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NATIONAL OCEAN SURVEY

## DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

(HYDROGRAPHIC)

Type of Survey
Field No. RA-10-5-73
Office No. H=9404
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General Locality Clarence Strait
Locality Mc Henry Inlet & Approaches
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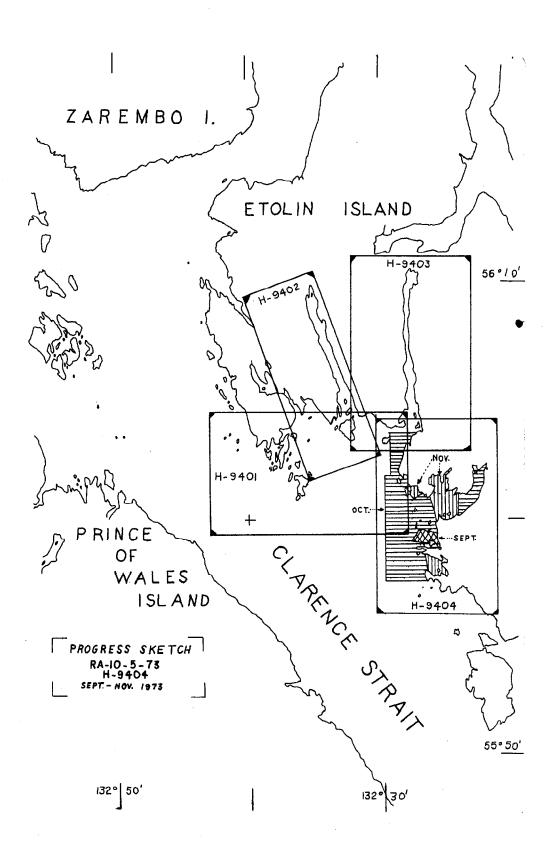
#### U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE SERVICES ADMINISTRATION COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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## HYDROGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

H-9404

INSTRUCTIONS - The Hydrographic Sheet should be accompanied by this form, filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.	FIELD NO.  RA-10-5-73
State Alaska	
General locality <u>Clarence Strait</u> , <del>Southernt Aláoka</del>	
Locality McHenry Inlet and Approaches	
Scale 1:10,000 Date of su	rvey 25 Sept8 Nov., 1973
Instructions dated 25 May, 1973 Project No.	o. OPR-465-RA-1973
Vessel NOAA Ship Rainier Launches RA-6, RA-4, A	RA-3, RA-1
Chief of party CDR. K. William Jeffers	
Surveyed by CDR Jeffers, Lt. Schiro, Ltig Hendershot,	Ltig Thorsen, Ens. Gadd
Soundings taken by echo sounder, handstrackspoker Raytheon DE723	Ens. Seymour, Ens. Stroble
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#### A. PROJECT

This survey was conducted in accordance with Project Instructions: OPR-465-RA-73, dated 25 May, 1973 and changes 1 and 2 dated 31 May, 1973.

#### B. AREA SURVEYED

This survey includes the area from the mouth of Burnett Inlet south along the coastline of Etolin Island to Kelp Point, including McHenry Inlet. It is bounded by Lat. 55°57.4'N to Lat. 56°03.6'N and Long. 132°23.5'W to Long. 132°30.3'W. The survey began on 25 Sept, 1973 (JD 268) and was completed 8 Nov., 1973 (JD 312).

Sheet size limitations of the Hydroplot system necessitated dividing the boatsheet into two parts. The western portion which includes the coastline from Burnett Inlet to Kelp Point and the mouth of McHenry Inlet was assigned field number RA-10-5A-73, and the eastern part which covers McHenry Inlet was assigned field number RA-10-5B-73.

