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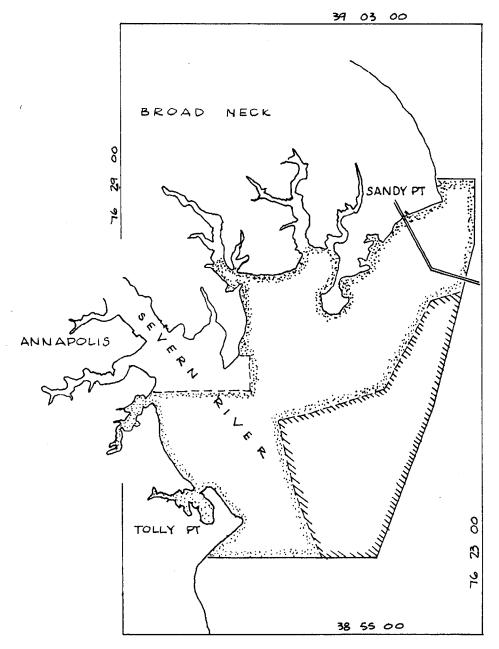
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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES ADMINISTRATION COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY H-8860 Field No. WH 10-1-65

Scale: 1:10,000 Ship WHITING

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Α. Project

Authorization for this project is given in instructions for SP-7-65, Severn River, Annapolis, Maryland, dated August 10, 1965.

B. Area Surveyed

The survey is located in the designated anchorage area in Chesapeake Bay off the entrance to the Severn River. The area extends from Tolly Point to Sandy Point and is bounded by 0 38° 56.00′ to \$4.39° 01.00′ and \$7.76° 23.00′ to \$1.76′ 29.25′.

Hydrography was begun on 18 September and ended on 26 October 1965. (1965)

The survey joins contemporary survey H-8859 (WH 5-1-65). Prior surveys are:

Registry No.	$\underline{\mathtt{Date}}$
н-2650	1903
н-5197	1932
н-5198	1932

C. Sounding Vessels

The following vessels were used during this survey:

<u>Vessel</u>	Attached to	Color Day Letter
Whiting	Whiting	purple
ML 1	Whiting	blue
ML 2	Whiting	red
ML 3	Party 245	yellew ecown
Skiff 1	Whiting	green
Skiff 2	Party 759	orange

D. Sounding Equipment

Soundings were recorded by both pole and by Ratheon DE-723 Fathometers as follows:

<u>Vessel</u>	<u>Soundings</u>	Depth Range
Whiting ML 1 ML 2 ML 3 Skiff 1 Skiff 2	DE-723 #251 #250 #262 #139 #213, pole #139, pole	19 to 50 4 to 45 4 to 15 20 to 35 4 to 25,0 to 14 4 to 30,0 to 14

Velocity corrections were obtained for the WHITING by means of simultaneous comparisons between fathometer and leadline. Squat and settlement values used were obtained November 1964 by rod and level.

Velocity corrections for launches were determined by means of bar checks which were meaned during the survey. Squat and settlement values were obtained April 1965 by rod and level. The fathometer aboard Skiff 1 was used so little that enough data was unavailable to compile accurate bar check corrections. Corrections were used from a different area where the skiff was equipped with the same fathometer. Skiff 1's flat bottom and slow speed made squat and settlement corrections negligible. Velocity corrections for ML #3 and Skiff 2 were obtained from Party 245.

See fathometer report for more detailed information.

E. Smooth Sheet

The smooth sheet will be plotted by the processing office at the Atlantic Marine Center, Norfolk, Virginia.

F. Control

Hydrography was controlled both visually using three point fixes and electronically using Hiran. The shoreline, inlets and adjacent areas were covered visually. All hydrography run by the ship was controlled by Hiran. ML 1, the only other vessel that employed Hiran, used it on September 19, 20 and 22.

Hiran calibrations aboard the ship were accomplished by comparing simultaneous electronic and visual positions on a 1:10,000 calibration sheet. Visual positions were determined with a three-point sextant fix with one check angle using triangulation stations for signals. The positions were plotted on the calibration sheet and the corresponding Hiran values read from the sheet. The differences between these values and the Hiran values read simultaneously with the three-point fix were meaned and entered as the correction to the Hiran system.

The Hiran equipment on board ML #1 was calibrated twice daily by going alongside GREENBURY POINT SHOAL LIGHT for which the Hiran distance from KENT and MORR had been computed. It became apparent that the variations between the morning and evening calibrations were partially due to reflections from the light structure. Launch Hiran was not used after September 22 not even as a navigational aid because of the excess distortion in the area around Greenbury Point Navy Radio Facility and near the Chesapeake Bay Bridge.

