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Field No. PA-16-1-61

Office No. H-8699

LOCALITY

State WASHINGTON

General Locality WHIDBEY ISLAND

Locality SOUTHERN PARTS OF SARATOGA PASSAGE

..... & PORT SUSAN

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U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

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REGISTER No. H-8699

Field No. PA-10-1-61

State WASHINGTON

General locality WHIDBEY & CAMANO ISLANDS

Locality SOUTHERN PARTS OF SARATOGA PASSAGE & PORT SUSAN

Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey May-Oct 1961 ~~Field Season~~

Instructions dated April 22, 1960, December 1, 1960

Vessels Ship PATTON and Launch GS-1191

Chief of party H.D. Reed, Jr.

Surveyed by H.D. Reed, Jr., C.B. Carter, Jr., J.L. Piter

Soundings taken by ~~fathometer~~ graphic recorder, hand lead, wire

Fathograms scaled by Personnel of Ship PATTON

Fathograms checked by Personnel of Ship PATTON

Protracted by _____

Soundings penciled by _____

Soundings in fathoms ~~best available~~ MLLW and are true depths

REMARKS: Survey about 85% complete. Report covers

1961 field work only. (See attached 1962 report.)

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

TO ACCOMPANY

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY H-8699 (Field No. PA-10-1-61)

Scale 1:10,000

1961 & 1962

Ship PATTON

H.D. Reed, Jr., Comdg.

Ship BOWIE

F.X. Pepper, Comdg.

✓A. PROJECT:

This survey is a part of Project OPR-412. Original instructions were issued under date of April 22, 1960. Supplemental instructions are dated December 1, 1960. (See attached 1962 report.)

✓B. AREA SURVEYED:

This survey covers the south end of Saratoga Passage, between Camano and Whidbey Islands and the south end of Port Susan between Camano Island and the mainland. In Saratoga Passage the limits are: Elger Bay to the north; approximate longitude 122° 29.00' to the northwest and approximate latitude 48° 03.75' to the south. In Port Susan the limits extend from approximate latitude 48° 03.75' to the south to about 48° 07.5' to the north. Field work in 1961 was accomplished at intervals during the period May 19 - October 24. A satisfactory junction was made with Survey IJ-10-7-60 (H-8609) to the northwest.

✓C. SOUNDING VESSELS:

During the 1961 field season, the Ship PATTON and Launch CS-1191 operating from the ship were used as sounding vessels. Blue was used to identify the work of both vessels.

✓D. SOUNDING EQUIPMENT:

All soundings were obtained with Model 808 portable depth recorders calibrated for 800 fm./sec. Fathometer No. 74 was used on the Ship PATTON, No. S-110 was used on Launch CS-1191 except for part of one day when No. 51 was used.

Corrections to 1961 fathometer soundings are discussed in the special fathometer report, and are tabulated at the end of this report.

E. SMOOTH SHEET:

No smooth sheet projection has been constructed as of the time this report was written (November 1961). Since the survey was not completed during the 1961 field season, it is expected that the smooth plotting will be postponed until after the survey is finished. (See attached 1962 report.)

✓ F. CONTROL:

Hydrography was controlled by three point sextant fixes on shore signals. Signals were located by photogrammetric methods, triangulation, or sextant cuts and fixes. Photo hydro control was transferred from the following manuscripts: T-11615, T-11616, T-11619, T-11620, T-11621, T-11622, T-11625, T-11626 and T-11627, T-11628. See review.

✓ G. SHORELINE:

Shoreline originates with the photogrammetric compilations referred to in Section F, above. Shoreline and topographic details have been verified in the field by the Portland Photogrammetric Unit. A general check of the shoreline details in Saratoga Passage included in this survey was made by Ship PATTON personnel in 1961. A few minor changes which had taken place since the original field inspection was made were noted on the boat sheet and where applicable, sextant fixes were taken and recorded in the sounding volumes. No shoreline inspection was made by Ship PATTON personnel in Port Susan during the 1961 field season. See review.

✓ H. CROSSLINES:

About 6 % of crosslines was run in the Saratoga Passage area of this survey. Satisfactory agreement was made with the regular system of sounding lines. Crosslines were run over the ship hydro in Port Susan, but remain to be completed on the launch hydro area and unfinished parts of the survey.

✓ I. JUNCTIONS:

A satisfactory junction was made with a 1960-61 survey, (LJ-10-7-60) H-8609, to the northwest (See Section B, above). There are no junctions with surveys made prior to 1960. See review.

✓ J-K. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS AND CHART:

H-1884 (1:20,000) 1888. Part of this survey covers the area in Saratoga Passage included on PA-10-1-61. A general comparison between the two surveys shows good agreement, considering the widely spaced soundings on H-1884 and the time interval between the two. Representative soundings transferred from H-1884 to PA-10-1-61 agree satisfactorily with the present survey, and indicate little change in configuration of the bottom.

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H-1886 (1:20,000) 1886. Port Susan. There is satisfactory agreement between the two surveys for the area completed on PA-10-1-61 in 1961. In the deeper areas the soundings on H-1884 run from 1 to 3 fathoms deeper than the present survey. It is recommended that a final comparison with H-1884 be made after PA-10-1-61 is completed in 1962.

Chart 6450 (1:80,000) Revised 9/5/60, is based on the above surveys. Agreement with PA-10-1-61 is satisfactory for the common area. No new dangers to navigation were found during the 1961 field work on PA-10-1-61.

See review.

✓ I. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY:

For the area covered in Saratoga Passage, this survey is considered to be complete and adequate to supersede prior surveys for charting. Additional launch work remains to be done in the Port Susan area. (See Section P. below)

✓ M. AIDS TO NAVIGATION:

There is one fixed aid to navigation in the area of this survey (East Point Light). This has previously been located by triangulation. No floating aids are located in the area. Landmarks for charts are being reported separately by the photogrammetric party.

