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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT.

Hydrographic Sheet No. 2963

LOCALITY:

*Kodiak Id., Ugashik
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to accompany Hydrographic Sheet No 2963
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Uganik Bay, Alaska.

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The area shown on this sheet includes the northern, or outer, part of Uganik Bay; extending from Moser's "East" and "West" Points to Broken Point on the west and to Noisy Islands on the east side of the bay, with a few soundings nearly as far as Cape Uganik.

Stormy weather and the close of the season prevented the completion of the work in that vicinity and additional soundings will be needed around Noisy Islands and off Cape Uganik.

Uganik Bay is wide and deep and seems to have no hidden or outlying dangers. It is of importance on account of the coal depot of the Alaska Packers Association situated on the eastern side of the southern part of the bay, beyond the limits of this sheet.

With strong westerly winds, a heavy sea sets in from Shelikof Strait and with strong southwesterers there are heavy williwaws, which become worse in the upper, or southern, part of the bay.

Temporary anchorage may be made near the shore in almost any part of the bay and with southwesterly winds a well sheltered anchorage will be found in the bight between Broken Point and West Point.

The holding ground is not especially good, but there is no sea or swell and the williwaws are comparatively moderate.

The tidal currents in Uganik Bay do not seem to have great force and no bad tide rips were noticed.

The shores are of the same general characteristics as in other parts of this coast.

A stream of considerable size enters the bight a mile and a half south of Broken Point.

Respectfully submitted,

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Assistant

Dec. 7, 1908

To the Superintendent

Coast and Geodetic Survey

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The area within the limits of the survey is fairly well covered with the exception of the area along the east shore out to the 60 ft curve

The records do not give sufficient information regarding the character of the bottom.

H. R. Simmons

Features on topographic sheets between high & low water should be transferred to Hyd. sheets & combined with hydrography -

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J. G. W.

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Soundings plotted & marked by H. R. Simmons

Verified: J. G. W.

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