Sunday February 15th 1891

2:03 in cave (Crystal Route ..... 1 trip

Father and I packed a box of curiosity this morning. At 10:35: A.M I started in the cave to get some mineral crystals. I went to the south end of Crystal Palace Via. the old stalactite rooms and the deep hole near them. I first worked out the pocket of mineral crystals that I discovered on the 13th inst, and then went on the circle that I found the last time Brown's folks was in the cave with me. When I got about half way around the circle I found a mineral crystal that was capped with calsite cut crytals. When I got nearly around circle to the left I discovered a young crystal cave & worked it partly out, but I did not take any of it out of doors. I came back to the mineral crystal I first worked out & loaded up ready to come out of the cave. When I arrived at the entrance, George, Mc. Menus, (our first neighbor down Wind Canon) took me by surprise. After dinner I went home with him, the first time have been down to his place this year, and came back about dark, the weather was cloudy when I got up this morning and has been getting colder ever since. This is the coldest evening we have had this winter, so far. I got out of the cave today at 12:38. P.M.

Monday February 16th 1891

6:22 in cave (Monument Hall Route ..... 1 trip

I took a circle around the hills this morning to get a rabbit but failed. at 1:30. P.M J.m. moore Elmer and I started in the cave to work the road between Roes misery and Red Hall J.m. moore and Elmer put in a shot in Roes Misery while I worked nearer the Hall with the sledge hammer, fixing the path I arrived at the entrance at 7:52. P.M, and was plenty tired The weather has been cloudy and the snow has not thawed a bit today (in this part of the country). good night [illegible]