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(HYDROGRAPHIC)

Type of Survey Wire Drag

Field No. PBS-4450-WD

Office No. FE-97

LOCALITY

State New Jersey

General Locality .Atlantic Ocean

Locality Shipbottom, New Jersey to

.... Manasquan Inlet

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY

WIRE DRAG SURVEY FIELD SHEET NO.

(PBS-4450,WD)

Ships PARKER, BOWEN & STIRNI

Comdr. G. R. Fish Chief of Party

AUTHORITY

This survey was executed in accordance with Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949 and 26 July 1950.

DATE OF SURVEY

The wire drag surveys on this field sheet began on 5 July 1950 and ended on 26 September 1950.

SCOPE

The wire drag surveys on this sheet were made to locate and determine the least depth over wrecks and obstructions. The wrecks and obstructions not found were searched for by wire dragging an area extending out at least one mile from the reported position of the wreck or obstruction.

The surveys were made in accordance with the procedure outlined in the Wire Drag Manual and Supplemental Instructions dated 5 March 1948.

The wrecks and obstructions surveyed on this field sheet are listed in the following Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326:

Supplemental Instructions dated 12 December 1949: Items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 41, 58, 59, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and 82.

Supplemental Instructions dated 26 July 1950: Items 11 and 12.

CONTROL

Shoran distances from two shoran stations were used to locate most of the positions on this sheet. Several pairs of shoran stations were used.

Station CON was on the old Absecon Lighthouse, triangulation station ABSECON LIGHT, 1867. Station BARN was on the abandoned lighthouse at Barnegat Inlet, triangulation station BARNEGAT LIGHT, 1872. At both lighthouses the shoran antenna was mounted on the railing of the walkway around the top of the structure, elevation about 155 feet above sea level.

Station MAN was located at the Manasquan Inlet Coast Guard station. The shoran antenna was mounted on top of a 100 foot portable mast, elevation about 110 feet above sea level. The position of the mast was determined by a three-point triangulation fix with a check on a fourth object. The computed position of station MAN is latitude 40° 06' + 323.6m (-1527.lm), longitude 74° 02' + 409.8m (-1011.4m).

Station NOR was located on the north tower of the old Navesink Lighthouse, triangulation station NAVESINK LIGHT, NORTH, 1869, 1940. The antenna was mounted on a wooden bracket extending out to the east from the walkway railing at the top of the lighthouse, elevation about 240 feet above sea level.

Station CON was used for three items at the south edge of the sheet. Station NOR was used to make one drag strip on Item 28.

Item 37, at the southwest corner of the sheet, was wire dragged after station CON had been moved. This item was done on visual fixes using natural objects ashore, the positions of the objects being transferred from Chart 1216. The signals used were: SURF - Standpipe at Surf City; HIGH - Standpipe at Highpoint; and BARN - same asshoran station.

The wreck which lies about 2 miles south of the Manasquan Inlet entrance buoy, probably the wreck of the S.S. DELAWARE, was wire dragged using visual fixes for control. The signals used were natural objects located by triangulation and are as follows: LAV - LAVALLETTE, STANDPIPE, 1932; BAY - BAY HEAD, WATER TANK, 1932; and MAN - same as shoran station.

SURVEY METHODS

Standard dual control methods were used. The positions of the end buoys were plotted from the ship position by using gyro azimuth bearings and the length of the towline in meters. The length of the towline, in meters, used for plotting purposes was the length of ground wire, in feet, between the towing bridle and the end buoy, plus 100 feet, and the sum multiplied by 0.3. Thus when 500 feet of ground wire was used the length of towline for plotting purposes was 180 meters.

Tests for lift were made by the Tender using a graduated lead filled pipe, 3/4" x 10 feet long, attached to a graduated airplane cord and suspended from a small float on which a buoy reel was mounted. The pipe was coated with a mixture of white lead and oil to accurately determine the point of contact with the ground wire. Tests for lift were taken as soon as the drag was towing smoothly and were repeated as thought necessary to take care of changing conditions.

Changing the depth of the upright setting while the drag is in the water is too cumbersome with a Tender the size of the STIRNI and it was found more expedient to take in the drag, reset the uprights aboard ship and put the drag out again. This was no handicap when clearing wrecks but in searching for wrecks or obstructions it meant that in areas of uneven bottom the uprights sometimes had to be set at depths which allowed the drag to ground in the shoaler areas. No difficulty was experienced in towing the grounded drag except where the shoal spot was in the middle of the drag and the water depth was considerably less than the upright setting.

FIELD OPERATIONS

Special Reports were written for each wreck during the progress of the field work. These reports and the obstruction data sheet give all pertinent information about the individual wrecks or obstructions. Copies of the special reports are attached to this report.

On Item 31 a sonar search was made for the wreck, in the vicinity of the reported position, with negative results. A fisherman had fish pots in the vicinity of the reported position of the wreck and he thought he had located the wreck. The fisherman removed the pots so the area could be wire dragged. This accounts for the drag strip 1P to 11P not being towed until the wreck was hung.

Item 58 was not found on this survey. The information in the instructions indicated that this was the remains of an old wreck. The deepest drag strip was cleared with an effective depth of 67.5 feet. A line of soundings run over the plotted position of the wreck gave a least depth of 69.5 feet with an irregular bottom. A wire drag set at this depth would most probably hang on any small piece of wreckage projecting above the bottom.

In 1939 Item 58 was called an obstruction but on this survey a fathometer sounding was obtained on a small wreck.

Item 28 was first wire dragged when the wreck was surrounded by buoys marking fish pots. Many of the buoys were temporarily removed but there was not adequate room to pull the maximum clearance drag strip more than 100 or 200 feet past the wreck. Later on the fish buoys were moved and it was possible to clear the wreck with the drag pulled a longer distance past the wreck. This later drag strip did not decrease the least depth over the wreck.

Floating aids to navigation were located during the progress of the field work.

RECORDS

Drag settings were based on predicted tides for Sandy Hook, New Jersey, corrected for time and height on information obtained from the tide tables. Actual tides were furnished by the Washington Office for the vicinity of each wreck and were used to process the records. In this report all references to effective depths, unless otherwise specified, are those indicated in the record books.

