RESIDUE.				ADDITIONAL OBSERVATIONS.
Per cont.	Silicoous Organisms.	Minerals.	Fine Washings.	
96-11	(50.00 %), Radiolaria, Astror- hizidæ, Lituolidæ, Spongo spicules, Diatoms.	(5.00 %), m. di. 0.08 mm., angular; folspar, augito, magnetite,magnotic spherules, manganese grains, many small prismatic crystals of phillip- site, pumice.	(41.11%), very many small crystals of phillipsite, frag- ments of pumice and siliceous organisms, relatively little amorphous matter.	The trawl and attached tow-nets contained a few animals, much ooze, a quantity of manganese nodules, some earbones of Cetaceans, sharks' teeth, and pumice frag- ments. The nucleus of one nodule is composed of amorphous clayey matter, bordered with zeolitic crys- tals. A glassy volcanic pebble, the outer rim trans- formed into palagonite, was also obtained.
100.00	(1.00 %), a fow fragments of Radiolaria and arenaceous Fornminifora.	(10.00 %), m. di. 0.20 mm., angular and rounded; almost exclusively made up of crystals of phillipsite, augite, felspar, magnetite, manganese.	(89.00 %), composed essentially of small crystals of phillipsite, small manganese grains, and amorphous matter.	Not a single fragment of pelagic Foraminifera can be observed; there are, however, a few arenaceous Fora- minifera, and a good many small teeth of fish, but only a few Radiolaria. The crystals of phillipsite are frequently grouped so as to form small yellowish or dark globules made up of a more or less considerable number of microliths. One small fragment of quartz was observed.
71.72	(1.00%), Radiolaria, Astrorhizidæ, Lituolidæ, Sponge spicules.	(5.00 %), m. di. 0.15 mm., angular; phillipsite spherules, felspar, plagioclase, augite, hornblende, magnetite, glassy volcanic fragments, manga- nese, magnetic spherules.	(65.72 %), vory many small crystals of phillipsite, frag- ments of other minerals, manganese and amorphous matter.	The trawl brought up about half a ton (508 kilogrammes) of manganese nodules,* some small pieces of pumice, some angular basaltic pebbles, many sharks' teeth (one very large); some of these are thickly and others slightly coated with manganese. The most numerous minerals are crystals or globules of phillipsite, which sometimes have a diameter of 0.20 mm. The percentage of carbonate of lime is the mean of two analyses.
90.27	(1.00 %), Radiolaria, Sponge spicules, <i>Rhizammina algæ- formis</i> , Diatoms.	(1.00 %), m. di. 0.06 mm., angular; magnetite, volcanic glass, palagonite, felspar.	(88.57 %), much amorphous matter, mineral and siliceous remains.	The deposit in the lower part of the tube was of a chocolate colour, and contained only traces of carbonate of lime (small teeth) and no Radiolaria or Diatoms. The mud in the upper part was of a light grey colour, the transition between the two being gradual. In the upper layer the organisms mentioned were observed.
79.53	(3.00 %), Radiolaria, Spongo spiculos, Hyperammina ram- osa, Lituolidæ, aronaceous Textularidæ.	(20.00 %), m. di. 0.10 mm. angular; altered volcanic glass, augito, plagioclaso, felspar, a great number of black volcanic particles somo of them magnetic.	(56.53 %), many fine mineral particles, amorphous matter, and fine remains of siliceous organisms.	The minerals are all volcanic.
16.66	(2.00 %), Sponge spicules, Litu- olidæ, arenaceous Textularidæ, a few Diatoms.	(12.00 %), m. di. 0.20 mm., rounded ; quartz, folspar, augite, hornblende, glassy volcanic fragments, magnetite, manganese grains, titanite.	(2.66 %), amorphous matter, and a few remains of minerals and siliceous organisms.	The bulk of the deposit is made up of fragments of corals. These and the other particles measure 0.5 mm. in diameter.
77.70	(2.00 %), Spongo spicules, Litu- olidæ, arenaceous Toxtularidæ, Diatoms.	(15.00 %), m. di. 0.10 mm., angular; plagioclase, felspar, augite, olivine, magnetite, volcanie rock fragments, palagonite.	(60.70 %), many mineral frag- ments, amorphous matter, and siliceous romains.	This sounding is 705 fathoms from the edge of the reef.
74-72	(2.00 %), Sponge spienles, Litn- olide, arenaceousTextularide, Diatoms.	(15.00 %), m. di. 0.10 mm., angular ; volcanic glass, oli- vine, plagioelase, felspar, mag- netite, augite, hornblende.	(57.72 %), many minuto minoral particles, amorphous matter, and fine siliceous romains.	Not much of the deposit was brought up. The upper layer was slightly red, but otherwise the bottom is similar to that taken in 420 fathoms.

• The nuclei of the nodules consist of fragments of basaltic rocks or lapilli, vitreous and generally vesicular, the vesicles coated with green delessite and chabasite, and prismatic zcolites; dolerite; augite-andesite; palagonite; clayey matter; sharks' teeth and bones of Cetaceans. Sometimes palagonite is seen transforming into clayey matter. In all cases these nuclei are very much altered. The nodules were mostly from 1 to 2 cm. in diameter.

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