Hiran shore stations MORR and KENT were located on Kent Island in Chesapeake Bay. MORR is on Kentmorr Marina property on the west shore 5 miles south of Chesapeake Bay Bridge at $0.38^{\circ}54'$ 49.436, λ 76°21' 49.685. It was located by Electro-chain traverse from David Taylor Model Basin, South Base, Eccentric. Station KENT is the RM #3 of triangulation station KENT ISLAND NORTH BASE and is $\frac{1}{2}$ mile south of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge. It is located at 0.38' 58' 26.007, λ 76° 20' 28.850' by third order triangulation.

Visual signals include triangulation landmarks plotted on the boat sheet and photogrammetric signals pricked through from manuscripts T-12660 and T-12661. A photogrammetrist, Mr. Bob Tibbetts, of Photo Party 759 was assigned to the project by Washington.

G. Shoreline

(1965)

The shoreline was transferred from manuscripts T-12660 and T-12661(1965). (See review item 2)

H. Crosslines

Eight percent of the sounding lines were run as crosslines. The agreement was good, generally within one foot. There were wind-driven tides amounting to a several foot range that were not applied to boat sheet soundings. It is assumed that for smooth sheet plotting the difference between any two days of soundings will be resolved.

I. Junctions

The junction with H-8859, (1965) field no. WH-5-1-65 was very good; soundings agree within one foot.

J. Comparison with Prior Surveys

1. Presurvey review items:

- was found, but is no longer visible. There remains only an engine resting on the bottom in 2 feet and covered by 1 foot of water. It is recommended that the symbol be changed to that of a submerged wreck, dangerous to surface navigation.

 The wreck at \$\phi 38^\circ 57.9\beta(1935)\$

 The wrecks lie east of hydrographic signal OIL. The largest and relatively only important one is 100 feet long and juts about 75 feet out from, the shore into 8 feet of water at \$\phi 38^\circ 57.65^\circ N, \lambda 76^\circ 28.9\beta(1935)\$

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- (11) Neither surface nor subsurface remains could be found of the charted visible wreck located at \$93° 57.41'N, \$\lambda 76° 28.08'W. It is recommended that it be deleted. Concur Rub
- (12) The pier ruins indicated at $\phi 38^{\circ}$ 57.17'N, $\lambda 76^{\circ}$ 28.00'W extending out to a duck blind (signal FIT) are as charted. Neither surface nor subsurface remains were found of the piles 40 meters to the southeast of the condemned pier ruins. It is recommended that they be deleted.

 Pier origin-H-5198 (1932), Present survey verified existence of ruin; carried Fund Vas Pier run.

 Pile origin C/L 358/1950. Considered dispressed.

(13) The two foul areas in vicinity of φ38° 56.92'N, λ76° 27.70'W were found to be extensions of the sand spits at the entrance to Lake Ogleton. Small stones approximately one inch in diameter covered parts of the shoal.

Origin, 1951 Air Phot Revision, 2P 48762.

(14) Neither surface nor subsurface remains of the rectangular structure indicated at φ38° 59.41'N, λ76° 25.14'W were found although the area was searched thoroughly. It is recommended that it should be deleted. Existence doubtful. Concur Rub 2/38 Origin 1953 Air Photo Revision.

2. Presurvey Review - Comparison of encircled soundings

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		Location	Charted From H-5198	depth s (1932)	Surveyed	depth
1	1	φ38° 57.09'N λ76° 26.59'W		Chart pressurvey dep	ent 29 ths	An 18 sounding is 100 meters south of this position.
	2	φ38° 57.24'N - λ76° 26.32'W	18	и	19	
	3	φ38° 57.22'N > λ76° 26.67'W	18	И	1 <i>9</i>	
	4	φ38° 57.49'N λ76° 26.62'W	18	И		An 18'sounding is 100 meters East of this position
	5	φ38° 57.81'N λ76° 26.62'W	18	"	18	
	6	φ38° 57.83'N λ76° 26.39'W	18	II	18	
	7	φ38° 57.88'N λ76° 26.27'W	18	и	21/	18 A 17'sounding is 100 meters west of this Position.
	8	φ38° 57.87'N λ76° 26.59'W	17	n	18	
(1432)	9	φ38° 57.78'N λ76° 25.85'W	18	"	20 19	
Ø	10	φ38° 57.98'N λ76° 25.78'W	18	"	20 18	
•	1:1	φ38° 57.60'N λ76° 25.24'W	Disregard, prior 24 records indicate	,,	27/	29 A 24 sounding is \$ 250 meters Northwest of this position.
1	12	φ38° 59.48'N λ76° 24.12'W	leadline probably 16	"	21/	

NOTE: Reference item 11, a shoal sounding of 24 feet was recorded and proved by a development at $\phi 38^{\circ}$ 57.72'N, $\lambda 76^{\circ}$ 25.12's but not at the position indicated for item 11.