Junction were made with the following contemporary surveys:

Registry No.	Field No.	Scale	<u>Date</u>
H-9401-w field	RA-10-2-73	1:10,000	1973 Junctions on west
H- 9403	RA-10-4-73	1:10,000	1973 Junctions on north
H-9192	PE-10-2-71	1:10,000	1971 Junctions on south

The prior surveys covering this area are:

H-3941	1:20,000	1916
H-3523 <i>H-1739</i>	1:10,000	1913
H-1739	 1:20,000	1886
H-3793 W.D.	1:40,000	1915-16

#### C. SOUNDING VESSEL

The following boats were used to obtain the soundings of this survey:

Uniflite Launch, RA-6 (2126) Bertram Launch, RA-4 (2124) Bertram Launch, RA-3 (2123) Motor Whale Boat, RA-1 (2121)

The Rainier collected bottom samples but was not used for hydrography.

#### D. SOUNDING EQUIPMENT

The following is a list of equipment used by the survey launches:

Launch	Echo sounder	Model_	€/N
RA-6	Ross	5000	1040
RA-4	Ross	5000	1042
RA-3	Ross	5000	1041
RA-1	Raytheon	DE-723	834 pas, 1000 - 1015

The TRA's used on the launches and determined for the TC/TI tapes are eas follows:

(numbers in () indicate JD those values were used)

Boat	TRA used in field	Computed TRA on TC/TI tape
RA-6 RA-4 RA-3 RA-1	5 3(311), 4(268-310,312) 4(270,276-288,298-304),	3 3(275,291,312) 4(291-312), 3(270-278)

The blanking function was employed to eliminate spurious returns, and the fathometer was internally phased and adjusted so as to have no phase correction. Phase checks were taken regularly.

The initial was checked continuously during operation and maintained near zero with the exceptions listed below for which adjustments have been made as necessary.

<u>JD</u>	Launch	Positions affected
275	RA-3	3057-3061
304	RA-6	6567–6569
305	RA-6	6779-6796

RA-6 and RA-3 have a Hydrolog system such that the depth recorded on the master tape is obtained from the digitizer and not from the fathogram, and therefore is independent of and not affected by a wandering initial on the fathogram. However, the electronic logger was pos. 3016-3087 down on RA-3 for JD275 so depths were hand logged in sounding volume No. 1. Some of the necessary corrections were made to the sounding volume data (as indicated by the red felt pen) prior to it being tensfered to tape. The rest of the corrections were made on the corrector tape as shown by the annotations on the corrector tape listing.

Bar checks were taken routinely to a depth of 7 fm. and the results were abstracted. All applicable corrections were incorporated on a TC/TI (Transducer Corrector/Table Indicator) tape for automated processing (see appendix). For further in formation on sounding equipment and corrections, refer to Corrections to Echo Soundings, OPR-465-RA-73.

E. SMOOTH BOATSHEET

The boatsheets transverse mercator projection and soundings were plotted by Rainier personnel using the onboard PDP-8e Complot system. The Control Meridian of the projection is  $132^{\circ}40^{\circ}00^{\circ}$  West Long. and the southern control latitude is 6,100,000 meters north of latitude zero. Position numbers, soundings and signals were machine plotted. The final smooth sheet will by plotted by PMC's Electronic Data Processing Branch.

Main scheme sounding lines are plotted in black ink, crosslines in red, bottom samples in green, and junction soundings in various other other colors as indicated on the sheets.

Two Houston Instrument cal comp Plotters, model DP-3 were used as a part of the Hydroplot/Hydrolog system to plot the RA-10-5-73 boatsheet supplied to PMC for verification. Certain plotting. errors were found during the field work, which although plotted and measured on a control sheet may affect the accuracy of these sheets also.

Apparent paper shrinkage and expansion was discovered and monitored throughout the survey operations. The distance between two latitudes was measured on a control sheet using a beam compass and a meter bar in mid-September, on 7 Nov., 1973, and on 16 Nov., 1973, with measurements of 37.115 cm, 37.005 cm, and 37.105 cm respectively. This shrinkage would cause soundings plotted during the latter part of the project to be shifted with respect to the latitude/longitude grid lines plotted at the start of the project. Launch data was processed and plotted daily. Signals used for visual control were plotted at the completion of the project, while the shoreline was transferred from the manuscripts shortly after the grid lines were drawn. The shrinkage was noticed only in the pen axis direction (between the perforated edges). Since the bottom sprocket wheels of the plotter are fixed and the top paper shrinkage is progressive in the +y direction (pen axis).