Bar checks were taken to obtain fathometer corrections for the several vessels. The corrections obtained have been applied to the soundings recorded in the records.

Tide reducers and lifts have been entered to the nearest 0.5 feet and checked. Drag strip diagrams showing effective depth in integral feet have been drawn and checked in the record books.

TIDES

Tide gages were not maintained by this party. Hourly heights were furnished by the Washington Office from the tide gages at Atlantic City and Sandy Hook, New Jersey, and were used to process the records.

OBSTRUCTIONS, CLEARANCES, DISCREPANCIES, ETC.

Special Reports were written for each wreck during the progress of the field work and copies of these reports are attached to and become a part of this report.

An obstruction data sheet showing the minimum hang and maximum clearance and based on the final corrections is included in this report and the values therin take precedence over the values listed in the special reports.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that work on all wrecks covered by this sheet be classified as being completed.

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Commander, USC&GS

Comdg. Ships PARKER, BOWEN & STR NI

OBSTRUCTION DATA SHEET SURVEY NO. 4450 WD

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	LOCATION	GENERAL DEPTH (FT)	FATH. SDG. ON WRECK(FT)	MIN. HANG (FT)	POS. NO.	MAXIMUM CLEARANCE (FT)	POSITION NUMBER	CHARACTER OF OBST.	REMARKS
	Lat. 39 39 23 1 (700) Long. 73 56 49 1 (14	n)79.0 • 36m)	69.5 28-A	63.0	41-A	60.5	8 B-14B	Wreck "Great Issac", Item - #41	
	Lat. 39 40'48 Long.73 55'00"		-			73.0	1C-4OC	Wreck #844, Item #82	"CHAPARRO", No evidence of obstruc- tion found
ed de	Long. 73 5511011 (144	85.0 ·	MICHAEL MICHAE	82.5	48.4B	80.5	12D-19D ·	Wreck #226, Item #39	"SAN SABA" · nocorr chart 1108
4	Lat. 39 44 03 11 (1000) Long. 74 02 20 11 (4	48.0 - 172m)	-	45.0-	24.2V ·	43.0 /	28V=33V	ITEM # 35 ·	
	Lat. 39 43'30" Long. 74 00'42"		60			51.0	26E-55E -	Item #36 • ("Charted No ob- struction OBST. REP. PD" found.
Ž	Lat. 39 42'18" Long. 74'00'16"(3	68.0 (76m)	-61:0 25-E	61.0	25-E -	59.0	1н-6н /	7/0010	Obstruction found 1 See Coff attached letter 7-31-50
q	Lat. 39 47 15" Long. 73 55 36" (1	79.0	73.3 19-F 68.5° 20-F	58.0	4-J 54	55.0 55.0	21J-27J ~	REPORTED OBSTRUCTION Item #77	Two Wrecks were found while hunting for a Reported Obstruction, Item 77
4	Lat. 39 48'18" Long. 73 55'43"	78.8	70.3 10K-F	60.0	39.4J	57.0	41J - 47J -	Item #77 -	See attached letter C of P 8-7-50

OBSTRUCTION DATA SHEET CONTINUED SURVEY NO. 4450 WD

	LOCATION GENERAL DEPTH (FT)	FATH. SDG. ON WRECK (FT)	MIN. HANG (FT)	POS. NO.	MAXIMUM CLEARANCE (FT)	POSITION NUMBER	CHARACTER OF OBST.	REMARKS
	Lat. 39 44'50" (1840 75.7) Long. 73 57'50" (1328 m)	68.8°	64.5	10.6H		19H-28H -	Wreck #822, Item #76 -	BARGE -
4	Lat. 39 43'49"(482479.0 Long. 73 56'39"(948m)	74.5 20-G	71.50	17.6G	67.5	29H-35H *	Wreck #826, Item #78	Dispersed Wreckage /
4	Lat. 39 56'54"(1480)73.5 Long. 73 55'11" (2760)	63.5 15-L	67.0	12.8L ′	63.5	1L-8L -	Wreck #592, Item #58	
	Lat. 39 57'00" 75.0 - Long. 73 53'00"	-			74.0 - 76.0	6K-55K -	Wreck #213, ' Item #29	"ANASTASIA", No indication of obst-
	Lat. 39 56'00" 71.0	-	_		67.0-	9M-16M -	Wreck #593, Item #59	No indication of Wreck found
		53.X 48-N		46.2N -		24R=31R /	Wreck #220, Item #37	"CADDO"
4	Lat. 39 49'41" (1266m) Long. 73 50'92" (28m)	63.0 - 13-Q -		16.8Q-		1Q-7Q ·	Wreck #217,- Item #31	Tanker "GULF TRADER" (Stern)
4	Lat. 39 53 50 (15700) 88.0 - Long. 73 48 0 (1520)	61.3 25K-Q 73.5 27-Q	53.50	24.40	51.50	36Q-45Q-	Wreck #215, Item #30	Freighter "TOLTEN"

OBSTRUCTION DATA SHEET CONTINUED SURVEY NO. 4450 WD

	LOCATION (472 m)	GENERAL DEPTH (FT)	FATH. SDG. ON WRECK(FT)	MIN. HANG (FT)	POS. NO.	MAXIMUM CLEARANCE (FT)	POSITION NUMBER	CHARACTER OF OBST.	REMARKS
4	Lat. 39 46'15"' Long. 73 02'01"-(2	49.0 °	42.0 × 8-R	40.5	13.4R -	39.0 -	16R-23R -	Wreck #219, Item #33	Tanker "PERSEPHONE"
	Lat. 39 53 116 4944 Long. 73 58 42 (10)	165.0 - 04m)	51.0 · 1-6 -	49.5	28,25		30s=36s :	Wreck #808, / Item #75	Freighter "MAURICE TRACY"
	Lat. 39 51'00" / Long. 74 01'45"	53.0 °		********	/	50.5	1T-52T -	Wreck #801 Item #74	Entire area clear of obstructions
4.	Lat. 40 04'34"1012 Long. 73 58'32"(74	69.5	61.5 53¥T 57.0 16-W	55.5	14W ~	54.5	17W-22W -	Wreck #209, Item #27	Barge "VALPARAISO"
4	Lat. 40 04'17" (528) Long. 73 58'38" (9)		e and		54.8T~		9W-15W-	Obstruction found while dragging for Item #27	
4	Lat. 40 01:24"(7714) Long. 73 54'19" (4	[28 <i>m</i>]	58. 5 24-U 52.0 30-U	53.3	28.6U -	51.0-	- UP E-ULE	Wreck #211 - Item #28 -	"MOHAWK"
4	Lat. 39 43'44"3 Long. 74 01'22"(50	62.5 45m)	47.X 11-Z	45.5	23.22	44.0 -	24Z-31Z	Wreck #220 Item #34	"GULF TRADER" Bow portion of Tanker Jee Letters Coff

see Letters Cof P.