K. Comparison with the Chart

In general this survey closely agrees with the charts of the area and substantiates them. As stated in the Coast Pilot, the range of tide is small but the range of the wind-driven tides amounts to several feet. It is expected that when the recorded tides are used to reduce the soundings for the smooth sheet, many small discrepancies between different days of soundings and between the boat sheet and the chart will be resolved.

- 1. Near the entrance of Back Creek, off Chinks Point jetty at $\sqrt[6]{38}^{\circ}$ 58.20'N, $\sqrt[3]{76}^{\circ}$ 28.20'W there appears to have been some dredging as there are now depths down to 31 feet in an area charted at 6 to 10 feet.
- 2. Lake Ogleton \emptyset 38° 56.70'N, λ 76°27.80'W and Back Creek \emptyset 38° 57.90'N, λ 76° 28.70'W appear to have shoaled by 1 to 2 feet. During the survey of these two areas, it was noted that there was a wind driven tide about $1\frac{1}{2}$ feet below mean water. It is expected the soundings will agree more closely with the chart when the observed tides are applied.
- 3. The shoal below Greenbury Point, \$\alpha 38^\circ 58.09'N, \$\bigsim \lambda 76^\circ 27.43'W charted at 3 feet appears to have deepened to feet.
 - 4. The center of Whitehall Bay \$\alpha 38^\circ 59.45^\circ N, \$\lambda 76^\circ 26.17^\circ \text{shows evidence of shoaling. 11 foot soundings exist where 13 to 15 foot soundings are charted. Final reduced soundings confirm \$\lambda 2'.15' \text{charted soundings.}
 - 5. North Shoal, \emptyset 38° 59.34'N, λ 76° 26.20'W now extends northeast of North Shoal Light (F 4 sec 12 ft "2") by 0.2nm and 35 to 68 foot soundings were observed in an area of previously charted 12 foot plus soundings.
 - 6. The mouth of Meridith Creek @39° 00.05'N, \$\lambda 76° 25.55*W shows a charted sounding of 6\frac{1}{2} feet. This survey only revealed 1 to 2 foot depths, but the narrow channel could have fallen between two consecutive pole soundings.
 - 7. The two channel buoys at the mouth of Whitehall Creek \$\psi_38^\circ 59.95^\circ N, \$\lambda 76^\circ 25.77^\circ W\$ no longer adequately mark the shoals or channel. Buoy c "3" has remained in place but n "4" has moved from \$\psi_38^\circ 59.85^\circ N, \$\lambda 76^\circ 25.76^\circ W\$ to \$\psi_38^\circ 59.88^\circ N, \$\lambda 76^\circ 25.77^\circ W\$. C "3" is now in midchannel and the shoal extends southwest of N "4" 0.07nm. (See review A:4s to Navigation item 6)
 - 8. Goose Pond near Hackett Point (38° 59.50'N, 176°25.20'W deepened from the charted depth of 1 to 2 feet to 12 to 13 feet in the center. This is probably explainable by wind-blown tides and will be resolved later.

- 9. North of Chesapeake Bay Bridge at \$\psi 39^000.05'\N, \\ \lambda 76^0 23.70'\W there is a shoal of left surrounded by depths to 31 feet. The charted depth is 17 feet.
- 10. A 1/ foot sounding was observed in the center of a buoyed channel with a charted depth of 18½ feet at \$\mathre{q}\$38\circ 57.18'N, \$\mathre{\gamma}76\circ 26.47'W\$. A later development found no depths greater than an 18 foot sounding.
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 11. 5A 17 foot sounding was discovered at 0.38° 57.98'N, 1.76° 24.40"W. During the development a 1.5° foot shoal sounding was recorded at 0.38° 58.10'N, 1.76° 25.36'W. Also enother 17's punding at 0.38° 58.0', 1.76° 25.50'
- 12. A development at \$\varphi_38^\circ\$ 58.25'N, \$\lambda_76^\circ\$ 24.93'W was made to disprove a 13 foot stray recorded on the fathogram. Disposed
- 13. Two duck blinds were found. The first was east of Greenbury Point at \$\psi_38^\circ 58.72'\text{N}, \lambda 76^\circ 26.82'\text{W} in 2 feet of water. The second was off Bembe Beach near Chinks Point at \$\phi_38^\circ 57.67'\text{N}, \lambda 76^\circ 28.17'\text{W} in \$\phi_5\$ feet of water. Signals FIT \$\frac{\phi}{\text{W}} \text{G are also Deck Blinds}
- 14. Two posts in four feet of water and two feet above the surface at low water were located off Bembe Beach near Chinks Point at \$938\circ 57.44\text{N}, \$\chinks 760\circ 28.15\text{W}. Posts are Bare 2'ar MHW.}
- 15. A pole discovered in 15 feet of water and bare 2 feet at low water was located at @38° 57.28'N, #76° 27.17'W.
- 16. Four special purpose Navy buoys were located off Lake Ogleton at the following locations:

Buoy	Location		
"M" "N"	38° 57.88'N 38° 57.48" 38° 57.22' 38° 57.58'	76° 76° 76° 76°	27.59'W 27.15' 27.60' 28.02'

The buoys are cube shaped, approximately 2 feet on a side and horizontally striped orange and white.

L. Adequacy of Survey

This survey is considered complete and adequate to supercede all prior surveys.

M. Aids to Navigation

Four special purpose Navy buoys were located off Lake Ogleton at the following locations:

Buoy	<u>Latitude</u>	<u>Longitude</u>
11.0.11 11.0.11 11.W.11	38° 57.88′, 38° 57.48′, 38° 57.22′, 38° 57.58′,	76° 27.59′ 76° 27.15′ 76° 27.60′ 76° 28.02′

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The two channel buoys at the mouth of Whitehall Creek $\mbox{0.38}$ 59.95', $\mbox{0.76}$ 25.77' no longer adequately mark the shoal or channel. Buoy C"3" has remained in place but N"4" has moved from $\mbox{0.38}$ 59.85', $\mbox{0.76}$ 25.76' to $\mbox{0.38}$ 59.88', $\mbox{0.76}$ 759.77'. C"3" is now in midchannel and the shoal extents southwest of N"4" 0.07nm.

All other aids to navigation were found as indicated on charts 385 and 566. Determined positions agree closely with those given.

N. Statistics

The total area surveyed amounted to 7.8 square nautical miles, with 380.3 lineal miles of sounding lines and 31 bottom samples. Statistics for each vessel is as follows:

Vessel	No. Positions	Miles Sounding Lines	Total Miles
Whiting Launch 1 Launch 2 Launch 3 Skiff 1 Skiff 2	615 1253 104 131 660 <u>131</u>	111.0 174.1 11.5 8.0 63.2 12.5	174.6 254.8 49.5 20.0 103.4 19.0
Total	2894	380.3	621.3

O. Miscellaneous

To be completed by smooth plotter.

P. Recommendations

To be completed by smooth plotter.

Q. Reference to reports.

Title and Date Forwarded to Washington Office

Aids to Navigation Coast Pilot Report Corrections to Echo Sounding (fathometer Report) Electronic Control Photogrammetry Report

Respectfully submitted

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TIDE NOTE

The standard automatic tide gage at Annapolis, Maryland was used to record the tides during the Severn River survey. It is located in the vicinity of the powerhouse, USNA, at 38 59.1, and 76 29.2. Tides at the gage were recorded at 75 meridian time while the ship data was recorded using 60 meridian time. The plane of reference was located at 4.4 on the tide staff. No corrections for differences in time or height were applied.

A Bubbler gage was installed to back up the standard gage but valves were not used.

APPROVAL SHEET

This report is complete and adequate for the area surveyed. The report is approved and forwarded for inclusion in the Coast Pilot.

James P. Randall LCDR, USESSA Commanding

APPROVAL SHEET

The boatsheet and records for the area surveyed are complete and approved. The boatsheet and sounding volumes were examined daily during the survey.