✓ N. STATISTICS:

1961

Hydrography:

| | Number of Positions | Nautical miles of sounding line | Area in square nautical miles |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Ship PATTON | 925 | 222.2 | 10.92 |
| Launch CS-1191 | <u>1377</u> | <u>148.8</u> | <u>.6.94</u> |
| Totals | 2302 | 371.0 | 17.86 |

- 1 Tide Station (Off limits of survey.)
- 3 Serial Temperature and Salinity Observations
- 41 Bottom Samples

✓ P. RECOMMENDATIONS:

The following field work in Port Susan is recommended to complete this survey: 1. Launch hydrography - East side - from Latitude 48° 04.0' north-westward to about 48° 07.4'. West side - from a junction with 1961 work at Latitude 48° 05.7' northward to about 48° 07.4'. 2. Bottom Samples throughout the area. 3. Inspection of shoreline details as required since original field inspection was made. (consult manuscripts)

See boat sheet for further details of unsurveyed area.

✓ Q. REFERENCE TO REPORTS:

See continuation of Descriptive Report attached.

1961 Fathometer Report - forwarded to Washington Office on Nov. 20, 1961

H.D. Reed Jr.
CDR, C&GS
Cmdg., Ship PATTON

November 16, 1961

✓ LIST OF SIGNALS

SURVEY PA-10-1-61, H-

ESTABLISHED 1961

PORT SUSAN

| Name | Origin | Name | Origin |
|---------|----------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|
| ✓ Add | T-11621 | ✓ Hem | T-11620 |
| * ✓ Ado | T-11621 | ✓ Ion | T-11620 |
| ✓ Ban | Vol IX (launch) P. 3 | * Job | T-11620 |
| | sextant cuts | ✓ Kim | Vol III (ship) P.40 |
| * ✓ Bed | T-11621 | ✓ Lay | T-11620 |
| ✓ Big | T-11621 | ✓ Mar | T-11620 |
| ✓ Bon | T-11621 | * Ned | T-11627 |
| ✓ Car | T-11621 | * New | T-11616 |
| ✓ Cop | T-11622 | * Nil | T-11621 |
| ✓ Cue | T-11627 | ✓ Pat | Vol III (ship) P. 41 |
| ✓ Cut | T-11620 | * Pot | T-11621 |
| ✓ Day | T-11621 | * Ram | T-11621 |
| ✓ Don | T-11620 | ** ✓ Shel | (Shelton 2, 1924) |
| * ✓ Dun | T-11622 | ✓ Sip | T-11621 |
| ✓ Ear | T-11622 | ✓ Tap | T-11621 Vol III P.3 |
| ✓ Eva | T-11620 | * ✓ Use | T-11621 |
| ✓ Few | T-11622 | * Ute | T-11616 |
| * Fly | T-11620 | * ✓ Val | T-11621 |
| ✓ Fog | T-11620 | ✓ Vor | T-11616 |
| * ✓ Gas | T-11622 | ✓ Was | T-11621 |
| ✓ Get | T-11620 | * Yam | T-11621 |

* Not used during 1961 field season

** Station mark reported tilted by photogrammetric party. Considered to be photo-hydro control.

(See attached 1962 report)

✓ VELOCITY CORRECTIONS

Project OPR-412
1961
Sheets LJ-10-7-60 & PA-10-1-61

Correction

Dates, Area, and Depths

0.0
+ 0.1
+ 0.2
+ 0.3
+ 0.4
+ 0.5
+ 0.6
+ 0.7
+ 0.8
+ 0.9
+ 1.0

April-May
Saratoga Passage
Holmes Harbor

0.0 to 8.5 fms
8.6 - 20.5
20.6 - 32.0
32.1 - 44.0
44.1 - 54.0
54.1 - 64.0
64.1 - 74.0

June
Saratoga Passage
Holmes Harbor

0.0 - 7.0
7.1 - 16.0
16.1 - 26.0
26.1 - 37.0
37.1 - 47.0
47.1 - 57.0
57.1 - 67.0
67.1 - 77.0
77.1 - 80.0

August
Saratoga
Passage

0.0 - 3.5
3.6 - 12.0
12.1 - 20.0
20.1 - 28.0
28.1 - 36.0
36.1 - 44.0
44.1 - 51.5
51.6 - 59.0
59.1 - 66.5
66.6 - 74.0
74.1 - 80.0

Correction

0.0
+ 0.1
+ 0.2
+ 0.3
NY + 0.4
+ 0.5
+ 0.6
+ 0.7
+ 0.8
+ 0.9
+ 1.0
+ 1.1
+ 1.2
+ 1.3

August
Port Susan

00 - 4.0
4.1 - 13.0
13.1 - 21.5
21.6 - 30.5
30.6 - 40.5
40.6 - 49.0
49.1 - 56.0
56.1 - 63.0
63.1 - 69.0

September
Saratoga Passage

0.0 - 4.0
4.1 - 10.0
10.1 - 16.0
16.1 - 22.5
22.6 - 28.5
28.6 - 34.5
34.6 - 40.5
40.6 - 46.5
46.6 - 52.0
52.1 - 57.5
57.6 - 63.0
63.1 - 68.0
68.1 - 74.0
74.1 - 79.0

October
Port Susan

00 - 4.5
4.6 - 11.0
11.1 - 17.5
17.6 - 23.5
23.6 - 29.5
29.6 - 35.5
35.6 - 41.0
41.1 - 47.5
47.6 - 53.0
53.1 - 58.5
58.6 - 64.5
64.6 - 70.0

✓ LIST OF SIGNALS

SURVEY PA-10-1-61, H-

ESTABLISHED 1961

SARATOGA PASSAGE

| Name | Origin | Name | Origin |
|-------|--|-------|--------------------------|
| Ace | T-11625 | Joy | T-11626 |
| Ann | T-11619 | Jug | T-11619 |
| Ark | (East Point Light, 1944) | Leo | T-11620 |
| Bat | T-11615 | Log | T-11619 |
| Box | T-11619 | Low | T-11619 |
| Cab | T-11619 | Max | T-11619 |
| Caw | T-11619 | Nat | T-11620 |
| Doc | T-11619 | Pat | T-11619 |
| Egg | T-11620 | * Put | T-11620 ^{from} |
| End | T-11619 | Ree | Transferred ↘ LJ-10-7-60 |
| Far | T-11615 | Rim | T-11620 |
| For | Vol 3 P. 56 | Ski | T-11619 |
| | Transferred from Shel 2, RM | Sly | T-11620 |
| Gap | Vol II launch, P. 25 | Sue | T-11620 |
| | (sextant cuts) | Tub | T-11619 |
| Got | T-11619 | Tug | T-11620 |
| Gum | T-11615 | Van | T-11619 |
| Gus | T-11620 | Vex | T-11619 |
| * Hat | T-11620 | Wax | T-11619 |
| Hid | T-11620 | Wee | T-11620 |
| * Hun | T-11619 | | |
| * Irk | Vol V (ship) P. 4 | | |
| | (sextant cuts) | | |

* Not used during 1961 field season (see attached 1962 report.)