OBSTRUCTION DATA SHEET CONTINUED SURVEY NO. 44.50 WD

(LOCATION	GENERAL DEPTH (FT)	FATH. SDG. ON WRECK(FT)	MIN. HANG (FT)	POS. NO.	MAXIMUM CLEARANCE (FT)	POSITION CHARACTER REMARKS NUMBER OF OBST.	
	Lat. 40 03 139"(215 Long. 74 00 13211(72	im)67.0 - 20 m)	50.5 22MAA 51.5 22K-AA	57.0 -50. \(\)	21 22AA	49.0	23AA-32AA S. S. DELAWARE	
	Lat. 40 04'15" Long. 73 59'10"	· 	_		143	60.0-65	1X-39X Stems #sll & 12 Barges Sup. Inst. dated 7-26-50" JOHN A. WINSTEAD"	
	Lat. 40 04'20" - Long. 73 59'00"				_	60.0-61 65.0 62.5	1X-23X "MILVILLE" 24X-39X Clearing strip ends against Items#27 See Coff letter attached dated 9-1-50	

STATISTICS	FOR SE	HEET NO.	(PBS-WD-4450)
SHIPS PARKER,	BOWEN,		(Project CS-326)

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DATE	DAY	STAT. MI.	NUMBER	NUMBER	EV MATOR COMME
1950	LETTER	DRAGGED	POSITIONS		FATHOMETER
		Dianodino	TOOTITONS	H. L.	SOUNDINGS
5 July	A	4.5	42		2
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31 August	X		22		1
1 September	Ŷ	5.7	42	1	1
•	Z	1.2	13	****	
24 September		3.4	31	-	3
25 September	AA	4.0	40		4
26 September	BB	0.6	5		
	TOTALS	117.1	9989	4	43
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Total Square Statue Miles of Area Dragged: 74.6 Square Statue Miles

FATHOGRAM LIST SURVEY NO. 4450 WD

ITEM NUMBER	NUMBER OF FATHOGRAMS
41	1
39	1
36	2
7 7	4
76	2
78	1
58 .	1
37	1
31	1
30	4
33	2
75	1
27	3
28	. 4
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Washington, D. C.

Subject: Special Report on Wreck, GREAT ISAAC, sunk in 1968.

This wreak is Item 41 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

The wreck of the GREAT ISAAC was located in latitude 39° 39' 23".

longitude 73° 56' 49" A fathometer sounding of 69 feet was obtained on the wreck and the general depth is 79 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 65.0 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 65.0 feet cleared the wreck.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

It is recommended that a clear depth of Al feet be charted for these this wrock.

G. R. Fish Commander, USCAGS Comdg. Ships PARKER, BOYEN, STIRHI

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Subjects Special Report on Wreck No. 844, CHAPARRO.

This wrock is Item 62 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-526, dated 12 December 1949.

The instructions state that the CHAPARRO (1,505 tons) was sunk in 1918, in latitude 59° 40° 48°, longitude 78° 85° 00°, in depth of about 85 feet.

An area extending out over one mile in all directions from the reported position of the wreak was cleared by wire drag at effective depths varying from 73 to 26 feet, except where the drag was aground, and no evidence of any obstruction was found.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

It is recommended that no further search be made for this wrock and that the wreek symbol be removed from the chart.

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 226, SAN SABA.

This wreck is Item 39 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

The instructions stated that the SAN SABA was sunk in October 1948 (?) in latitude 39°40'00", longitude 73°55'00" in depth of 84 feet. The year of sinking probably should be 1918 instead of 1948 as the wreck is not considered a menace to navigation.

An area extending out approximately one mile in all directions from the reported position was covered by wire drag at effective depths varying from 73.5 to 62.5 feet and the drag hung at an effective depth of 82.5 feet in latitude 39°38'5%, longitude 73°55'20". The general depth is 85.5 feet but a sounding could not be obtained on the obstruction, on which the ground wire was well hung.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 80.5 feet Gleared the obstruction.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

It is recommended that no further search be made for this wreck and that the obstruction previously listed be charted with a clear depth of 80 feet.

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Special Report on Obstruction, Item 35.

This reported obstruction is Item 35 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that in September 1947 the S S IUCOSIAVIA punched hole in hull by submerged object in latitude 39° 44° 66°, longitude 74° 01° 30°.

See attached letter CofP 9-24-50

An area extending out one mile in all directions from the reported position of the obstruction was covered by wire drag set at effective depths varying from 43.% to 48.% feet. The entire area is clear of any obstruction except wreck No. 220. (Item 34, and a low obstruction in latitude 39° 44° 03°, longitude 74° 02° 20°.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 44.5 feet hung this obstruction. A fathometer sounding could not be obtained on the obstruction. The general depth is 47.5 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 43.5 feet cleared the obstruction.

It is recommended that a clear depth of 43 feet be charted for this obstruction.

As stated in the instructions it is very likely that the MUCOSLAVIA struck wrock No. 220. It is recommended that the reported obstruction be deleted from the charts.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

- See C of P Letter 8-6-50 attached

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 215 ANASTASIA.

This wrock is <u>From 29 of</u> Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-526, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that the ANASTASIA (1,315 tons) was sunk before World War II in latitude 39° 57' 00", longitude 78° 58' 00"; in depth of 72 Test.

An area extending out over one mile in all directions from the reported position of the wreak was covered by wire drag set at effective depths of 74 Feet and the entire area was cleared except where the ground wire was towed along the bottom, but there was no indication of any obstructions

It is recommended that no further search be made for this wreak and that the wreak symbol on chart No. 1108 be deleted from the chart.