James P. Randall LCDR ESSA-C&GS Commanding Ship WHITING

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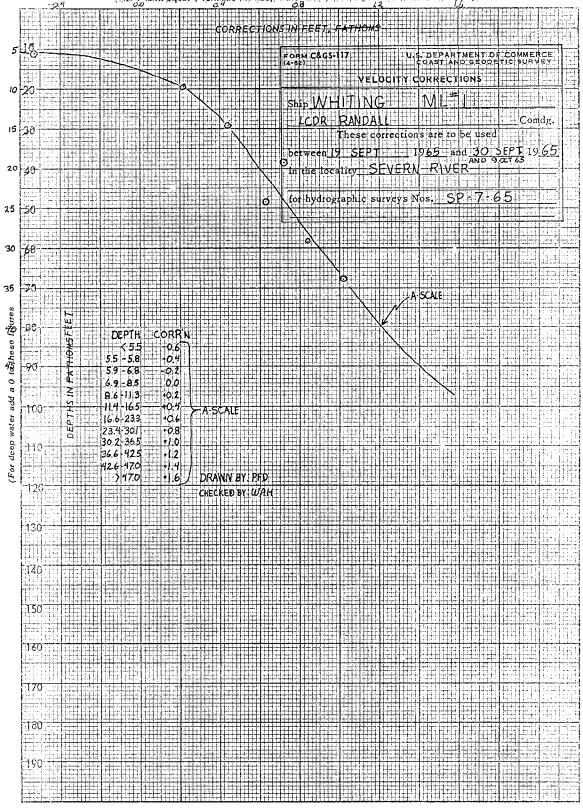
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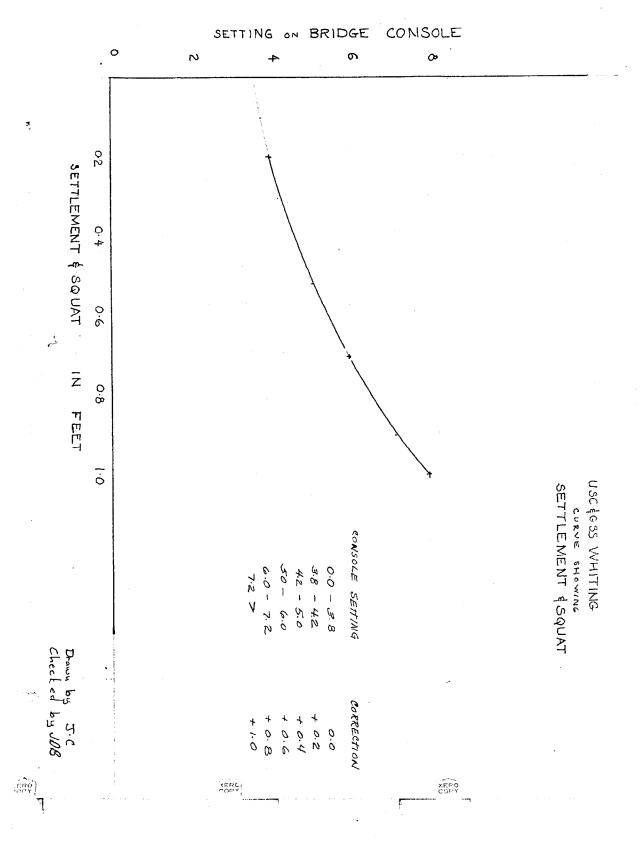
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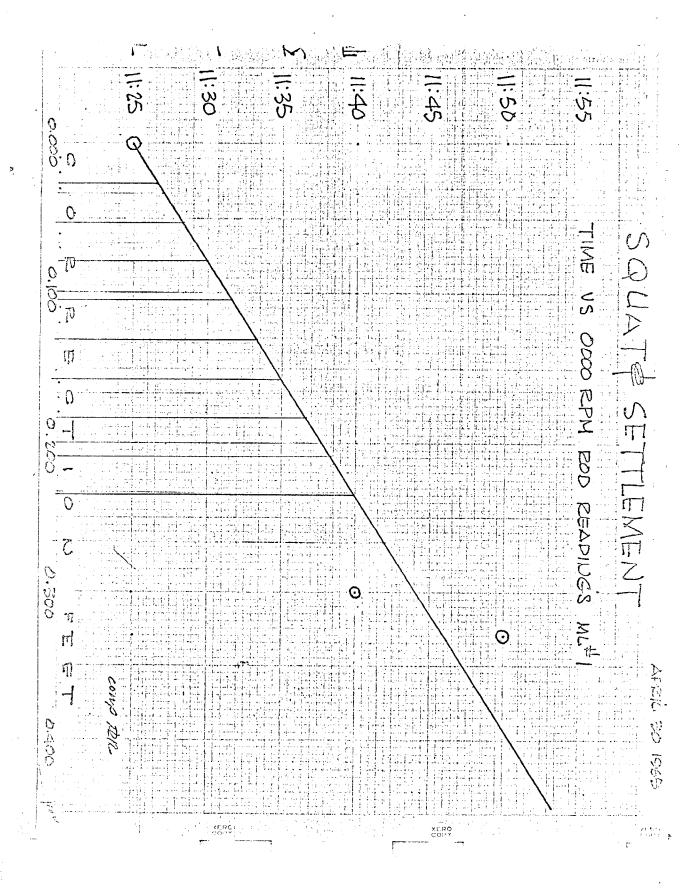
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TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

September 21, 1966

Mandal Marine Center

Plane of reference approved in 12 volumes of sounding records for

HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET 8860

Locality: Severn River, Chesapeake, Bay

Chief of Party: J. P. Randall (1965)

Plane of reference is mean low water

Tide Station Used (Form C&GS-681):

Annapolis, Maryland

Height of Mean High Water above Plane of Reference is as follows:

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A.M. Symons
Chief, Tides and Currents Branch

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Norfolk Hydrographic Processing Branch Addendum To Accompany

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY H-8860 (Wh 10-1-65)

GENERAL

This appears to be an excellent basic survey except for apparent position displacement on development lines 1 through 12 k (blue). Soundings on these lines were not plotted as they were in disagreement with surrounding hydrography.