✓ LEAD LINE COMPARISONS

(Ship hydro only)

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Lead Line</u> | <u>Fathometer</u> | <u>Corr. fms.</u> |
|-------------|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| May 18 | 18.0 (mean of 5) | 17.5 (mean of 5) | + 0.5 |
| June 20 | 19.3 (mean of 6) | 19.0 (mean of 6) | + 0.3 |
| | | Mean | + 0.4 |

This correction used for May, 1961 ship hydrography.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|------------------|-------|
| Aug 8 | 19.6 (mean of 6) | 19.1 (mean of 6) | + 0.5 |
| Aug 24 | 14.1 (mean of 6) | 13.5 (mean of 6) | + 0.6 |
| | | Mean | + 0.6 |

This correction used for August 1961 ship hydrography.

Note: Velocity corrections were applied to fathometer soundings in making the above computations.

✓ BAR CHECK CORRECTIONS

(Launch hydro only)

A bar check correction of + 0.2 fathom was used throughout the season. This was derived by averaging the daily bar checks. None of the daily values varied from the mean by more than 0.1 fathom.

PHASE CORRECTIONS

Project OPR-412, PA-10-1-61
Ship Hydrography, Fathometer #74

| Date | Day Letter | Corr. (fms.) | | Mean Value used |
|---|------------|--------------|-------|-----------------|
| | | A | B | |
| May 19 | A | 0.0 | + 1.4 | |
| " | " | 0.0 | + 1.7 | + 1.5 |
| May 20 | B | 0.0 | + 1.2 | |
| " | " | 0.0 | + 1.2 | + 1.2 |
| May 22 | C | 0.0 | + 1.3 | |
| " | " | 0.0 | + 1.3 | + 1.3 |
| Note: Phasing head changed after work on May 19 | | | | |
| Aug 18 | D | 0.0 | + 0.6 | |
| Aug 19 | E | 0.0 | + 0.5 | |
| Aug 21 | F | 0.0 | + 0.6 | |
| Aug 22 | H | 0.0 | + 0.7 | |
| Correction to all August Ship Hydrography - | | | | + 0.6 |

Sheets LJ-10-7-60 & PA-10-1-61
Launch Hydrography Fathometer S-110

| | | | | |
|---------|---|-----|----------------------|-----|
| June 6 | m | 0.0 | - 0.2 | |
| June 7 | n | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| June 19 | r | 0.0 | (+ 0.4) R (doubtful) | |
| Aug 8 | b | 0.0 | + 0.1 | |
| Aug 21 | e | 0.0 | - 0.1 | |
| Aug 22 | f | 0.0 | - 0.1 | |
| Sept 23 | h | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Fathometer #51

| | | | | |
|--------|---|-----|-----|-----|
| Oct 18 | n | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
|--------|---|-----|-----|-----|

✓ INDEX (Initial) CORRECTIONS

Sheet LJ-10-7-60
Launch CS-1191

| Day letter | Positions (inclusive) | Correction (fms) |
|------------|------------------------|------------------|
| l | 2-8 | + 0.3 |
| l | 9-12 | + 0.2 |
| l | 25-28 | + 0.2 |
| l | 29-33 | + 0.2 |
| l | 54-59 | + 0.2 |
| l | 97-100 | + 0.2 |
| l | 101-108 | + 0.2 |
| l | 117 + 2 sdgs-124 | + 0.2 |
| l | 125 + 2 sdgs-146 | + 0.2 |
| m | 20 + 1 sdg-21 + 2 sdgs | - 0.2 |
| p | 57-59 + 3 sdgs | - 0.2 |
| r | 161-161 + 3 sdgs | + 0.4 |
| r | 162-174 | - 0.2 |
| s | 17-20 | - 0.2 |
| s | 69-81 | - 0.2 |

Corrections negligible for Sheet PA-10-1-61, (launch and ship) and Sheet PA-20-1-61.

✓ APPROVAL SHEET

SURVEY PA-10-1-61, H-

The records for the 1961 field work on this survey are approved. All 1961 work was supervised by me and the records were examined daily in the field.

Additional field work as outlined in the descriptive report will be required to complete this survey. It is recommended that plotting the smooth sheet be delayed until after the additional work is finished.

(See attached 1962 report.)



H.D. Reed Jr.
CDR, C&GS,
Cmdg., Ship PATTON

TIDE NOTE

SURVEY PA-10-1-61, H-

✓ A portable automatic tide gage was established at Tulalip, Tulalip Bay, Washington and operated during the course of the 1961 hydrography. This gage should be re-established in 1962 to control the hydrography required to complete the survey. Position: Latitude $48^{\circ} 03.8'$ Longitude $122^{\circ} 17.5'$

Height of the plane of reference (MLLW) on the tide staff in 1961 was 3.4 ft.

No corrections for differences in time or height were applied to the observed tides in 1961.

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U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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Field No. PA- 10-1-61

State WASHINGTON

General locality WHIDBEY & ~~CAMANO~~ ISLANDS

Locality SOUTHERN PARTS of SARATOGA PASSAGE & PORT SUSAN

Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey May 1961 & Oct 1962 ~~Field Seasons~~

Instructions dated April 22, 1960, December 1, 1960 and February 13, 1962

Vessel Ship Patton and Launch CS 1191, Ship Bowie & Launch 95

Chief of party H.D. Reed & F.X. Popper

Surveyed by H.D. Reed, F.X. Popper, C.B. Carter, J.L. Piter, L.S. Brown

Soundings taken by fathometer, graphic recorder, hand lead, ~~etc.~~

Fathograms scaled by Personnel of Ships Patton and Bowie

Fathograms checked by II II II II II II

Protracted by A.W. Cecil

Soundings penciled by C.W. Mathisson and A.W. Cecil

Soundings in fathoms ~~xxxxxxx~~ MLLW and are true depths

REMARKS: _____

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT
TO ACCOMPANY

Hydrographic Survey H-8699

Field No. PA 10-1-61

Scale 1:10,000

1961 and 1962

Ship Patton
Ship Bowie

H.D. Reed Comdg.
F.X. Popper Comdg.

