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— Crystal Route —

— March 19th

George A. Stabler & I made an exploring trip in the Crystal Route this afternoon Our object was to find another pocket of quartz crystals, similar to those between the second & third division of Crystal Palace.

We first went to the North West end of Crystal Palace & turned to the right on the largest circle of the Crystal Route. When we came to the first room we turned to the right, into the passage that Bill Pape & I discovered on the 25th day of November 1890 From this room we tried to find a passage leading to the right & after searching thoroughly, we found no new passage leading to the right until we got to the farther end of the room.

We had lots of crawling through "oven" shaped passages & one small room when we came to a place that I knew. That was about one-third the distance between Crystal Palace & the large Stalactite rooms on the main circle of the Crystal Route.

We then started to the Stalactite rooms on the "main circle" but after we got about two rooms we found a place that we missed to explore. After following this passage for about half an hour it came out where our first part of the exploring trip ended. We was not entirely discouraged with to defeats however we determined to try it again before we went to the entrance