Hugh L. Proffitt Branch Chief

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HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEYS DIVISION

HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY REVIEW

REGISTRY NO. H-8860	FIELD NO. WH-10-1-65
Maryland - Chesapeake Bay - Off Severn River	
SURVEYED: September 18 - October 26, 1965	
SCALE: 1:10,000	PROJECT NO.: SP-7-65
SOUNDINGS: Pole, DE-723 Fathometers	CONTROL: Visual Fixes on Shore Signals and Hiran
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1. Description of the Area

This is an inshore survey of the Chesapeake Bay off Severn River entrance. It extends from Tolly Point to Sandy Point and extends on the southeast to latitude $38^\circ56'00"$, longitude $76^\circ24'50"$ and on the northeast to latitude $39^\circ01'00"$, longitude $76^\circ23'00"$.

The bottom in the shoaler areas is generally mud and sand and somewhat irregular. In the deeper areas the bottom is smooth and almost entirely covered with silt.

2. Control and Shoreline

The origin of control is adequately covered in part ${\sf F}$ of the Descriptive Report.

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The shoreline originates with Class III reviewed photogrammetric manuscripts T-12660 and T-12661 of 1965 photography. Field edit has not been accomplished on these manuscripts.

Eastport Harbor Jetty Light "1" and Eastport Harbor Entrance Light "3" are shown erroneously on T-12661 as Day Bn No. 1 and 3.

3. <u>Hydrography</u>

- a. Depths at crossings are in good agreement.
- b. The usual depth curves are adequately delineated with the exception of the mean low water line which apparently falls very close to the shoreline.
- c. The development of the bottom configuration and the investigation of least depths are considered adequate except at the entrance to Meredith Creek where the channel is not developed and in Fork Creek where numerous prior soundings were retained to supplement present depths.

4. Condition of Survey

The field work, sounding records, smooth plotting, and Descriptive Report are adequate and conform to the requirements of the Hydrographic Manual.

Junctions

An adequate junction was completed with H-8859 (1965) on the northwest. Present depths on the east and south at the limit of the project are in harmony with charted depths.

6. Comparison with Prior Surveys

a. H-2402 (1898) 1:20,000

Much of this prior survey has been superseded by the subsequent surveys listed below. Comparison of the remaining portion and the present survey (deeper areas) reveals the present depths to be 2 to 6 feet shoaler than the prior depths. This difference is attributed to bottom changes and sounding methods, lead line on the prior work versus fathometer soundings on the present work. The present survey is better developed and depicts the bottom in greater detail. The present survey is adequate to supersede this prior survey in the common area.

b. H-5197 (1932) 1:20,000 H-5198 (1932) 1:10,000

Comparison of the prior and present surveys reveals changes in the shoreline and in the bottom. Most of the shoreline and adjacent depth changes are cultural while the offshore changes appear to be natural. Extensive areas throughout the survey have increased in depth by 1 to 4 feet. Others have shoaled by 1 foot. Severn River channel has shoaled by as much as 7 feet in some areas.

Several low water areas on the prior surveys have deepened as much as 1 to 3 feet from Hackett Point (latitude 39°59.50', longitude 76°25.25') to the southeastern end of Greenbury Point (latitude 39°58.50', longitude 76°27.20'). These changes are attributed to natural causes. The islet in latitude 39°59.43', longitude 76°25.17' and the high water line at Hackett Point in latitude 39°59.43', longitude 76°25.67' have eroded away. Possum Point (latitude 38°59.65', longitude 76°27.0') has receded approximately 100 meters; two nearby low water shoals in latitude 38°59.50', longitude 76°26.98', not investigated by the present survey, are considered to be no longer existent.

A noticeable change in the vicinity of latitude 39°59.75', longitude 76°24.85' has taken place in the shoreline marsh area with the appearance of several new islets and the erosion of others. These changes are attributed to the effect of the Chesapeake Bay Bridge's causeway.

