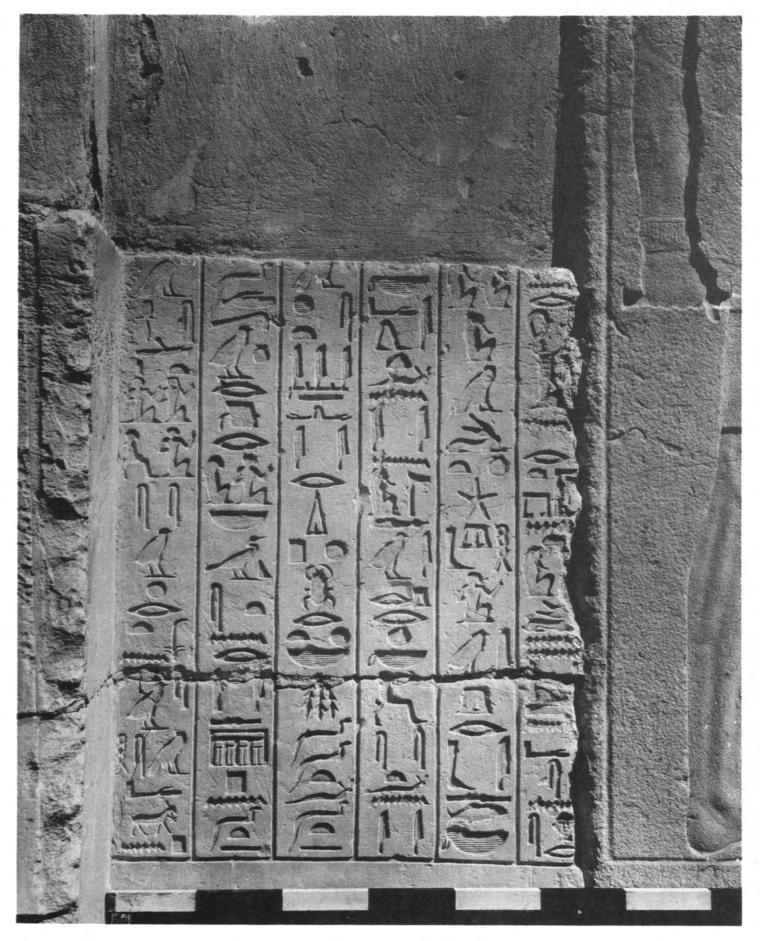
B. WEST JAMB



C. EAST JAMB



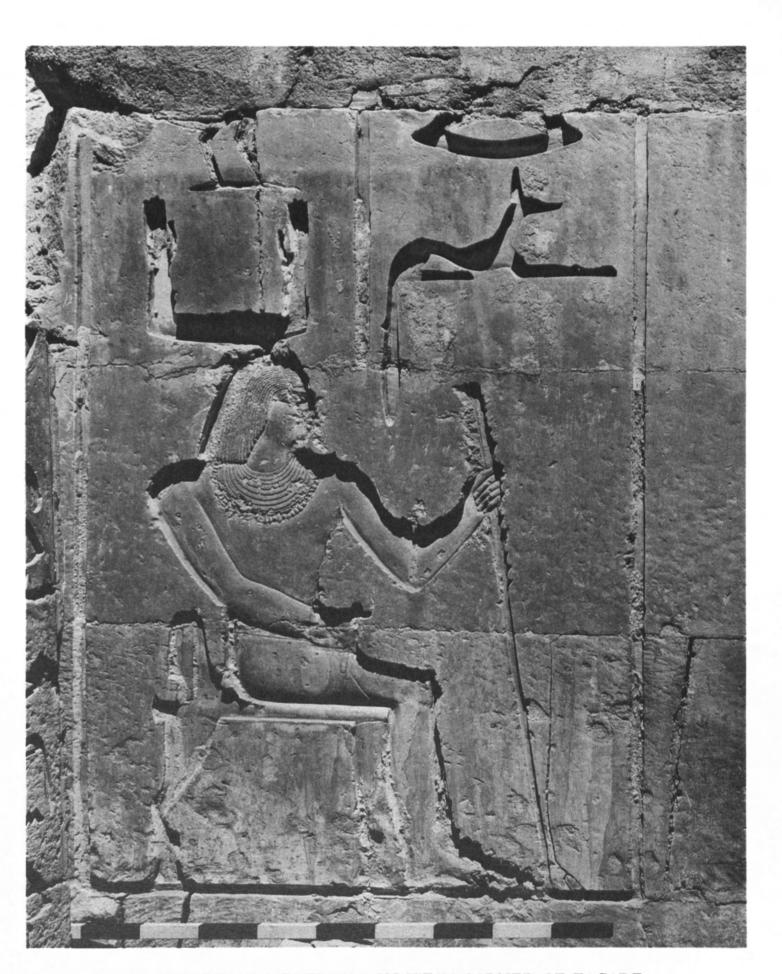
A. DRUM ABOVE ENTRANCE



B. FRAGMENT OF BIOGRAPHICAL INSCRIPTION ON FAÇADE, WEST OF ENTRANCE



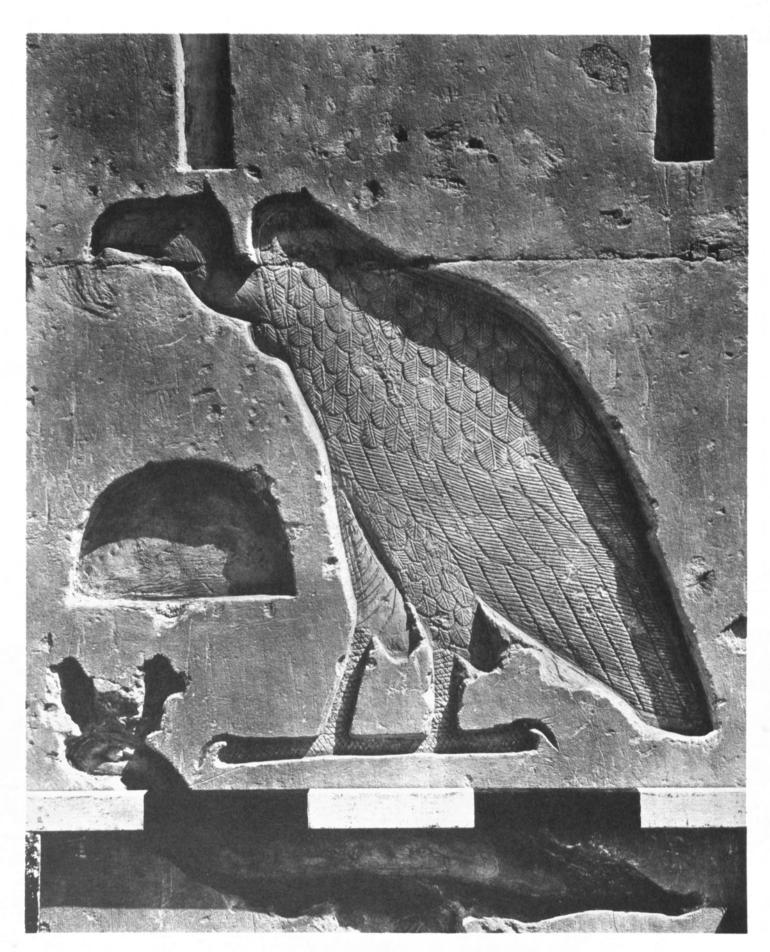