Depths are based on the predicted tides for the vicinity.

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 595.

This wrock is Item 59 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

This wreck was wire dragged in 1939 and an ebstruction was located in latitude 39° 56' 00", longitude 73° 55' 54", and cleared with an effective depth of 58 feet.

An area extending out 1000 feet in all directions from the 1939 position was wire dragged at an effective depth of 67.5 feet and no evidence of an obstruction was found. A line of fathometer soundings run over the position of the wreck showed general depths of 70 to 72 feet, reduced for tide and fathometer corrections, with a least depth of 69.5 feet in the immediate vicinity of the 1939 wreck position.

It is recommended that he wreck symbol be deleted from the charts and that no further search be made for this wreck.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 220, CADDO.

This wreck is Item 37 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS=326, dated 12 December 1949.

The wreck of the CADDO was located in latitude 39° 38' 41", longitude 74° 05' 34". A fathemeter sounding of 54.0 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 84 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 52.8 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 49.8 feet cleared the wreck.

Recommended charting depth for this wreck is 49 feet.

While searching for this wreck the ground wire hung on the bottom in 49 feet of water in latitude 39° 39' 48", longitude 74° 04' 42". This hang was cleared with a wire drag set at an effective depth of 46.0 feet. Charting of this hang is not recommended.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

G. R. Fish Commander, USCAGS Comdg. Ships PARKER, BOWEN, STIRNI

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Subject: Special Report on Wreak No. 217

Tanker GULF TRADER (Stern portion)

see also offected C of P letter 7-31-50

This wrock is Item 81 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

The wreck of the stern portion of the Tanker GULF TRADER was located in latitude 89° 49' 41°, longitude 75° 50' 02° A fathometer sounding of 69.5 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 84 foot.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 50.0 feet hung the wreak.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 48.0 feet cleared the wrock.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

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Recommended charting septh for this wreck is 46 feet.

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Subjects Special Report on Wreck No. 215, TOLTEN.

This wrock is Item 50 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-526, dated 12 December 1949.

The wrock of the Freighter TOLTEN was located in latitude 39° 53' 50", longitude 73° 48' OKY The tender obtained a fathometer sounding of 545 feet on the wreck in a general depth of 57 feet.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 54.0 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag sot to an effective depth of 51. Feet cleared the wrock.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

Recommended charting depth for this wreck is 51 feet.

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Subject: Special Report on Brook 219, Tanker PERSEPHONE.

This wrock is Item 55 of Supplemental Instructions for Project 32-326, dated 12 December 1949,

The wrock of the PERSEPHONE was located in latitude 30° 46' 15", longitude 74° 02' 01". A fathometer sounding of 42 feet was obtained on the wrock in a general depth of 49 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 60.5 feet hung the veredi.

A wire drag set at an effective dopth of 39.0 feet cleared the varcole.

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becamended charting depth for this wrock is 30 feet.

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Washington 25, D. C.

Subject: Special Report on Freck No. 808, MAURICE TRACY.

ITEM# 75

The wreak of the freighter, MAURICE TRACY, 1809 tens, was located in latitude 39° 58° 16", longitude 78° 58° 42", A fathometer sounding of 51.0 feet was obtained on the wreak in a general depth of 65 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 50.0 feet hung and cleared the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 47.5 feet cleared the wrock.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

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200: Supervisor, Eastern District

General Delivery, Atlantic City, New Jersey

31 July 1950

To:

The Director

U. S. Coast & Geodetic Survey

Washington 25, D. C.

Subject:

Special Report on Reported Obstruction

(Item 36)

This reported obstruction is Item 30 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that a vessel drawing 25 feet reported striking a submerged object at Latitude 39° 43' 12", Longitude 74° 00' 00", in 1944.

An area extending out over one mile in all directions from the reported position of the obstruction was covered by wire drag at effective depths varying from 45.5 to 64.0 feet, depending on the depth of the water. The entire area was clear except for a small wreck found in Latitude 39° 42' 18", Longitude 74° 00' 16". A fathometer sounding of 6D.0 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 68.0 feet.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 59.0 feet cleared the wreck.

It is recommended that the symbol for the reported obstruction be deleted from the charts and that a clear depth of 59.0 feet be charted for the wreck which was found.

Besides the reported obstruction listed in the instructions there is an additional "Obstruction Reported P D" charted in Latitude 390 43.51, offeehed Longitude 74° 00.71. An area extending out one mile in all directions from the charted position of this reported obstruction was covered by wire drag at the same depths as listed for the previous reported obstruction. The entire area is clear except for the wreck of the Tanker GULF TRADER, which is covered in another report.

It is recommended that this reported obstruction be deleted from the charts.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

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Washington 25, D. C.

Subject: Special Report on Reported Obstruction, Item 77.

This reported obstruction is Item 77 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

The Reported Obstruction charted in latitude 39° 47', longitude 73° 56' was not found after a wire drag search of the area within about one mile of the reported position and the symbol should be deleted from the charts.

Two wrocks were found while searching for this reported obstruction.

One wreck was located in latitude 39° 47' 15", longitude 73° 55' 35". This is the position of the minumen hang but there was no indication of a wreck on the fathometer at this position.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 58.0 feet hung the wreck in a general depth of 78 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 55.5 feet cleared the wreck.

It isrecommended that a clear depth of 55 feet be charted for this wreck.

The first hang on this wreck was made in two places, about 300 feet south and about 700 feet north of the position of the minimum hang. At the southerly hang, in latitude 39° 47' 12" longitude 73° 55' 55" a fathometer sounding of 73.5 feet was obtained in general depth of 79° feet. At the northerly hang, in latitude 34° 47' 25" longitude 73° 55' 57", a fathometer sounding of 66 feet was obtained in a general depth of 80 feet. There was a faint trace on the fathometer, which could have been caused by the propeller action, indicating a possible least depth of 59 feet at this position.

The U. S. Army Engineers at Atlantic lity list this as being the wreck of the Barge CHARLES J. HOOPER.

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The second wreck was located in latitude 59° 48' 16", longitude 73° 55' 45". A fathometer sounding of 69.5 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 78 feet. A small piece of old wood was pulled up on the ground wire.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 59.5 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 57.0 feet cleared the wreck.