East of Chinks Point the area has deepened approximately 1 foot, prior depths indicated a shoal covered 1 foot.

The entrance into Lake Ogleton has undergone quite a change since the prior surveys. A prior point of land in latitude 38°56.95', longitude 76°27.65' presently is in the location of a dredged channel of at least 4 feet.

A pile on H-5197 (1932) in latitude 39°00.33', longitude 76°23.66' was not investigated by the present survey; however, the prior survey records indicate that the pile was a signal and temporary in nature. This pile and several others in the vicinity are considered no longer existent.

The present survey did not include hydrography into Mill Creek, Whitehall Creek, or Meredith Creek as outlined in the project instructions.

With the addition of several soundings in Back Creek, Lake Ogleton, and Tolly Point, and piling, rocks, and ruins carried forward, the present survey is adequate to supersede these prior surveys in the common area.

7. Comparison with Chart 385 (latest print date July 14, 1969) 566 (latest print date July 4, 1970)

a. Hydrography

The charted hydrography originates largely with the previously discussed prior surveys and the boat sheet of the present survey which require no further consideration, supplemented by verified soundings of the present survey, numerous chart letters, Notice to Mariners, photo revisions, and the various items discussed in paragraphs J and K of the Descriptive Report.

Attention is directed to the following:

- (1) The following items were charted from the sources indicated subsequent to the date of the present survey and should be retained on the chart:
- (a) The <u>sunken wreck</u> at latitude 38°56'32.8", longitude 76°25'38" from Notice to Mariners 43 of 1967.
- (b) Numerous <u>piles</u> in the vicinity of latitude $38^\circ57'55"$, longitude $76^\circ28'53.8"$ to latitude $38^\circ57'49.5"$, longitude $76^\circ28'56"$ and three in latitude $38^\circ57'48.5"$, longitude $76^\circ28'48.2"$ from Chart Letter 1710 of 1965.
- (c) The Obstr. (fish haven) at latitude 38°59'23.5", longitude 76°24'13" from Chart Letter 1246 of 1967.
- (d) The <u>visible wreck</u> charted in latitude 38°57'42", longitude 76°29'00" from Notice to Mariners 43 of 1966.
- (e) Six piles in the vicinity of latitude $38^\circ57'42.5"$, longitude $76^\circ29'06"$ from Chart Letter 1041 of 1966.
- (2) The following items were charted from the sources indicated prior to the date of the present survey. They were not investigated by the hydrographer and should be retained on the chart.
- (a) Three <u>piles</u> in the vicinity of latitude 38°58'07.2", longitude 76°28'47" from Chart Letter 882 of 1951.
- (b) Four <u>piles</u> in the vicinity of latitude 38°58'03", longitude 76°28'47" from 1953 air photographs.

- (c) Ten piling in the vicinity of latitude 38°58'06", longitude 76°28'43" from Bp-98142 (1963 air photographs).
- (3) The low water feature and the two foul areas charted in the vicinity of latitude 38°56.92', longitude 76°27.72' from Bp-48762 (1951 air photo revision) fall in shoal depths of 1 to 2 feet on the present survey. The present survey adequately reveals the condition of the area and is adequate to supersede the charted features.
- (4) The low water spot in latitude $38^{\circ}56.82'$, longitude $76^{\circ}27.92'$ is charted from the boat sheet of the present survey and is superseded by the smooth sheet information.

Except as noted above, the present survey is adequate to supersede the charted information.

b. <u>Topography</u>

The charted topography should be revised to agree with the topography on the present survey except for items listed below.

