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Long Beach, California,
23 November, 1938.

Waldo L. Schmitt, Curator,
Division of Marine Invertebrates,
United States National Museum,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Dr. Schmitt:

I received your letter of the 12th of November, including a set of prints for the Captain, Kelly and myself. We thank you very much for them.

I am pleased that the cruise was so enjoyable by you and of scientific value as well.

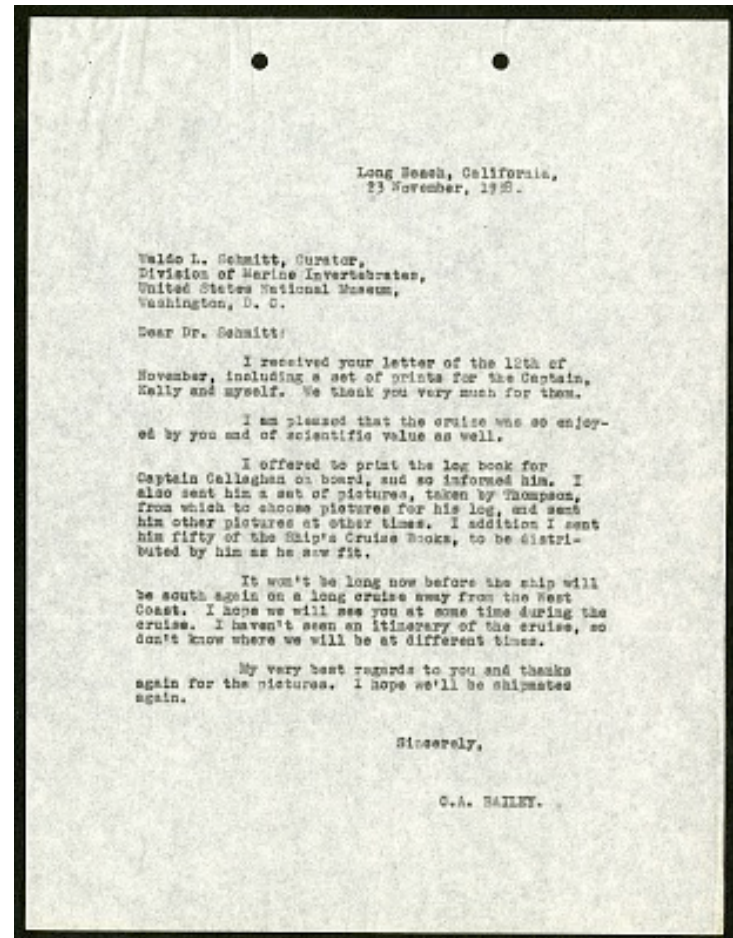
I offered to print the log book for Captain Callaghan on board, and so informed him. I also sent him a set of pictures, taken by Thompson, from which to choose pictures for his log, and sent him other pictures at other times. In addition I sent him fifty of the Ship's Cruise Books, to be distributed by him as he saw fit.

It won't be long now before the ship will be south again on a long cruise away from the West Coast. I hope we will see you at some time during the cruise. I haven't seen an itinerary of the cruise, so don't know where we will be at different times.

My very best regards to you and thanks again for the pictures. I hope we'll be shipmates again.

Sincerely,

C.A. BAILEY.



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