It is recommended that a clear depth of 57 feet be charted for this wreck.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

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Washington 25, D. C.

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Special Report on Wreck No. 822

This week is Item 76 of Supplemental Instructions for Project C8-326, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that a barge was sunk in September 1944 in Latitude 39 45' 30", Longitude 73 58' 28", in depth of 69 feet.

An area extending out about one mile from the reported position of the wreck was covered by wire drag and a wreck was found in Latitude 39° 44' 50", Longitude 73° 57' 59" A fathometer sounding of 74.5 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 79 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 64. To feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 61.5 feet cleared the wreck.

During sweeping operations the wire drag hung on the botton in Latitude 39° 44' 55", Longitude 73° 57' 14", in a general depth of 75 feet. There is no evidence of any observation at this location and the hang was aleared at an effective depth of 61% feet. Charting of this hang is not recommended.

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Special Report on Wreck No. 826

This wreck is Item 78 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that this is dispersed wreckage standing 3 feet high in 83 feet.

The wreckage was located in Latitude 39° 43' 49°, Longitude 73° 56' 90°, A fathometer sounding of 74.3 feet was obtained on the wreckage in a general depth of 79 feet.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 71.3 feet hung the wreckage. The tender was not available on this day due to a bent propeller and an estimated lift of 3.0 feet was used to determine the effective depth.

A wire drag set to an effective depth of 68. The cleared the wreckage. The lift was measured by the tender.

Depths are based on predicted tider for the vicinity.

It is recommended that a clear depth of 68 feet be charted for this wreckage.

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To:

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 692.

This wrock is Item 58 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-526, dated 18 Docember 1949.

This wreck was wire dragged 1989 and cleared with an effective depth of 60 feet.

This wreck was relocated in latitude 59° 56° 56", longitude 73° 55' 11". A fathometer sounding of 65 feet was obtained on the wreck in a general depth of 78 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of \$5.0 feet hung the wreak.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of £5.0 feet elected the wreak.

It is recommended that the charted elear depth for this wreck to changed to 55 feet.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicinity.

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Subject: Special Report on Wreck No. 801.

This wreak is Item 74 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS=326, dated 12 December 1949. The instructions state that in April 1948 a vessel reported striking a submerged obstruction in latitude 39° 51° 00°, longitude 74° 01° 46°, and that a spar was seen projecting four feet out of the water from a depth of about 55 feet.

The area extending out about one and one-fourth miles in all directions from the reported position of the obstruction was covered by wire drag set at effective depths of the and the entire area was clear of any obstruction. Local fishermen were contacted and they have no knowledge of any wreak in this vicinity.

It is recommended that no further search be made for this reported obstruction and that the <u>wreck symbol</u> charted in the reported position of the obstruction be deleted from the charts.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the vicitity.

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1 September 1950

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Special Report on Wreck No. 209, barge VALPARAISO.

This wreck is Item 27 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

The wreck of the wooden barge VALPARAISO was located by sonar in latitude 40° 04° 34°, longitude 73° 58° 32°. A fathometer sounding of 57 feet was obtained on the wreck in 69 to 71 feet of water.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 55.0 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 54.0 feet cleared the wreck.

Recommended charting depth is 54.0 feet.

While wire dragging this wreck an obstruction was found in latitude 40° 04' 17", longitude 73° 58' 38". The obstruction did not show on the fathometer. The general depth is 72 feet.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 57.5 feet hung on the obstruction.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 55. Feet cleared the obstruction.

Recommended depth for charting is 55 feet.

In 1927 the barges JOHN H. WINSTEAD and MILLVILLE were sunk about 0.3 to 0.4 miles west of the position of this obstruction. Since no other trace of the wrecks of the barges was found it is quite probable that this obstruction is the remains of the wrecks.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

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Subject: Special Report on Wreak No. 211, MCHATE.

This wreak is Item 38 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1969.

The wreak of the MHANK, 5,896 tens, was located in latitude 40°01 '24", longitude 75°54'15". A fathemeter sounding of 52,5 feet was obtained on the wreak in a general depth of 75 feet. The sounding on the wreak may not be this shoal for the top of the fathemeter trace is disconnected with the main part of the trace and it may be due to a school of fish.

A wire drag set at an affective depth of 86.0 feet hung the wrock.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 61.5 feet cleared the wreak.

Decorporded charting depth is 51 feet.

Capthe are based on the predicted tides for the vicinity.

The position of this wreak was obtained from two fishermen who have the area in the vicinity of the wreak well covered with fish pots marked by cork and flag bucys. The fishermen removed many of the bucys, all that was feasible without losing the positions of the pots. Many of the remaining bucys were removed by the drag party and the anchor ropes made recoverable by bucying a longth of ground wire, secured to the anchor rope, outside the drag area. Even with these preparations the drag area was limited in also and it was not possible to pull the drag more than about two hundred feet beyond the wreak.

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Subject: Wreck No. 220, Tanker GULF TRADER (box portion).

This wreck is Item 86 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-626.

This wreck is now being demolished by the U. S. Army Engineers, completion date is probably sometime in September.

If the wreck is described by the time the wire drag party leaves the working grounds it will be wire dragged using visual control if the shoran stations have been moved prior to that time.

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Special Report on Wreck Mo. 220, Tenker GUIFTRADER Subject: (bow portion).

This wreak is Item 34 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 12 December 1949.

This wreak was demolished, under contract, by the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, during August and the first part of September 1960, and prior to wire dragging.

The remains of the wreak are located in latitude 59° 45 44". longitude 74° 01' 22"25. A fathonster sounding of 47.5 feet was obtained on the wreck in 52 to 62 feet of water.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 45.0 feet hung the wreck.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 44.0 feet cleared the ALGOR

Dopths are based an predicted tides for the area.

Recommended charting depth for this wreck is 44 feet.

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Special Report on Wreck, probably S S DELAWARE.

The location of a wreck, probably the 8 5 DELAMMES, was given to this party by "party boat" fishermen operating out of Manasquan Inlet, New Jersey. 3 oThe wreck is located in latitude 40° 03' 39", longitude 74° 00' 31". A fathometer sounding of 51.0 feet was obtained on the wreck in 64 to 68 feet of water.

A wire drag set at an effective depth of 49.0 feet cleared the wreck.

