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18 DECEMBER 1979

Kahaloo - Kawelo's area - (Waihole study site)

The weather was calm so decided to visit the north study area, 11:30 am entered the water, visibility poor - barely able to make out the reef from the surface. Anchored on top of reef by "smooth porites hollows." (these smooth tracks worn on shallowest part of the reef) visibility: fair 10-15 ft. Water getting progressively cloudy as it gets deeper - suspended material in water. Turtle was sighted in a small broken ledge

Appeared that the turtle saw me so I approached from the rear and grabbed the turtle. Depth of water about 12' deep.

Brought turtle to the boat, animal had many barnacles, one large one on front flipper.

Collected amphipod from skin (surface) of neck folds, saved in formalin. Put in cage on floating dock - stayed most of the time on the bottom, hard to bring to the surface.

27 DECEMBER 1979

survey of Ala Wai Boat Harbor

Arr. 10:35 am End 11:40

some debris in water - grasses, wood, much jelly fish in water  
tree branches



No turtle

Dock 6

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Sand

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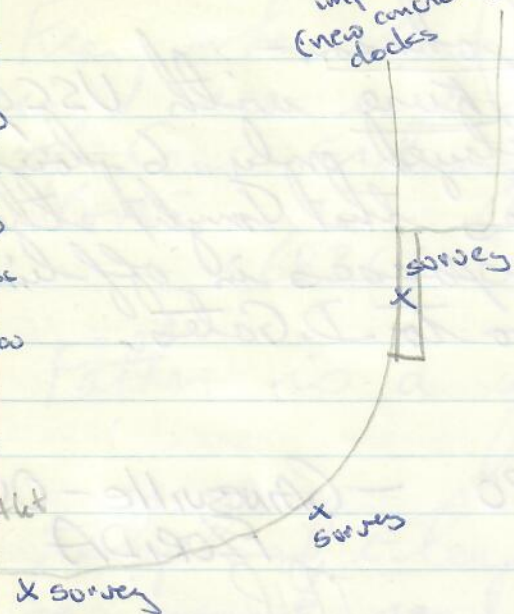


Dock "G"

Paiho  
Sundance  
Stingers  
Hula Lady

Harbor Div.  
improvement  
(new concrete)  
docks

Wind Song  
Nanea II  
Isle of Bliss  
Prodigal  
KE Ao Hoo  
Tina  
Hsuan  
triumph  
drainage outlet



2<sup>nd</sup>

Begin 1400

End 1500 Not turtle

Walk along Dock "G".

3<sup>rd</sup>

Begin 1640 - turtle  
sighted by 5<sup>th</sup> boat about  
60' away from me. 1 breath  
heading away from me toward  
open water.

The surface water is

calm, something big is creating ripples on  
surface - turtle or fish?

1705 - nothing special

1724 - Turtle breaking surface by 3<sup>rd</sup> boat

1725 - Turtle again, a little longer on surface  
but still cannot see shell.

1800 End survey.

Turtle: small, stays below surface for long time



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