✓ A. PROJECT

This survey is a part of Project OPR 412 with original instructions issued April 22, 1960, supplemental instructions December 1, 1960 and February 13, 1962.

✓ B. AREA SURVEYED

The area included the southern end of Port Susan from the mainland on the east to Camano Island on the west. In Saratoga Passage, the eastern boundary was Camano Island and the western, Whidbey Island. The area lay between parallels $48^{\circ} 03' 30''$ and $48^{\circ} 07' 30''$. In 1961 the Patton accomplished most of the survey between May 19 and October 24.

The area surveyed by the Bowie in 1962 consisted of inshore hydrography in Port Susan. On the mainland the area extended an average of 0.3 of a mile off shore and from latitude $48^{\circ} 03' 30''$ to $48^{\circ} 07' 30''$. On the eastern shore of Camano Island the hydrography extended from latitude $48^{\circ} 05' 30''$ to $48^{\circ} 07' 15''$ and about 0.4 miles off shore. The Bowie accomplished the remaining portion of the survey between September 14 and October 16 1962.

This survey junctioned with survey LJ 10-7-60 to the northwest.
(H-8609)

✓ C. SOUNDING VESSELS

In 1961 the vessels used were the Ship Patton and Launch CS-1191. In 1962 the Ship Bowie and Launch 95 were employed. Blue was used to identify the Patton's work and violet the Bowie's.

✓ D. SOUNDING EQUIPMENT

Model 808 portable depth recorders calibrated for 800 fathoms/second were used in both 1961 and 1962. Fathometer no. 74 was used by the Patton and no. S-110 by Launch CS-1191 except for one day when no. 51 was used.

In 1962 the Bowie used fathometer no. 57-25 and Launch 95 used no. 57-28 on September 14, 17, and 18 and on September 19, no. 57-24. Fathometer corrections are shown at the end of this report.

✓ E. SMOOTH SHEET

The projection was machine ruled by the Washington Office and mailed to the Ship Bowie where the plotting was done. All positions were protracted on the smooth sheet with the exception of 5 positions which were transferred from the boat sheet as they were not 3 point sextant fixes. These were 157h 158h, 159h, 162h and 163h along the western shore of Camano Island.

On the night of February 4, 1963, rain leaked through the plotting room overhead and dampened part of the smooth sheet.* The northern and southern boundaries of the wetted portion are latitudes $48^{\circ} 07.5'$ and $48^{\circ} 05.5'$ respectively. The eastern boundary is $122^{\circ} 20.5'$ and the western, $122^{\circ} 23.0'$. All of the Bowie's "d" day in this area was plotted after the wetting and the Patton's hydrography before.* See para. F.

✓ F. CONTROL

All of the hydrography was visually controlled. Signals were located by photogrammetric methods, triangulation and sextant cuts. Photo-hydro control was transferred from manuscripts T-11615, T-11616, T-11619, T-11620, T-11621, T-11622, T-11625, T-11627, and T-11626, ^{and T-11628.} It was noted that signal Gap was misplotted by about 15 meters on the boat sheet.

See Review.

✓ G. SHORELINE

Shoreline originated with the photogrammetric compilations referred to in section F above. Shoreline and topographic details have been verified in the field by the Portland Photogrammetric Unit. A check of shoreline details in Saratoga Passage was made by the Patton's personnel in 1961. A few minor changes were noted on the boat sheet and where applicable, sextant fixes were taken and recorded in the sounding volumes. No shoreline inspection was made by the Patton in 1961 in Port Susan. The personnel of the Bowie inspected the Port Susan shoreline in 1962 and found no changes.

see review.

✓ H. CROSSLINES

7% of the total hydrography was crosslines. Agreement was good in all cases except in the previously mentioned wetted area. Here the crosslines are 3 to 5 fathoms shoaler at several crossings.* It is suspected that distortion occurred between the plotting of the crosslines and regular sounding lines. * Distortion was found to be negligible and crossings were brought into agreement on final reduced soundings during verification. See section 3. of review.

✓ I. JUNCTIONS

A satisfactory junction was made with survey LJ-10-7-60 to the northwest. The Bowie's portion of the survey junctioned well with the Patton's.

(H-8609)

See Review.

✓ J-K. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS AND CHART

H-1884, 1:20,000, 1888

This survey covers the portion of survey PA 10-1-61 in Saratoga Passage. At depths of 60 fathoms or more the smooth sheet showed depths 1 to 2 fathoms greater than the prior survey. At depths approximating 30 fathoms the agreement was one fathom or less.

H-1730, 1:20,000, 1886, Port Susan

Agreement in all cases was quite good, there being less than 1 fathom difference between the smooth sheet and prior survey.

Chart 6450, 1:80,000, revised 9/5/60

Agreement with PA-10-1-61 was satisfactory in both Saratoga Passage and Port Susan. No new dangers to navigation were ^{found} in either 1961 or 1962.

See review.

✓ L. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY

The survey is considered to be complete and sufficiently accurate to supersede prior surveys. See review.

✓ M. AIDS TO NAVIGATION

There is one fixed aid to navigation (East Point Light) which has been located by triangulation. No floating aids to navigation are located in this area. See review.

✓ N. STATISTICS

Hydrography:

| Vessel | no. of positions | nautical miles of sounding line | square n. miles of hydrography |
|---------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Patton | 925 | 222.2 | 10.92 |
| Launch CS1191 | 1377 | 148.8 | 6.94 |
| Launch 95 | 841 | 70.9 | 1.92 |
| Bowie | 60 | 6.0 | 0.20 |
| totals | 3203 | 447.9 | 19.98 |

1 tide station

4 temperature and salinity observations (1 by the Bowie)

60 bottom samples (19 by the Bowie)

✓ P. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the positions plotted in the wetted area mentioned in section E or those plotted using signals in this area, be checked to determine whether an intolerable amount of distortion has occurred because of the wetting. Lack of time prevents Bowie personnel from thoroughly investigating this area. Projection checked and found to be in satisfactory condition.