 $\it A.$ FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON FAÇADE, WEST OF BIOGRAPHICAL INSCRIPTION



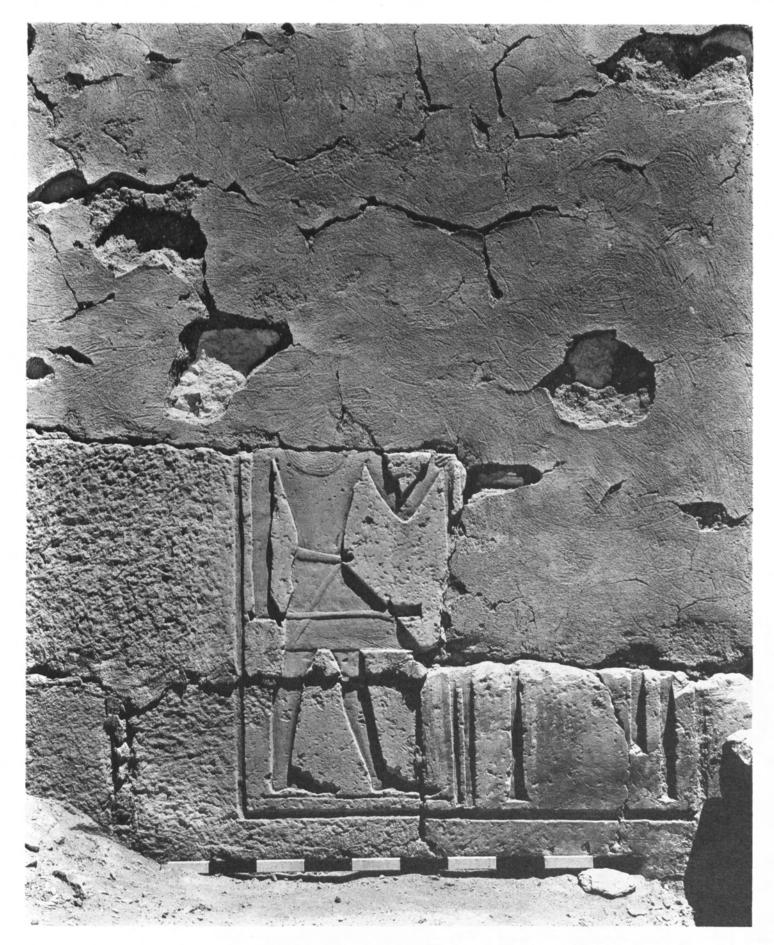
B. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON WEST CORNER OF FAÇADE



A. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON EAST CORNER OF FAÇADE



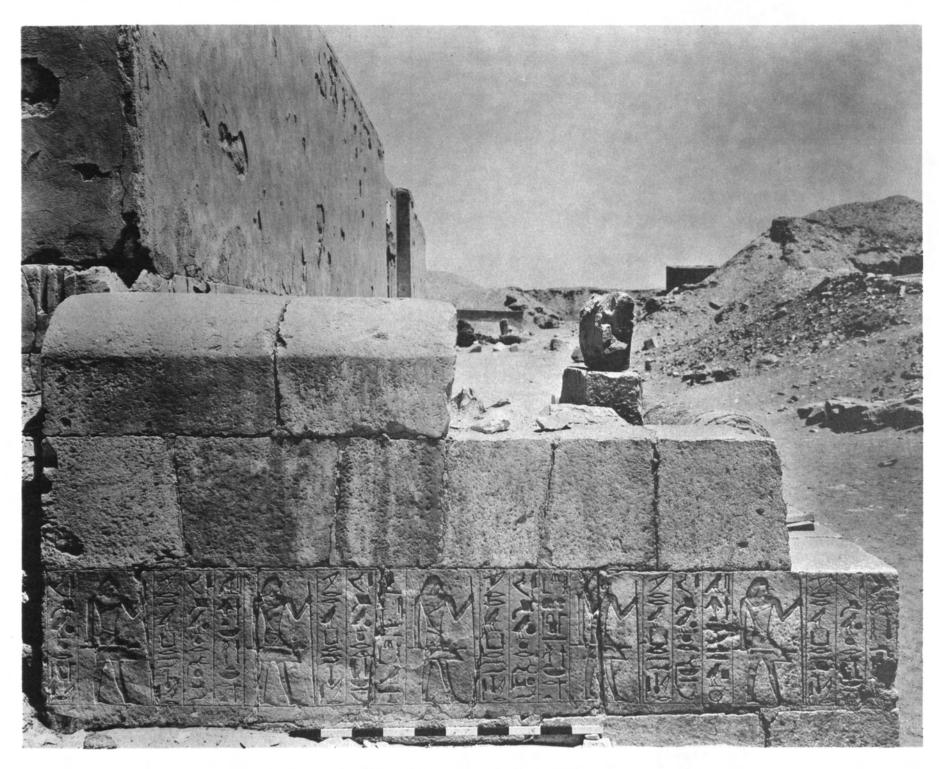
B. VULTURE (GYPS FULVUS). DETAIL OF SCENE SHOWN ON A



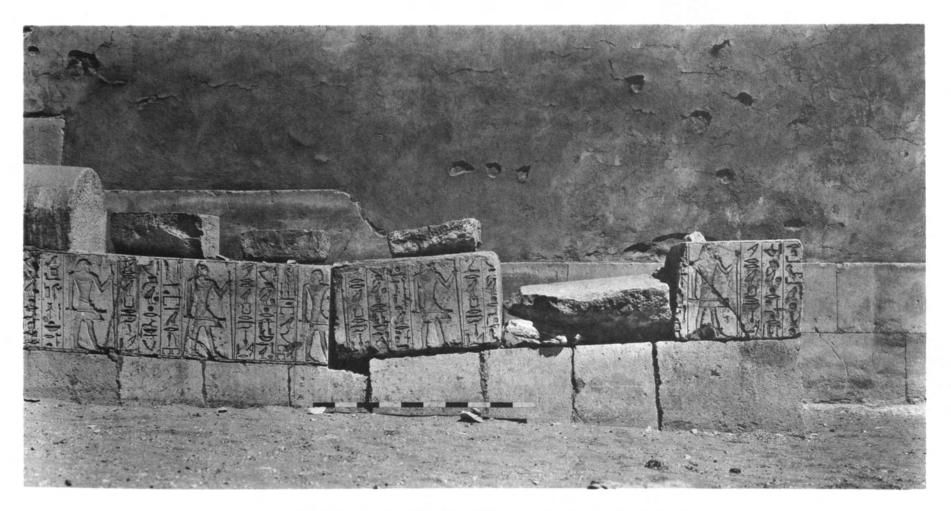
A. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON WEST EXTERIOR WALL OF MASTABA, SOUTH CORNER



