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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Type of Survey

Topographic

Field No.

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LOCALITY

State

Alaska

General locality

Cannon Passage

Locality

1900

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U.S.COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY,
DR. HENRY S. PRITCHETT, SUPERINTENDENT.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT
OF THE
TOPOGRAPHIC SHEET: SCALE: 1/20,000
EMBRACING
CANNON PASSAGE
AND
CONTIGUOUS TOPOGRAPHY,
ALASKA.

BY THE PARTY UNDER THE CHARGE OF
J.F. PRATT, ASSISTANT;
SEPTEMBER, 1900.

TOPOGRAPHY BY J.F. PRATT, ASSISTANT.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT
TOPOGRAPHY OF CANNON PASSAGE,
ALASKA.

SCALE: 1/20,000.

Planetable survey by-

J.F. Pratt, Assistant.

This passage, of tidal waters, connecting Igurook Basin with Grantley Harbor, had no special and well recognized name; latterly it had been called by some of the miners "Salt River".

As it became necessary to give it a specific name it is now called CANNON PASSAGE in honor of Congressman Cannon, Chairman of the House Appropriation Committee.

As there was no geographical position to start this work with, it became necessary to execute the topography by forward telemeter-distances and then after the determination of the geographical positions fit a projection to the topography.

In general the shores of this passage are bold, with bluffs rising from the shoreline.

The "Celebrated Bluestone" Mining District lies to the southward of this passage and at the head waters of the stream by that name.



Assistant, U.S.C. & G. Survey,

Chief of Party.