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Noen bemerkninger om Larshullet og Lapphullet i Nord-Norge

Some Notes on Larshullet & Lapphullet Caves, Northern Norway

These notes by Oliver C. Wells first published in 1957 refer to a caving expedition to the southern side of Svartisen, Norway, organised by Cambridge University Caving Club in August and September, 1956 following on from the work of Gunnar Horn, 1933-35 (Pub. 1947) and Corbel and the Railtons, 1951. The seven members of the expedition are listed and include R. J. Kirkland author of another paper in this issue. The party camped by Reingardslivatnet. Visits were made into the three caves, Larshullet, Lapphullet and Olavsgrotta. The notes include the results of these explorations which doubled the extent of Gunnar Horn's survey of Lapphullet; included a descent of the 117 metres pitch in Larshullet; and extensions to the Sørgang by some digging in the sand. Observations are made on the origin and development of the caves. A Grade 4 survey of Lapphullet showing its relationship to Larshullet is included. For more detail refer to the original paper published in CRG Trans. 5 (1) p. 23-33. 1957.