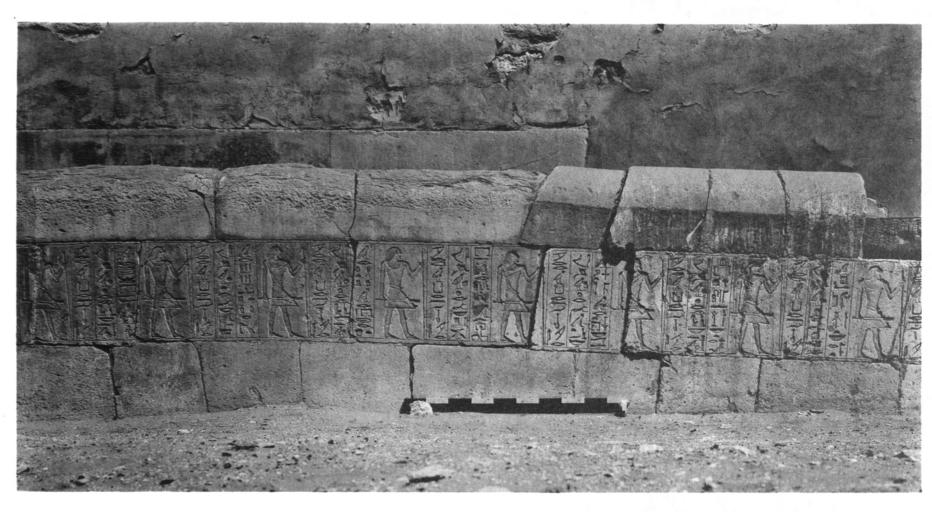
B. FIGURE OF MERERUKA ON EAST EXTERIOR WALL OF MASTABA, SOUTH CORNER



 \mathcal{A} . TEMENOS WALL, WEST FACE



B. TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, EAST PORTION



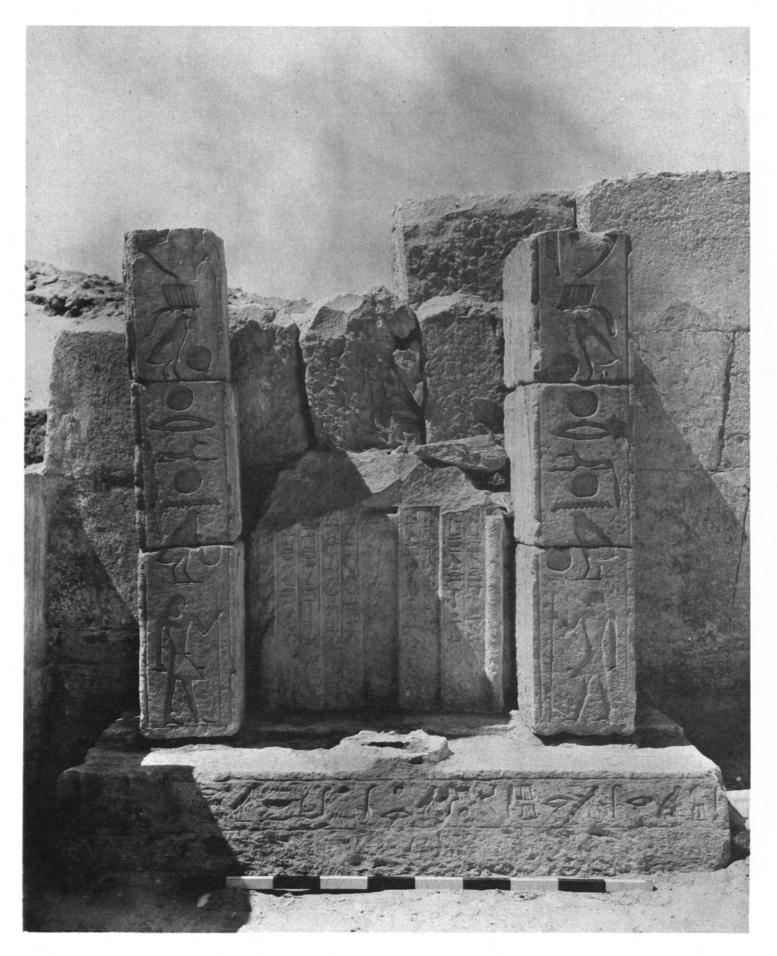
A. TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, CENTRAL PORTION



 $\it B.$ TEMENOS WALL, SOUTH FACE, WEST PORTION



 \mathcal{A} . TEMENOS WALL, EAST END



B. OFFERING-PLACE OF KHENU AT WEST END OF TEMENOS