✓ Q. REFERENCE TO REPORTS

1961 Fathometer Report - forwarded to Washington office Nov. 20, 1961.

Preliminary descriptive report - forwarded with this report April 4, 1963.

Alfred W. Cecil

Alfred W. Cecil
ENS USC&GS

April 4, 1963

/ TIDE NOTE

A portable automatic tide gage was established at Tulalip Bay, Washington and operated during the 1961 season. This gage was reestablished in 1962 and operated during the time the Bowie surveyed.

The gage's position is as follows; latitude $48^{\circ} 03.8'$, longitude $122^{\circ} 17.5'$.

Height of the plane of reference (MLLW) on the tide staff in both 1961 and 1962 was 3.4 feet.

✓ LIST OF SIGNALS

PORT SUSAN

| Name | Origin | Name | Origin |
|-------|--------------|-----------|-----------------------------------|
| ✓Add | T-11621 | ✓Häm | T-11620 |
| ✓Ado* | T-11621 | ✓Ion | T-11620 |
| ✓Ban | Sext. outs | Job** | T-11620 |
| | Volume X | ✓Kim | Vol. III p 40 |
| ✓Bed* | T-11621 | ✓Lay | T-11620 |
| ✓Big | T-11621 | ✓Mar | T-11620 |
| ✓Bon | T-11621 | Ned** | T-11627 |
| ✓Cam | T-11620 | New** | T-11616 |
| ✓Car | T-11621 | Nil** | T-11621 |
| ✓Cop | T-11622 | ✓Pat | Vol. III p 41 |
| ✓Cry | Sext. outs | ✓Par | Vol. XI p 37 |
| | Vol XIII p 4 | Pot** | T-11621 |
| ✓Cue | T-11627 | Ran** | T-11621 |
| ✓Cut | T-11620 | ✓Shel *** | |
| ✓Day | T-11621 | ✓Sip | T-11621 |
| ✓Don | T-11620 | ✓Tap | T-11621 Vol. XIII P. 3 |
| ✓Dun* | T-11622 | ✓Use** | T-11621 |
| ✓Ear | T-11622 | Ute** | T-11616 |
| ✓Eva | T-11620 | ✓Val* | T-11621 |
| ✓Fat | T-11621 | ✓Vor | T-11616 |
| ✓Few | T-11622 | ✓Was | T-11621 |
| Fly** | T-11620 | Yam** | T-11621 |
| ✓Fog | T-11620 | ✓Zag | T-11621 |
| ✓Gas* | T-11622 | | |
| ✓Get | T-11620 | | |
| ✓Bus | T*11621 | | |

* Not used in 1961

** Not used in 1961 or 1962

*** Shelton 2 1924, assumed to be photo-hydro control as station mark was found disturbed by photogrammetric party.

LIST OF SIGNALS

SARATOGA PASSAGE

| Name | Origin | Name | Origin |
|---------------------|------------------------|------|--------------------------|
| Ace | T-11625 | Joy | T-11626 |
| Ann | T-11619 | Jug | T-11619 |
| Ark | East Point Light, 1944 | Leo | T-11620 |
| Bat | T-11615 | Log | T-11619 |
| Box | T-11619 | Low | T-11619 |
| Cab | T-11619 | Max | T-11619 |
| Caw | T-11619 | Nat | T-11620 |
| Doc | T-11619 | Pat | T-11619 |
| Egg | T-11620 | Put* | T-11620 |
| End | T-11619 | Ree | Transferred |
| Far | T-11615 | | from LJ-10-7-60 (H-8609) |
| For. Vol. III p. 56 | | Rim | T-11620 |
| Gap Vol. II-p. 25 | | Ski | T-11619 |
| Got | T-11619 | Sly | T-11620 |
| Gum | T-11615 | Sue | T-11620 |
| Gus | T-11620 | Tub | T-11619 |
| Hat * | T-11620 | Tug | T-11620 |
| Hid * | T-11620 | Van | T-11619 |
| Hun * | T-11619 | Vex | T-11619 |
| Irk*Vol. VII p. 4 | | Wax | T-11619 |
| | | Wee | T-11620 |

* Not used during 1961 (none of these signals were used in 1962)

✓ VELOCITY CORRECTIONS

Saratoga Passage 1961

| Correction | April-May | June | August | September |
|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| 0.0 | 0.0-8.5 | 0.0-7.0 | 0.0-3.5 | 0.0-4.0 |
| 0.1 | 8.6-20.5 | 7.1-16.0 | 3.6-12.0 | 4.1-10.0 |
| 0.2 | 20.6-32.0 | 16.1-26.0 | 12.1-20.0 | 10.1-16.0 |
| 0.3 | 32.1-44.0 | 26.1-37.0 | 20.1-28.0 | 16.1-22.5 |
| 0.4 | 44.1-54.0 | 37.1-47.0 | 28.1-36.0 | 22.6-28.5 |
| 0.5 | 54.1-64.0 | 47.1-57.0 | 36.1-44.0 | 28.6-34.5 |
| 0.6 | 64.1-74.0 | 57.1-67.0 | 44.1-51.5 | 34.6-40.5 |
| 0.7 | | 67.1-77.0 | 51.6-59.0 | 40.6-46.5 |
| 0.8 | | 77.1-80.0 | 59.1-66.5 | 46.6-52.0 |
| 0.9 | | | 66.6-74.0 | 52.1-57.5 |
| 1.0 | | | 74.1-80.0 | 57.6-63.0 |
| 1.1 | | | | 63.1-68.0 |
| 1.2 | | | | 68.1-74.0 |
| 1.3 | | | | 74.1-79.0 |

Port Susan 1961 & 1962

| | August 1961 | October 1961 | September 1962 |
|-----|-------------|--------------|----------------|
| 0.0 | 0.0-4.0 | 0.0-4.5 | 0.0-9.5 |
| 0.1 | 4.1-13.0 | 4.6-11.0 | |
| 0.2 | 13.1-21.5 | 11.1-17.5 | 9.6-21.6 |
| 0.3 | 21.6-30.5 | 17.6-23.5 | |
| 0.4 | 30.6-40.5 | 23.6-29.5 | 21.8-36.0 |
| 0.5 | 40.6-49.0 | 29.6-35.5 | |
| 0.6 | 49.1-56.0 | 35.6-41.0 | 36.1-48.7 |
| 0.7 | 56.1-63.0 | 41.1-47.5 | |
| 0.8 | 63.1-69.0 | 47.6-53.0 | 48.8-60.0 |
| 0.9 | | 53.1-58.5 | |
| 1.0 | | 58.6-64.5 | 60.1-71.0 |
| 1.1 | | 64.6-70.0 | |

All corrections are positive and in fathoms. All depths are in fathoms.