Hung at an effective depth of 57 ft.

Depths are based on predicted tides for the area.

Recommended charting depth for this wreck is 49 feet.

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1 September 1950

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Washington, 25, D. C.

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Special Report on Wrecks, barges JOHN H. WINSTHAD

and MILLVILLE.

These wrecks are Items 11 and 12 of Supplemental Instructions for Project CS-326, dated 26 July 1950. The instructions state that in 1927 the barge JOHN H. WINSTEAD was sunk in latitude 40° 04' 15", longitude 73° 59' 10", and the barge MILLVILLE was sunk in latitude 40° 04' 20", longitude 73° 59' 00".

An area extending out one mile in all directions from the reported positions of the wrecks was covered by wire drag at effective depths varying from 54.0 to 64.5 feet. The entire area was clear of any obstruction except wreck No. 209, Item 27, and an obstruction found while wire dragging wreck No. 209. It is believed that the obstruction wire dragged on Item 27 may be the remains of theoretics of the two barges, see the Special Report for Item 27 of Supplemental Instructions dated 12 December 1949.

It is recommended that no further search be made for the wrecks of the two barges.

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TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

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21 June 1951

Division of Charts: R. H. Carstens

and Wire drag records for

HYDROGRADULEXSUEET

FE NO. 6 1951

Locality New Jersey Coast, Atlantic Ocean

Chief of Party: G. R. Fish in 1950
Plane of reference is mean low water, reading
4.3 ft. on tide staff at Atlantic City
15.6 ft. below B. M. 32 (1922)

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Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

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REVIEW OF FIELD EXAMINATION 6, 1951

Project CS-326

The field examination was made to locate and determine the least depths over wrecks or obstructions which are designated as follows:

Items 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 39, 41, 58, 59, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78 and 82 of Supplemental Instructions dated 12 December 1949.

Items 11 and 12 of Supplemental Instructions dated 26 July 1950.

The results of the wire-drag examinations are tabulated on the obstruction sheet in the Descriptive Report and are plotted on the accompanying sections of boat sheet.

A comparison between prior surveys H-6188 (1937), H-6190 (1936), H-6271 (1937), H-6242 W.D. (1939) and the field examinations reveals no conflicts between the effective depths on the field examination and soundings on the prior surveys.

The work was applied to Charts Nos. 70 (print date 11-26-51), 1108 (print date 10-1-51, and 1216 (print date 5-26-52) from the field examination prior to its verification and review. The charted information pertaining to the wrecks is correct, except for several minor differences of 1-2 ft. in clearance depths and 1-3 seconds in charted positions which have subsequently been noted on the Chart Standards.

The Descriptive Report and attached correspondence adequately cover all matters pertaining to this examination. No further discussion is considered necessary.