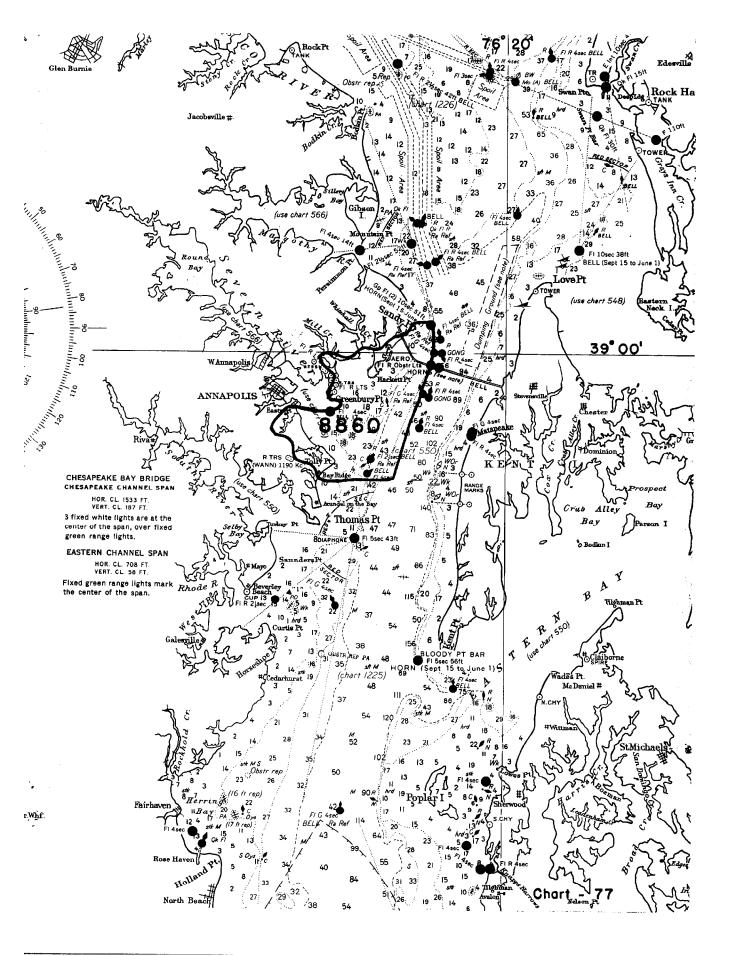
- (1) The following items were charted from 1968 air photographs (Bp-98550) subsequent to the date of the present survey and should be retained on the chart:
 - (a) A pier in latitude 38°59'19.5", longitude 76°25'15".
- (b) A shoreline change in the vicinity of latitude $38^{\circ}59'51''$, longitude $76^{\circ}25'39''$.
- (c) Several piers in the vicinity of latitude $38^{\circ}59'58"$, longitude $76^{\circ}26'00"$.
- (d) A pier-in-ruins in latitude 38"59'43.8", longitude 76°26'15".
- (e) A shoreline change in latitude $38^{\circ}56'10.8"$, longitude $76^{\circ}27'25"$.
- (f) <u>Numerous shoreline changes</u> and <u>piers</u> in and at the entrance to Lake Ogleton and Back Creek.
- (2) The following items were charted from Chart Letter 1710 of 1965 subsequent to the date of the present survey and should be retained on the chart:

- (a) <u>Numerous piers</u> and a <u>pier-in-ruins</u> in the vicinity of latitude 38°57'53", longitude 76°28'54".
- (b) Two piers in latitude $38^\circ57'45.7"$, longitude $76^\circ28'49"$ and latitude $38^\circ57'49"$, longitude $76^\circ28'49"$.
- (3) The fish nets in latitude $38^{\circ}56'48.4"$, longitude $76^{\circ}27'23.3"$ and latitude $38^{\circ}56'08.5"$, longitude $76^{\circ}27'27"$ were charted from Chart Letter 1618 of 1966 subsequent to the date of the present survey and should be retained on the chart.
- (4) The following <u>pier</u> and <u>piers-in-ruins</u> apparently charted from 1953 air photographs were not investigated on the present survey and should be retained on the chart as pier ruins:
- (a) The three piers-in-ruins in latitude $38^{\circ}59'14"$, longitude $76^{\circ}25'21.9"$.
 - (b) A <u>pier</u> in latitude 38°57'56.2", longitude 76°28'58".
 - (c) A pier-in-ruins in latitude 38°57'46", longitude 76°28'23.6".
- (d) Two piers-in-ruins in the vicinity of latitude 38°56'43", longitude 76°27'20.5".
- (e) A pier-in-ruins in latitude $38^{\circ}57'38.4"$, longitude $76^{\circ}28'24.2"$.
- (5) The <u>pier-in-ruins</u> in latitude 38°59'42.7", longitude 76°27'25" from 1963 air photographs (Bp-98142) was not investigated on the present survey and should be retained as charted.

c. Aids to Navigation

The aids to navigation located on the present survey are in substantial agreement with the chart with the following exceptions:

- (1) <u>Lake Ogleton Entrance Daybeacons</u> numbers 1 and 6 located on the present survey in approximate latitude 38°57'00", longitude 76"27'40" were changed to lights in accordance with Notice to Mariners 30 of 1966 subsequent to the date of the present survey.
- (2) <u>Lake Ogleton Entrance Daybeacons</u> numbers 7, 8, 9, and 10 in approximate latitude 38°56'50", longitude 76°27'45" were established subsequent to the date of the present survey. They are presently charted from information published in Notice to Mariners 30 of 1966.



RECORD OF APPLICATION TO CHARTS

FILE WITH DESCRIPTIVE REPORT OF SURVEY NO.

INSTRUCTIONS

A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart.

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