A spare plotter was installed in late September after the original plotter was suspected of error. After one day of use the sprocket

wheels were twisted out of alignment, and were realigned as best as possible. However, any small change in alignment or any difference in alignment between the spare and the original plotter may have caused a slight shift in the soundings.

After cleaning and maintenance, the original plotter was reinstalled for the remainder of the project. The spare plotter was used for three days.

#### F. CONTROL

This survey employed visual control for all positions taken.

Signal locations were determined by several methods, as listed in the following table.

Signal No.	Method of location
143	ASA (intersected) with a WILD T-2 From triangulation station
103,276 <i>515</i>	Resected on triangulation stations with 7-2
506-512,514,630,639	Recovered triangulation class 1
506-512,514,630,639 601-622,657,658	Photo picked and scaled from Man. T-12364 (1963-74)
all others	" " " T-00584 <i>(19</i> 63-75)

For a list of all signals and their geographic position, see appendix. Both manuscripts listed in the preceeding table were completed pending field edit in 1971. No unusual or substandard methods were employed in this survey.

Two launch-days work are recorded in sounding columns, JD275 for RA-3 in volumn no. 1 and JD269 for RA-1 in a sounding volumn submitted with the descriptive report for RA-10-2-73 (H-9401),

#### SHORELINE

Shoreline details were transferred to the boatsheet directly from the same manuscripts listed under control. Field edit of these manuscripts was accomplished and verified by ship Rainier personnel. The shoreline on RA-10-5-73 is considered adequate. For further details refer to Field Edit Report, OPR-465-RA-73.

## H. CROSSLINES

Crosslines amounted to 20.6 NM or 7.6% of the main scheme miles run. The crosslines agree well with the main scheme lines considering the very rugged nature of the bottom.

#### I. JUNCTIONS

Junctions were made with all of the contemporary surveys listed in B (area surveyed). Comparisions show very good junctions, with all soundings agreeing to within 0-1 fm.

#### J. COMPARISON WITH PRIOR SURVEYS

There are seventeen presurvey review litems within the confines of this sheet. The following table lists the latitude and longitude of these items, their confirmation and recommendation.

NO.	Zat. N	Long. W	presurvey depth (fm)	surveyed depth (fm)
1 2 3 4* 5* 6	56°00.6' 56°01.6' 56°00.8' 56°00.7'68 55°58.3'28 55°59.3' 55°59.5' 55°59.9'	132°26.5' 132°26.5' 132°24.6 132°24.43' <i>H3</i> 5' 132°28.40' 132°28.9' 132°26.3 132°29.1'	and origin 6.75 H-3941 (1916) 3.75 H-3941 9 H-3941 1412 ft. at MLLW sunken Kondu 1.75 H-3793 WD (1199) 23 H-3941 74 H-3941 25 H-3941	3.43.2 01. 1.8 2.7 0.1. 4.4 8.8 Covered I MILW., 50 2.3 7 Corried forward 1.8 fm 2.14 Carried ferward 1.8 fm 22.15-19 04 2.3 3.2 UK 28 25 06
9	56 <sup>0</sup> 00.0'	132 <sup>0</sup> 26.9'	9 <i>H-39</i> 41	6.6 8° ok
		‡ fr \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	n m H3941 n = 1.5 ft.	·

\* carried forward to H-9404

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56°00.4'37′
56°00.5'
56°00.6'
                                           30 H-3941 (1916)
10*
                        132°29.50'
                                                                         31 29 nearby
                        132°28.6'
                                           34 H-3941
                                                                          27,40 POK
11
                        132°27.5
                                           15 H.3941
12
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                        132028.6' H394/ 23 not on cht. 8160
13
       56<sup>0</sup>00.91
                                                                      15, 20.
                                                                          5.0-6.4 OK
       56<sup>0</sup>01.2'
                        132°28.7'
                                           14 H-3941
14
                                                                          2.13
                        132°29.4' (12H.) 2 H-3793WD,(1915-16)
       56<sup>0</sup>01.2'
15*
                                                                          2.6 4.5
                        132°29.3'(26ft.) 4½ H-3793 WD (1915-16)
132°29.5' 36 H-3523 (1913)
16*
       56°01.4'
                                                                          30 29 ak.
       56<sup>0</sup>02.7'
17
* Items 4,5,10,15 $ 16 carried forward to H-9404 and remain charted
      It is recommended that the depths and locations of numbers 5,6,8,
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10,12, and 15 be retained as verified. Number 4 should be investigated further, as it was neither verified nor disproved. The depths for numbers 1,3,7,9 and 16 should be changed to the least depths obtained by this survey. In several of the other presurvey review locations a least depth was obtained at a distance from the presurvey review item and is of greater importance for charting purposes, they are listed in the following table:

No.	Presurvey depth	Distance	Directions to	Least Depth
2	3.75 fm.	150 meters	S	1.37fm.
11	34 "	50 "	WSW	27 " 🗸
13	23 "	80 "	SE	15 " ~
14	14 "	100 "	NNW	5. <b>0</b> " / 3 <del>0</del> 29" /
17	36 ."	40 "	S	3829"

A 28 fm. sounding was obtained near the 36 fm. sounding south of item no. 17 on boat sheet H-9401. The junction with prior survey H-3523(1913) is poor in that many of the H-3523 recorded depths are much deeper than those obtained by this survey. However, the bottom is mud in that portion of the survey where the descrepencies accur and might be partially explained by sediment buildup over the past 60 yrs. from the heavy run off of this area.

Over/an (1916)
The junction with H-3941 is generally very good.

#### K. COMPARISONS WITH THE CHART

A comparison was made with chart 8160, NOS, scale of 1:80,000

5 August 1972. Two rocks awash that appear on the chart were not located by this survey of field edit. Their charted locations are:

1. 56°00.2"N, 132°24.3"W retained on survey
2. 56°00.8"N, 132°27.7"W retained on survey

Several uncharted dangers to navigation were found during this survey:

Depth (fm)	Position No.	Lat.	Long.
0.39	6753.	56°01.6'	132°28.6' 34 charted
0.59	6752, 1st out	56°01.7'	132°28.8' near above spage
0.58	peak after <del>7341</del> 327/	55 <sup>0</sup> 59.9'	132°27.5' × 3/4 charted
0-1-0.1 X(1)	" " 3195	55 <sup>0</sup> 59.61	132°26.7' * charted
+ (no depth) $+$ (2)	4015 p.P.	55 <sup>0</sup> 59.51	132°27.0' * charted *
-1:0-0.3	4024 3rd out new 4015 DP	- 11	
0.36	3058 peak after 1st out	55 <sup>0</sup> 59.0'	132°27.8' % charted
0.04	3064 " " " "	11	" % charted
1.65	6373 1st out	55°58.2'	132°27.1'

#### L. ADEQUACY OF SURVEY

With the four exceptions listed below this survey is complete and adequate to supercede prior surveys for charting.

- 1. The area around 56°02.0'N Lat. and 132°23.2'W Long. was ice covered and could not be broken by the launches.
- 2. As previously mentioned item no. 4 of the presurvey review from H-3941 should be more thoroughly investigated.
- 3. The area around the 11 fm. sounding at 55°59.9'N Lat. 132°29.2'W Long. should be investigated for least depth.
- 4. The holes south and east of signal 512 should be split more closely.

#### M: AIDS TO NAVIGATION

There are no floating aids to navigation or unofficial aids to navigation in the survey area.

#### N. STATISTICS

Sheet RA-10-5-73 contains 2564 positions, 271.8 NM of soundings

and approximately 10.8 sq. NM of survey area. A tabulation of statistics follows:

LAUNCH	Miles of hydro	No. of Pos.	Bottom samples
Ship		19	19
RA-1	1.4	16	
RA-3	62.7	658	10
RA-4	59.2	603	2
RA-6	148.5	1268	4
<u>RA-6</u> TOTALS	271.8	2564	35

### O. REFERENCES TO REPORTS

- Corrections to Echo Soundings, OPR-465-RA-73.
   Field Edit Report, OPR-465-RA-73.