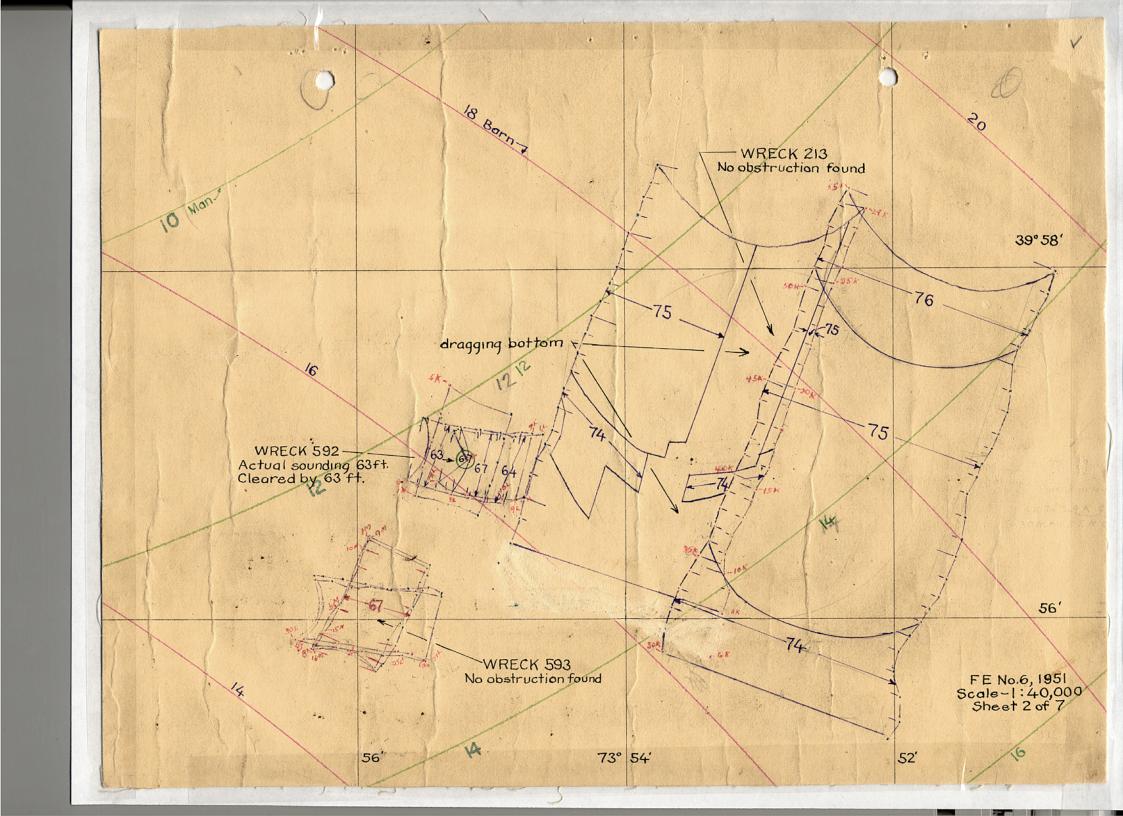
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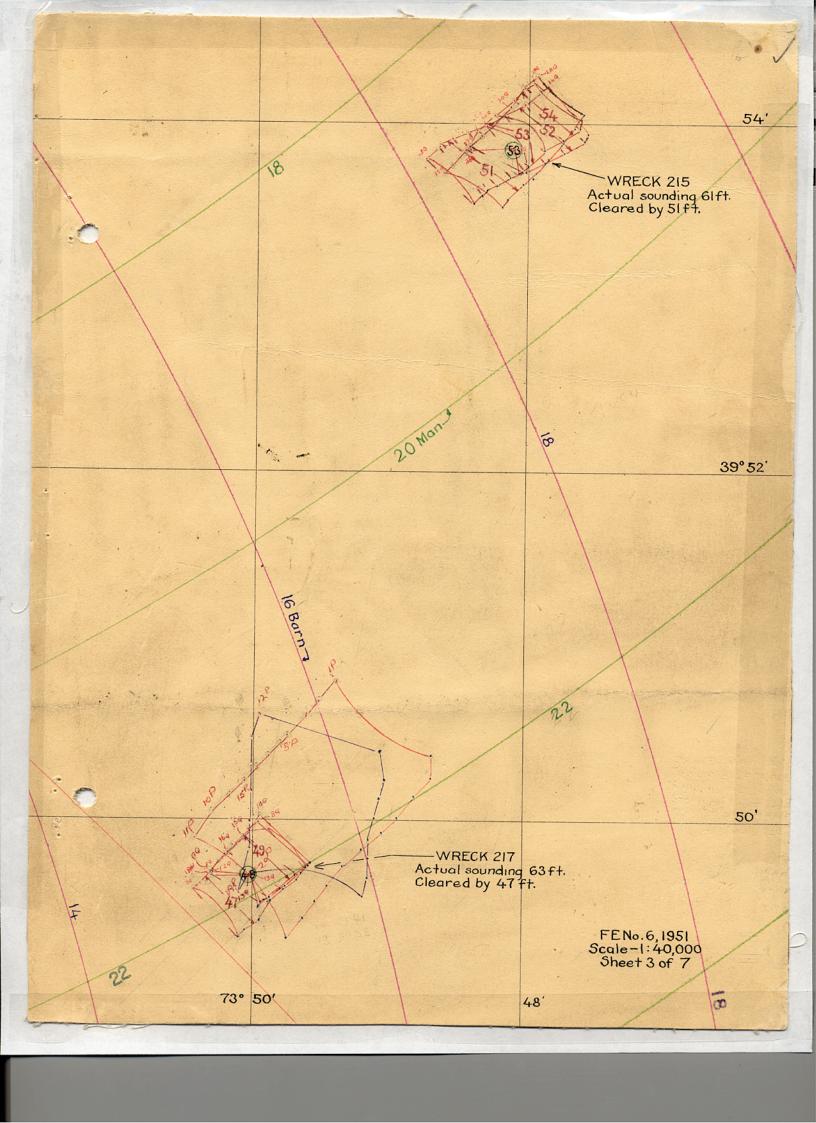
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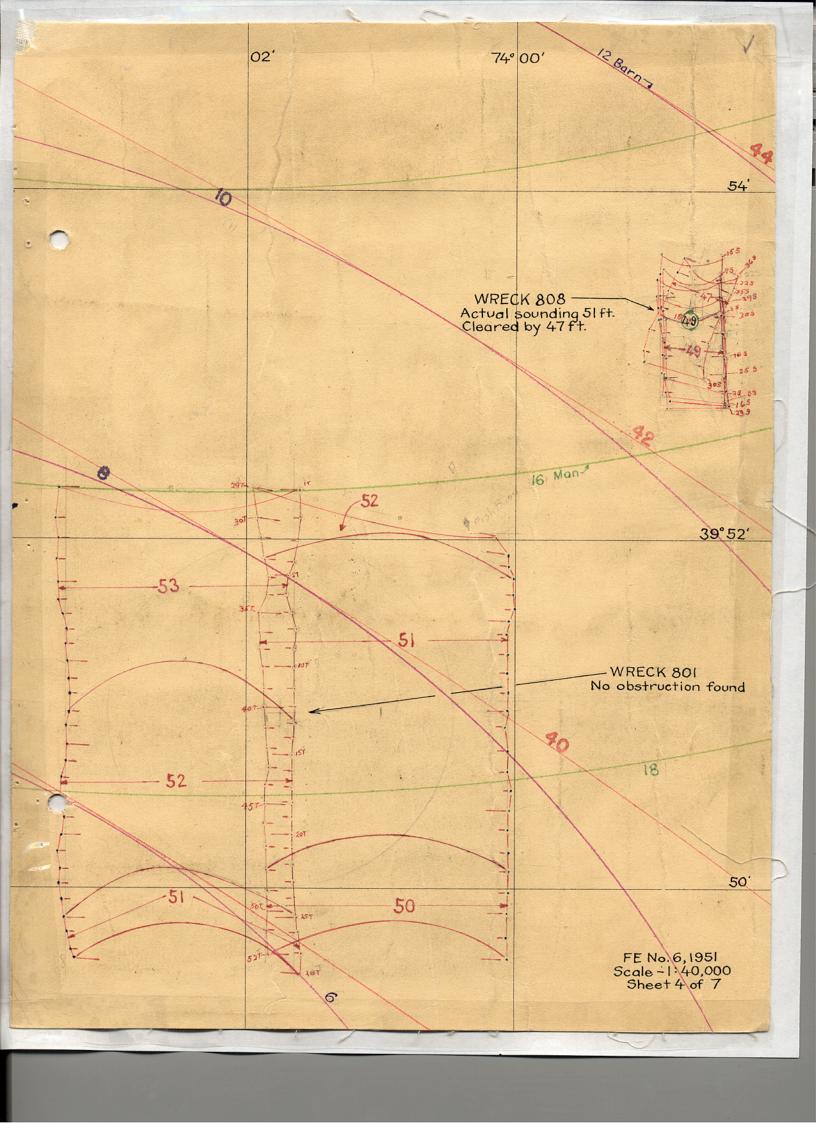
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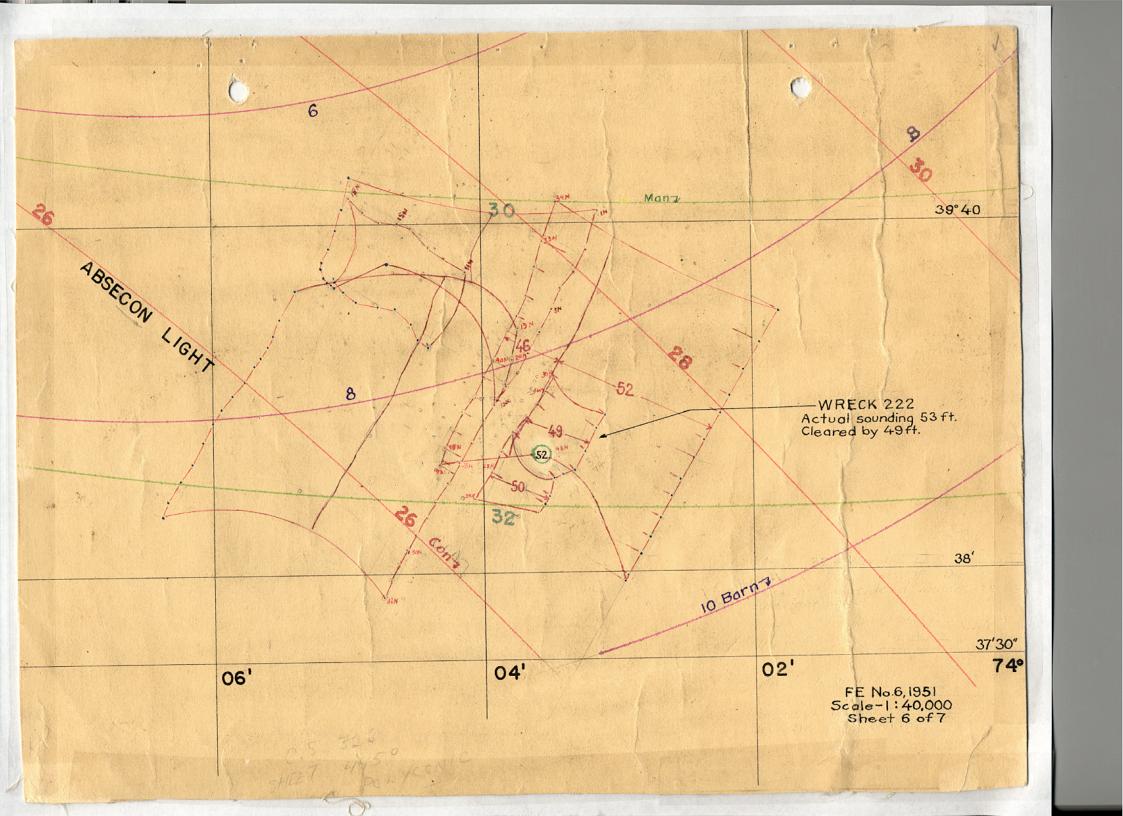