✓ PHASE CORRECTIONS

Fathometer #74 (Ship Patton)

| Date | Day Letter | Corr. fms. | | Mean Value used |
|--|------------|------------|--------|-----------------|
| | | A scale | Bscale | |
| 5/19/61 | A | 0.0 | 1.4 | |
| 5/19/61 | A | 0.0 | 1.7 | 1.5 |
| 5/20/61 | B | 0.0 | 1.2 | |
| 5/20/61 | B | 0.0 | 1.2 | 1.2 |
| 5/22/61 | C | 0.0 | 1.3 | |
| 5/22/61 | C | 0.0 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| Phasing head was changed after May 19 1961 | | | | |
| 8/18/61 | D | 0.0 | 0.6 | |
| 8/19/61 | E | 0.0 | 0.5 | |
| 8/21/61 | F | 0.0 | 0.6 | |
| 8/22/61 | H | 0.0 | 0.7 | 0.6 |

Fathometer # S-110 (Launch CS-1191)

| | | | | |
|---------|---|-----|------|------------|
| 6/6/61 | m | 0.0 | -0.2 | |
| 6/3/61 | n | 0.0 | 0.0 | |
| 6/18/61 | r | 0.0 | 0.4 | (rejected) |
| 8/8/61 | b | 0.0 | 0.1 | |
| 8/21/61 | e | 0.0 | -0.1 | |
| 8/22/61 | f | 0.0 | -0.1 | |
| 9/23/61 | h | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Fathometer # 51

| | | | | |
|----------|---|-----|-----|-----|
| 10/18/61 | n | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |
|----------|---|-----|-----|-----|

Final values only are given for the following fathometers used by the Bowie in 1962.

Fathometer #57-24

| S | Scale | Corr. fms |
|---|-------|-----------|
| | A | 0.0 |
| | B | -0.8 |
| | C | -2.7 |
| | D | -2.8 |
| | E | -2.6 |

Fathometer # 57-28

| Scale | Corr. fms |
|-------|-----------|
| A | 0.0 |
| B | -0.5 |

Fathometer # 57-25

| Scale | Corr. fms |
|-------|-----------|
| A | 0.0 |
| B | -0.4 |

✓ BAR CHECK CORRECTIONS

A bar check correction of 0.2 fathoms was used throughout the 1961 season. None of the daily values varied from this mean by more than 0.1 fathoms.

The 1962 corrections are as follows.

| Fathometer | Date | Day | Corr. fms |
|------------|---------|-----|-----------|
| 57-28 | 9/14/62 | a | 0.2 |
| 57-28 | 9/17/62 | b | 0.2 |
| 57-28 | 9/18/62 | c | 0.2 |
| 57-24 | 9/19/62 | d | 0.3 |

✓ APPROVAL SHEET
FOR

Hydrographic Survey H-8699

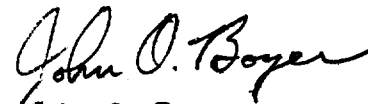
Field No. PA 10-1-61

The 1961 field work and records were examined daily in the field by CDR H.D. Reed (Cmdg. Ship Patton). The 1962 fieldwork and records were examined by CDR. F.X. Popper (Cmdg. Ship Bowie). Most smooth plotting was done under the direction of LT. L.S. Brown (Cmdg. Ship Bowie).

This survey is believed to be complete and adequate; however the distortion caused by the smooth sheet getting wet should be investigated. The urgency of preparing for the coming field season prevented a thorough study of the seriousness or possible corrections for the distorted area.

The completed smooth sheet was not examined by a senior officer or experienced hydrographer.

See review:


John O. Boyer
CDR. C&GS
Cmdg. Ship Bowie

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TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

May 2, 1963

Nautical Chart Division: R. H. Carstens

Plane of reference approved in
14 volumes of sounding records for

HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET 8699

Locality Saratoga Passage, Washington

Chief of Party: F. X. Popper 1961-62

Plane of reference is mean lower low water

3.8 ft. on tide staff at Greenbank, Washington

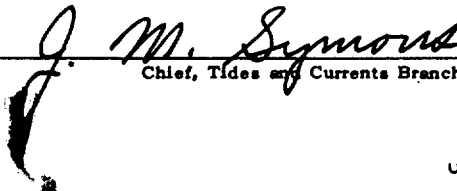
13.9 ft. below B. M. 1 (1960)

3.4 ft. on tide staff at Tulalip Bay, Washington

40.3 ft. below Bench Mark 3 (1935)

Height of mean high water above plane of reference is 10.4.

Condition of records satisfactory except as noted below:



Chief, Tides and Currents Branch

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

Survey No. H-8699

On Chart
No. 6450 & 6448

On previous survey
No. T-11620

On U. S. quadrangle
Maps

From local
information

On local Maps

P. O. Guide or Map

Rand McNally Atlas

U. S. Light List

BGN

Name on Survey

| | A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | K | |
|-------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|
| Camano Head | x | | | | | | | | x | 1 |
| Camano Island | x | | | | | | | | x | 2 |
| East Point | x | | | | | | | | x | 3 |
| Elger Bay | x | | | | | | | | x | 4 |
| Kayak Point | x | | | | | | | | | 5 |
| Lowell Point | x | | | | | | | | | 6 |
| Port Susan | x | | | | | | | | | 7 |
| Saratoga Passage | x | | | | | | | | | 8 |
| Whidbey Island | x | | | | | | | | | 9 |
| Pebble Beach | | x | x | | | | | | | 10 |
| Hermosa Point | x | | | | | | | | | 11 |
| Cornell | | x | | | | | | | | 12 |
| Saratoga | x | | | | | | | | | 13 |
| Mabana | x | | | | | | | | | 14 |
| Spee-Bi-Dah | | | | | | | | | | 15 |
| Tulalip Shores | | | | | | | | | | 16 |
| Tulare Beach | | | | | | | | | | 17 |
| Sunny Shores | | | | | | | | | | 18 |
| McKees Beach | | | | | | | | | | 19 |
| Sunny Shore Acres | | | | | | | | | | 20 |
| Tyee Beach | | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| Camp Diana | | | | | | | | | | 22 |
| Bells Beach | | | | | | | | | | 23 |
| Tillikum Beach | | | | | | | | | | 24 |
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[Signature]
Geographic Names Section
2 May 1963

Approved
C. E. Harrington
Staff Geographer
10 Sept. 1976

Hydrographic Surveys (Chart Division)

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY NO. 8699.....