Respectively submitted

Sydney Reed Withers, Ltjg, NOAA

#### SEPARATES FOLLOWING TEXT

Tide Note
Abstract of Positions
\*Bottom sediment data sheets (C&GS form 733M)
\*TC/TI tape listing
\*Velocity corrector tape listing
Parameters for Digital Computing (EDAT form 1)
Signal Tape listing
Parameter tape listings
Geographic names list

\* filed with Field Records

## ABSTRACT OF POSITIONS

JD	FROM/TO POS.	REJ.POS.	TYPE OF POS.	TAPE NO.
		SHIP RAINIER (	2120)	
306	0000-0005		BS	002
311	0006-0018		BS	004
		RA-1 (2121)		
269	1000-1015		Hydro	107
		RA-3 (2123)		
270	3000-3015		Hydro	308
275	3016-3087		11	309
276	3088-3174	3158-59	11	310
278	3175-3189		11	312
278	3190		DP <b>米</b> (೨)	312
278	3191-3283	3253-59	Hydro	11
288	3284-3285		BS	317
291	3286-3332		Hydro	321
298	3333-3432	<del></del>	11	324
303	3433-3530	3445-48	11	326
304	3531-3658		17	327
312	3659-3666	604 Na	BS	332
		RA-4 (2124)		
268	4000-4014	4003	Hydro	408
268	4015		DP *(2)	11
268	4016-4025		Hydro	**
268	4026	***	DP-0.8 min us-sadg.	**
268	4028-4125	4062-72,90-91,	• •	**
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269	4126-4129		DP post of alls.	409
269	4130-4156	4133-35,39,40, 46-48	Hydro	11
288	4157-4209	4173-4202	11	410
289	4210-4213		DP pas of rKs.	411
289	4214-4282		Hydro	11
290	4283-4334		tt	412
290	4335-4336		DP pos, of rKs.	11
290	4337-4349	•	Hydro	11
310	4350-4474	4353-54,4406-0		421
311	4475-4575		ıı .	422

311	4576-4577	- ·	BS	422
312	4578-4619	4597-99	Hydro	423B
312	4620-4665	462 <b>4</b>	**	423A
		RA-6 (2126)		
284	6000-6162		Hydro	606
289	6163-6246		เก้	607
289	6247-6248		DP pos. of rks.	11
289	6249-6263		Hydro	11
298	6264-6372		n'	609
303	6373-6546	6518-20	Ħ	610
304	6547-6668		11	611
305	6669-6775	6759-61	11	612
305	6776-6778	6777	BS	11
305	6779-6804		Hydro	11
306	6805-6916	6839,47-48,99	11	613
309	6917-7035		11	614
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310	7146		DP *(3)	11
311	7147-7184		Hydro	616A
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The smooth sheet has been inspected, is complete, and meets the requirements of the General Instructions for automated surveys and the Hydrographic Manual. (Note: All exceptions are listed in the Verifier's Report)

Examined and approved,

James S. Green

Supervisory Cartographic Technician

Approved and forwarded,

Walter F. Forster, Cdr., NOAA

Chief, Processing Division

Pacific Marine Center

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#### APPROVAL SHEET

H-9404 RA-10-5-73

OPR-465-RA-73

Clarence Strait, Alaska

In producing this sheet, standard procedures were observed in accordance with the Hydrographic Manual, PMC OPORDER, and the Instruction Manual for Automated Hydrographic Surveys. The data was examined daily during the execution of the survey.

The boatsheets and the accompanying records have been examined by me and are considered complete and adequate for the area surveyed and are approved.

K. William Jeffens CDR, NOAA

#### TIDE NOTE

It is recommended that the tide station established on the North shore of McHenry Inlet, Etolin Is., Alaska, at Lat  $56^{\circ}01.0$ 'N and Long.  $132^{\circ}24.0$ 'W on 14 Sept. 1973, be used to control the soundings on this survey. The gage operated on time meridian  $105^{\circ}$ W.

