

1806

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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State: Alaska

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Topographic } Sheet No. 1806
Hydrographic }

LOCALITY

Frederick Sound and
Vicinity

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1887

CHIEF OF PARTY

C. M. Thomas

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March 2, 1932.

To: The Chief,
Division of Charts.

From: The Chief,
Division of Tides and Currents.

Subject: Plane of Reference. Hydrographic Sheet 1806.

In response to the note of Mr. E. P. Ellis of March 2, 1932, some of the tide reducers have been examined in the sounding volumes for H. S. 1806, Frederick Sound, S. E. Alaska, by party of Lieutenant Commander C. M. Thomas, U. S. N., in 1887. The plane of reference is found to be mean lower low water as determined at the various tide stations used in connection with this work.

Paul F. Whitney
Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

Note placed on sheet:

Soundings in feet to 5 feet, beyond in fathoms at mean lower low water.