Records accompanying survey: Smooth sheets **1**...;
 boat sheets **1**...; sounding vols. **14**...; wire drag vols.;
 Descriptive Reports **2**...; graphic recorder envelopes **4**...;
 special reports, etc.

The following statistics will be submitted with the cartographer's report on the sheet:

| | | | |
|---|------|------|----|
| Number of positions on sheet | | 3203 | |
| Number of positions checked | | 120 | 16 |
| Number of positions revised | | 23 | 8 |
| Number of soundings revised (refers to depth only) | | 73 | 30 |
| Number of soundings erroneously spaced | | 15 | 6 |
| Number of signals erroneously plotted or transferred | | | - |
| Topographic details | Time | 5 | 40 |
| Junctions | Time | 6 | 24 |
| Verification of soundings from graphic record | Time | 30 | 40 |
| Special adjustments | Time | | 8 |

Verification by *Oscar Chapman* Total time **294** Date **4/27/70**
James Schad 21 L. train 63 prod 22 Mar 71

Reviewed by *T.P.D. Sanchez* Time **221** Date **21 June 1973**

Inspected by *J. Baumgardner* Sept 9, 1976 40 hrs

Carters 1040 3/17/77

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Information for Future Presurvey Reviews

The bottom in this area is very stable.

| <u>Position Index</u> | | <u>Bottom Change Index</u> | <u>Use Index</u> | <u>Resurvey Cycle</u> |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>Lat.</u> | <u>Long.</u> | | | |
| 480 | 1223 | 2 | 2 | 50 years |
| 480 | 1222 | 2 | 5 | 50 years |

OFFICE OF MARINE SURVEYS AND MAPS

MARINE SURVEYS DIVISION

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY REVIEW

REGISTRY NO. H-8699

FIELD NO. PA-10-1-61

Washington, Whidbey Island, Southern Parts of Saratoga Passage and Port Susan

SURVEYED: May 19 - October 24, 1961;
September 14 - October 16, 1962

SCALE: 1:10,000

PROJECT NO.: OPR-412

SOUNDINGS: 808 Depth Recorder
Hand Lead

CONTROL: Sextant Fixes on
Shore Signals

Chief of Party H. D. Reed, Jr.
..... F. X. Popper
Surveyed by C. B. Carter, Jr.
..... J. L. Piter
..... L. S. Brown
Protracted by A. W. Cecil
Soundings Plotted by C. W. Mathisson, A. W. Cecil
Verified and Inked by O. Chapman, J. Schad
Reviewed by R. Sanocki
Date: June 21, 1973
Inspected by S. Baumgardner

1. Description of the Area

This survey is located northwesterly of Everett, Washington, in the southern areas of Port Susan and Saratoga Passage. The area in Saratoga Passage extends from Pebble Beach northerly to Lowell Point. The area in Port Susan extends from Hermosa Point northerly to Cornell.

The bottom slopes steeply from the low water line to 50 fathoms and then gradually to maximum depths of more than 65 fathoms in Port Susan and to more than 75 fathoms in Saratoga Passage. The passages are relatively flat.

The low water areas along the shoreline are stone and boulder strewn. The bottom consists of mud, clay, sand, and broken shells.

2. Control and Shoreline

The origin of the control is adequately described in part F of the Descriptive Report.

The shoreline originates with reviewed photogrammetric manuscripts: T-11615 (1960), T-11616 (1959-1960), T-11619 (1960), T-11620 (1960), T-11621 (1959-1960), T-11622 (1959-1960), T-11625 (1960), T-11626 (1960), T-11627 (1960), and T-11628 (1959-1960).

3. Hydrography

- A. Depths at crossings are in good agreement.
- B. The usual depth curves are adequately delineated.
- C. The development of the bottom configuration and investigation of least depths are considered adequate.

4. Condition of Survey

The field plotting, sounding records, and the Descriptive Report are adequate and conform to the requirements of the Hydrographic Manual except:

- A. Fifteen of 30 days work in the sounding volumes were not signed by either the Chief of Party or the Officer in Charge.
- B. A separate report on fixed aids to navigation (Form 567) was not prepared as required by the Hydrographic Manual.

5. Junctions

Adequate junctions were effected with H-8609 (1960-1961) on the northwest in Saratoga Passage and with H-8700 (1962) on the north in Port Susan. A partial butt junction was effected with H-8753 (1963) in an inshore area on the south where present depths are superseded by H-8753.

6. Comparison with Prior Surveys

- A. H-405 (1853) 1:211,798

The reconnaissance nature of this prior smaller scale survey provides soundings of little comparative value. The present survey is adequate to supersede the prior survey in common areas.

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|----|--------|--------|----------|
| B. | H-1728 | (1886) | 1:20,000 |
| | H-1730 | (1886) | 1:20,000 |
| | H-1884 | (1888) | 1:20,000 |

These surveys cover the area common to the present survey. Prior and present depths are substantially in agreement. Minor differences in areas inshore can be attributed to surveying methods.

C. A submerged rock located in latitude $48^{\circ}03.74'N$, longitude $122^{\circ}17.84'W$, originating with H-1728 (1886) and not investigated by the present survey, has been carried forward. The submerged rock is charted as a rock awash and should be charted in accordance with the present survey.

With the addition noted, the present survey is adequate to supersede these prior surveys within the common area.

7. Comparison with Chart 6448, 10th Edition, March 25, 1972
6450, 20th Edition, October 14, 1972

A. Hydrography

The charted hydrography originates with the previously discussed prior surveys which require no further consideration, supplemented by partial application of the boat sheet and unverified smooth sheet of the present survey and other sources.