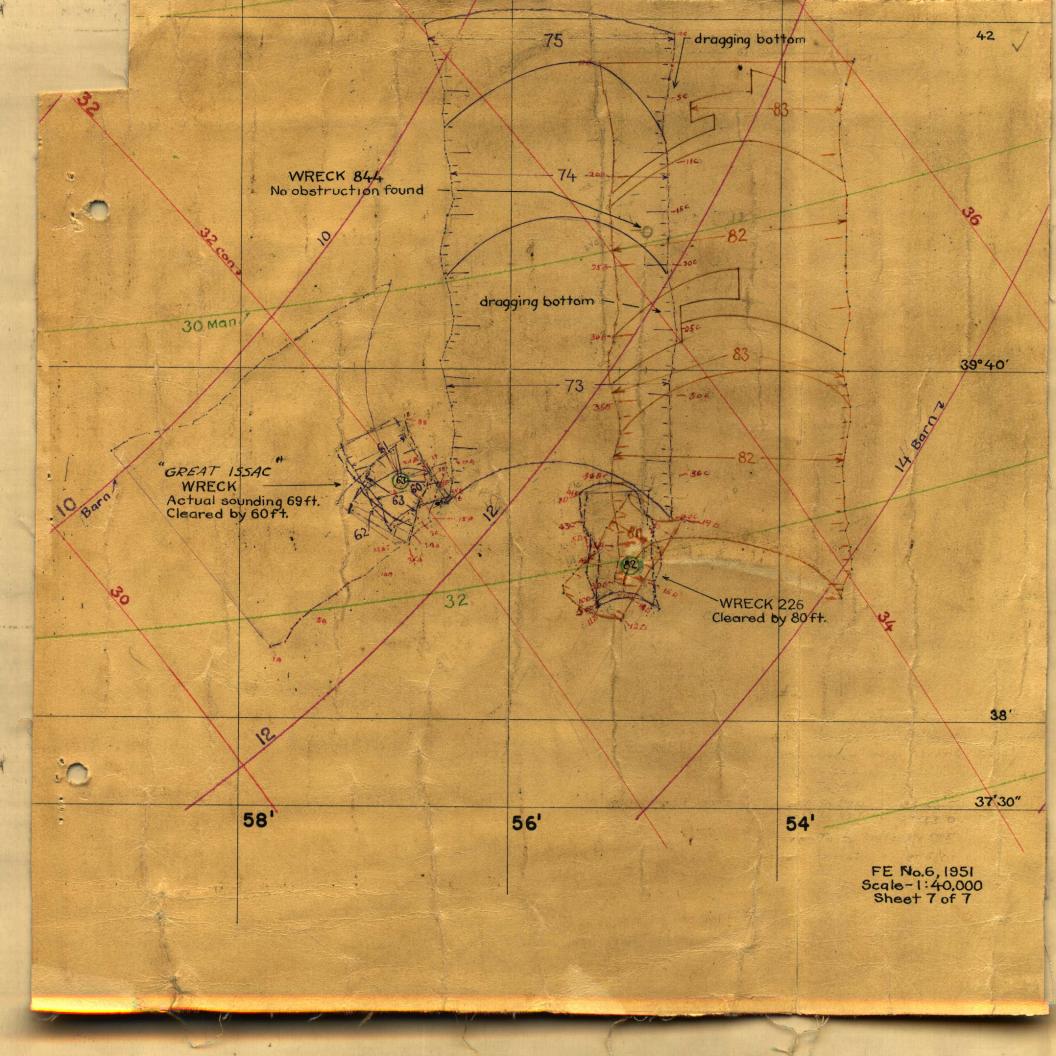












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