went down a hole to the left (as we go in) to the depth of 30 feet or more & found ourselves in the room that M. A. Moore discovered on the 14th day of January 1897. after exploring for about half an hour & finding nothing we returned to the deep hole on the old part of the route a different from that which we went, coming back to the string just this side of the hole that we had to squeeze through when we went in. Coming back about 50 feet from the angle in the old part of route I thought it best to explore the small passage leading at a right angle to the left (as we come out). After we had went about 25 feet we come into the largest room that I ever saw before in the Specimen Route, dimensions, about 35 feet X 60 feet X 25 feet high. There were passages leading in every possible direction from it. We took a large passage in the South West corner of the room. The passage kept getting smaller and then opened up into a small stalaktite room with dirt floor & red formation in general. From there J. M. Moore found a passage leading to the left & started to explore it for water formation, leaving me to explore another place in a different direction. In about 10 minutes J. M. Moore called me to come to where he was. I started towards him but got into a hole so tight that I had a hard time getting through, but succeeded after tearing a button of my pocket & found myself into a small stalactite room. From there we crawled into a passage to the left, that kept larger until we got into a room about 12 X 12 feet with 3 or 4 passages leading from it in different directions. I climbed up a hole to the left of the room to the hight of 35 feet but found nothing except a little water formation and a good deal of hard climbing. When I got back to where I left J. M. Moore, he was not there, but I heard him calling to me to come to him & bring the string, for he had found a place where we would never stop going down when we once got started. When I got to where I could see him, he was about 12 feet below me & I had to jump about half that distance but found a soft lighting place. I found my self into a room that was nearly round and about 50 feet in diameter & had a white roof, brown sides, and red floor.