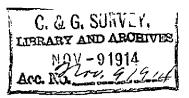
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This is a survey of Sukkwan Strait between Hetta Inlet on east, and end of 1912 survey of Sukkwan Narrows, on the west, on a 1: 10,000 scale.

The shoreline is similar to other shoreline in Southeast Alaska, as is vegetation and general appearance of the country. The shoreline was rodded in with plane-table outfit between the triangulation-stations 1908, all of which were recovered. The main channel was done with the usual care, but the region back of the large island was sketched in between scattered rod-readings, as it is not a pass, being closed to even small boats. The lake at the head of Eek Inlet was sketched by a hunting party of Officers one Sunday morning.

Sukkwan Saltery as shown on the chart, does not exist being buried beneth the debris of a landslide. The only remainder of this industry being the ruins of a house on which Arthur was located.

The stretch between \triangle Oar and \triangle Salt was composed of low outcropping rocks so that, from the sheet, the two stations are not intervisible, but in reality \triangle Salt is up high enough to see over this low land.

The creek north of old saltery is a fine trout stream and in the bay bay at the mouth is a fine crabbing-ground. A low valley extends inland several miles from here. The water is should in the head of this bay, it being tide flats for 100 or more meters.

The pass back of small island on which A Isle is located is foul

and water shoal, and should not be used by small boats. At A Fish is a long, boulder reef, the edges of which are shown, but kelp grows 50 meters or more from it.

The strait is used by all small boats, and the Stmr. "Northland" in plying between Sulzer, Hydaberg and the westward. Hydaberg is about a mile off the northern limit of the sheet and is the winter home of the Hyda tribe of Indians. During the sammer they are scattered along the west coast of Prince of Wales Island, being employed in the cannories or fishing.

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