Attention is directed to the following:

(1) The pier charted in latitude $48^{\circ}04.62'$, longitude $122^{\circ}28.06'$ from 1965 air photography (Bp-98414) is subsequent to the present survey and should be retained on the chart.

(2) The pier charted in latitude $48^{\circ}06.27'$, longitude $122^{\circ}23.99'$ from 1965 air photography (Bp-67327) is subsequent to the present survey and should be retained on the chart.

With the exception of the above items (1) and (2), the present survey is adequate to supersede the charted information.

B. Aids to Navigation

The aid to navigation located on the present survey is in substantial agreement with the chart and adequately marks the features intended.


8. Compliance with Instructions

The survey adequately complies with the project instructions.


9. Additional Field Work

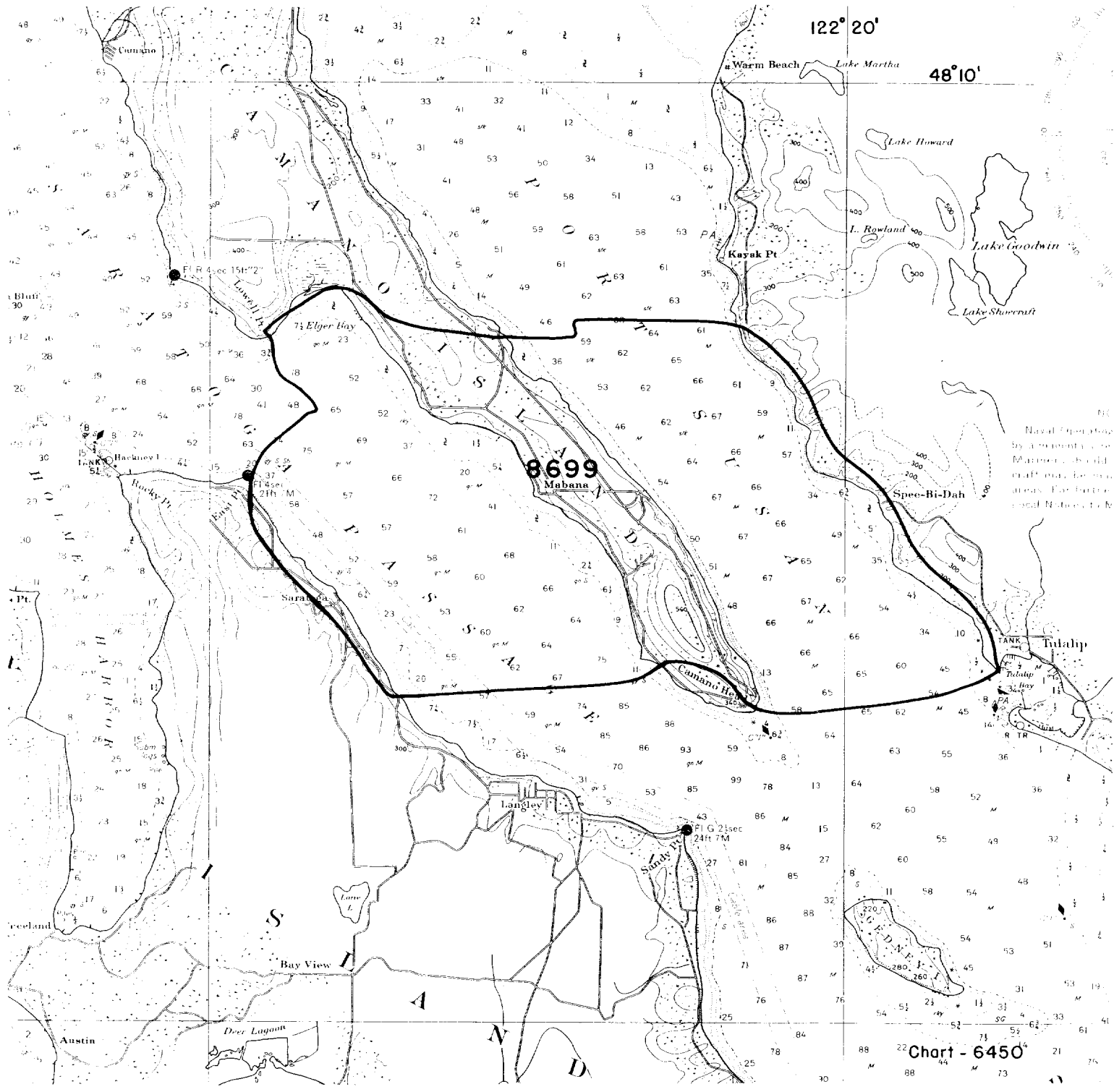
This survey is considered to be a very good basic survey and no additional work is recommended.

Examined and Approved:



Chief
Marine Surveys Division


for Associate Director
Office of Marine Surveys
and Maps



122° 20'

48° 10'

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Chart - 6450

Not to be used for navigation without the aid of a qualified person.

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NAUTICAL CHARTS BRANCH

SURVEY NO. H-8699

Record of Application to Charts

| DATE | CHART | CARTOGRAPHER | REMARKS |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|--|
| 4/24/63 | 6450 | J.L. Withers | Part applied Before ^{No critical corr.} Verification and Review ^{moved one sdg.} |
| 4/13/64 | 6401 | G.R. Johnson | Before After Verification and Review Partly App'd Examined in part thru ch 6450, drg #31 Before ^{Full} After Verification and Review |
| 11/9/64 | 6448 | J.A. McGam | Before After Verification and Review Examined only |
| 11-17-70 | 184-SC | R.S. House (ASN) | Before After Verification and Review thru Ch 6450 |
| 7/12/74 | 18443 6448 | Ray Spence | Before After Verification and Review ⁽¹⁰⁾ Before inspection |
| 4/4/75 | 6450 | J Green | Before After Verification and Review " |
| 4/4/75 | 18440 6401 | J Green | Before After Verification and Review " |
| 5/21/75 | 18423 184-SC | J Green | Before After Verification ^{Full} and Review " " |
| 5-4-77 | 18441 6450 | Hamilton | thru 6450 Full application Before After Verification and Review inspection |
| 3/26/93 | 18443 | Charles James | Full Before after Verification and Review inspection App'd DRAWING #20 |
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A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Review.