Correspondence.

Scientific Club, 7, Savile Row, W., Oct. 8, 1877. To the Editor of the Mineralogical Magazine.

Sir,

Some years ago I examined some crystals of aragonite for Strontium. Obtaining unweighable traces I tested in the blowpipe flame, and was not a little surprised to find the coloration was green. In the spectroscope I got from the original substance the lines of both barium and strontium. Is this a common experience? The mineral was from near Wookey Hole, Somerset, whence I brought it myself.

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NOTE.

Mr Readwin will be glad to exchange a few electrum specimens for new minerals or pseudomorphs.

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