Predicted tides for boatsheet control were obtained from the Tide

Tables, 1973, West Coast of North and South America using the Lake Bay,

Alaska subordinate station. The tides were computer generated and

applied directly to the data during computer plotting,

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## U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NATIONAL OCEANIC AND ATMOSPHERIC ADMINISTRATION NATIONAL OCEAN SURVEY

## TIDE NOTE FOR HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET

Processing Division: Pacific Marine Center:

Hourly heights are approved for Form 362

Tide Station Used (NOAA Form 77-12): McHenry Inlet

Period: September 14 - November 8, 1973

HYDROGRAPHIC SHEET: H9404

OPR: 465

Locality: Clarence Strait, Southeast Alaska

Plane of reference (mean lower low water): 4.6 ft.

Height of Mean High Water above Plane of Reference is 15.1 ft.

Remarks: Zone direct.

James R Hulbans Javanief, Tides Branch

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The following statistics will be submitted with the cartagrapher's report on the survey

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## REGISTRY NO. <u>H-9404</u>

The Computer and Excess Sounding Cards for this survey have not been corrected to reflect the changes made to the Computer Card and Excess Card Printouts at this time of the review.

When the cards have been updated to reflect the final results of the survey, the following shall be completed:

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#### H-9404

## Information for Future Presurvey Reviews

Any future survey in this area should include:

- A. A greater detailed development of offshore and inshore shoal areas.
- B. Verification by leadline soundings of the least depths on shoals obtained by fathometer, including the following:

Sounding (fathoms)	<u>Latitude</u>	Longitude
4.2	56°00.75'	132°27.68'
3.6	56°00.70'	132°27.60'
3.2	56°00.65'	132°26.43'
5.6	56°00.33'	132°28.51'
4.4	55.58.25 <b>'</b>	132°27.48'

## Resurvey Cycle Information

Position	Index	Bottom Change	Use	Resurvey
Lat.	Long.	Index	<u>Index</u>	Cycle (Years)
555	1323	2	1	50
560	1323	2		50

## OFFICE OF MARINE SURVEYS AND MAPS MARINE CHART DIVISION HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY REVIEW

REGISTRY NO. H-9404

FIELD NO. RA-10-5-73

Alaska, Clarence Strait, McHenry Inlet and Approaches

SURVEYED: September 25 - November 8, 1973

SCALE: 1:10,000

PROJECT NO.: OPR-465

SOUNDINGS:

DE-723 Depth Recorder

CONTROL:

Sextant Angles on Shore Signals

Ross 5000 Digital Depth Recorder

Chief of Party ..... K. W. Jeffers

..... K. Jeffers ..... R. Shiro E. Seymour G. Stroble S. Thorsen

Automated Plot by ...... Gerber Digital Plotter

(PMC)

Date: November 21, 1975
ection made--survey R. H. Carstens

Cursory inspection made--survey

processing considered complete ..... Date: February 17, 1976

#### Control and Shoreline

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

The shoreline originates with class 1 (unreviewed) manuscripts T-12364 (1963-71) and TP-00584 (1963-73). The mean high water line is shown for guidance only; the true position is shown on the topographic surveys mentioned above.

#### 2. Hydrography

- Depths at crossings are in good agreement.
- The standard depth curves were adequately delineated. The lesser depth curves were not completely defined due to the foul nature of certain inshore and offshore areas.
- The development of the bottom configuration and determination of least depths are considered adequate except that more detailed investigation for least depths on the following shoals could have been desirable:

Sounding (fathoms)	<u>Latitude</u>	Longitude
4.2	56°00.75'	132°27.88'
3.6	56°00.70'	132°27.60'
3.2	56°00.65'	132°26.43'
5.6	56°00.33'	132°28.51'
4 4	55°58.25'	132°27.48'

No drift sounding was accomplished for least depth determination on submerged shoals.

## 3. Condition of the Survey

The sounding records, smooth plotting, Descriptive Report, and printouts are adequate and conform to the requirements of the Hydrographic Manual and the Instruction Manual - Automated Hydrographic Surveys except as follows:

- A. The boat sheet was the only source found for many rock positions and elevations. No recorded information for fixes was found among field edit records or hydrographic records. Considerable rock information was added to the smooth sheet during review, including rock positions taken directly from the boat sheet and revised rock elevations based on boat sheet annotations.
- B. Numerous rocks on the boat sheet were shown in color, although the source is assumed to be contemporary observations. These features properly should have been shown in black to indicate a verified feature.
- C. The position of the tide gage was not plotted on the smooth sheet.

