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length arrived at the spot, and without taking notice of some fellows who were sauntering about the place, descended by ropes into the vault; no sooner were they let down than they were presented with a spectacle which struck them with horror: Two gentlemen apparently starved to death, laid before them; one of these unhappy victims had a tablet in his hand, on which was written in very pathetic language, the story of their lamentable fate. It seems they were brothers of rank and family in Venice, and having in the course of their travels entrusted themselves with one of the natives, for the purpose of visiting the catacombs, the perfidious villain had left them there to perish. The danger to which Mr. Hill and his friends were exposed, instantly alarmed them; they had scarcely read the tale, when looking up, they beheld their inhuman guide, assisted by two others whom they had seen near the spot, closing the entrance into the vault, they were now reduced to the utmost distress; however they drew their swords, and were determined to make some desperate effort to rescue themselves from a scene so truly dreadful; with this resolution they were groping about at random in the dark, when they were startled at the groans of some one seemingly in the agonies of death. They attended to the dismal sound, and at length, by the glimmering light from the top of the catacomb, they saw a man just murdered, and a little beyond they discovered his inhuman murderers fleeing with the utmost precipitation; they pursued them immediately, and tho' not able to come up with them they however had the good fortune to reach the opening through which these wretches escaped out of the cavern, before they had time to roll the stone on the top of it. Thus Mr. Hill and his friends were by a miracle saved.

Description of the statue Colossus at Rhodes.

The Colossus in the harbor of Rhodes, was made by Chares, of Asia the Lesser, and was the work of twelve