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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT.

Hydrographic Sheet No. 2928

LOCALITY:

*Modiak Island, Head
of Kighuyak Bay*

1907

CHIEF OF PARTY:

W. C. Hodgkins

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Descriptive Report

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to accompany Hydrographic Sheet No 2928
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Kodiak Island, Head of Kizhuyak Bay,

Scale 1:20000

Surveyed in 1907 by the party on the Steamer Patterson

W. C. Hodgkins, Commanding.

Kizhuyak Bay is an extensive sheet of water, forming the inland extension of Marmot Bay and it might be difficult to define the line of division between the two.

The lower, or northern, part of the bay is deep, but the upper part included on this sheet is comparatively shallow, permitting anchorage to be made almost any where.

It was for that reason that it was decided to attempt to make a survey of the upper bay toward the close of the season of 1907, though it was clearly seen that the time remaining would not permit a survey of the entire bay.

As events turned out, it was impossible to complete even this limited program, very severe weather setting in soon after the sheet was begun and compelling the cessation of work for that season. Enough was accomplished, however, to give a general idea of the nature of the bay and to serve as a basis for such future work as may be deemed advisable.

So far as known, this bay is not now used by any vessel. There is a small salmon fishery, worked by natives, in a cove about midway on the western shore of the bay. This place was

known to the party as "Fishing Cove" and is a fair anchorage in moderate weather or with westerly winds.

On the opposite side of the bay, about East (mag) from Fishing Cove, anchorage with good shelter from northeast winds may be made in case of need.

A few rocks lie well off the western side of the bay, to the northward of Fishing Cove, but a mid channel course clears everything and the eastern shore seems bold-to.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. C. Hodgekins".

Assistant Coast and Geodetic Survey,
Commanding.

September 21, 1908.

1928 Statistics St. Peter's

Date	Letter	Vol	Soundings	Angles	Miles	Boat
1907						
Oct 9	a	1	212	136	17.0	Reynard
" 10	b	1	179	120	13.5	"
" 11	c	1	159	110	13.2	"
" 12	d	1	21	16	1.3	"
Sept 17	a	1	93	42	4.0	Whaleboat #2
Total		1	664	424	49.0	

Soundings plotted & checked by H. L. Simmons

See Criticism Sheet

Verified: Full

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Mr. Wathen reports that the criticism sheet was turned over to the Chief of D & S Div. G.P.F.

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