#### 4. Junctions

Adequate junctions have been effected with H-9192 (1971) on the south and H-9403 (1973) on the north. The junction with H-9401 (1975) on the west will be discussed in the review of that survey.

#### 5. Comparison with Prior Surveys

#### A. H-1739 (1886) 1:20,000

This early reconnaissance survey of the McHenry anchorage area could not be effectively compared with the present survey due to the inadequate control and nature of the survey. The present survey is adequate to supersede this prior survey within the common area.

B. H-3523 (1913) 1:10,000 H-3941 (1916) 1:20,000

These prior surveys, taken together, cover the major portion of the area of the present survey.

A comparison of the depths between the present and prior surveys reveals differences as great as 5 fathoms which probably result from the more inaccurate surveying methods on the prior surveys in an area of steep slopes and irregular bottom. Several rocks awash, bottom characteristics, and soundings have been carried forward to supplement the present survey.

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

C. H-3793 W.D. (1915-16) 1:40,000

No conflicts exist between the present depths and the effective drag depths. Several shoal depths from the prior survey were carried forward to the present survey.

6. Comparison with Charts 17382 (8160), latest print date September 6, 1975
17420 (8102), latest print date August 31, 1974

## A. Hydrography

The majority of the charted hydrography originates with partial application of the present survey boat sheet and smooth sheet supplemented by hydrography from previously discussed prior surveys and contemporary junctional survey H-9192 (1971).

The present survey is adequate to supersede the charted hydrography within the common area.

## B. Aids to Navigation

There are no charted aids to navigation within the area of the present survey.

## 7. Compliance with Instructions

This survey adequately complies with the Project Instructions, except for determination of least depths indicated in item 2.

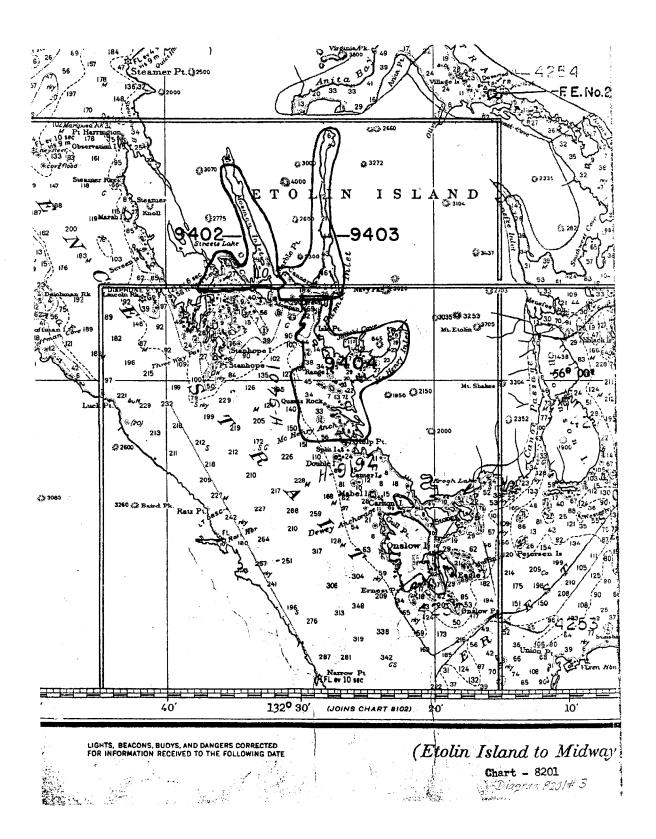
## 8. Additional Field Work

Marine Chart Division

This is an adequate survey; however, additional development for least depths on the features identified in item 2 would be desirable.

Examined and Approved:

Associate Director Office of Marine Surveys and Maps



### RECORD OF APPLICATION TO CHARTS

H-9404 FILE WITH DESCRIPTIVE REPORT OF SURVEY NO.

## INSTRUCTIONS

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

1. Letter all information.

2. In "Remarks" column cross out words that do not apply.

3. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Review.

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