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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Topographic

~~Hydrographic~~

Sheet No. N 6361

State FLORIDA

LOCALITY

FLORIDA KEYS

Carysfort Reef to Garden Cove
~~OCEAN SHORE OF KEY LARGE~~

~~FROM PT. ELIZABETH TO~~

~~LATITUDE 25 - 09~~

1934

CHIEF OF PARTY

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TOPOGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

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REGISTER NO. **6361**

State FLORIDA

General locality FLORIDA KEYS

Carysfort Reef to Garden Cove

Locality OCEAN SHORE OF KEY LARGO FROM PT. ELIZABETH TO LAT. 25-09

Scale 1:20,000 Date of survey DECEMBER, 19 34

Vessel FIELD PARTY NO. 14

Chief of party E.R.MCCARTHY

Surveyed by J.R.BROSNAN

Inked by J.R.BROSNAN

Heights in feet above -- to ground to tops of trees

Contour, Approximate contour, Form line interval feet

Instructions dated NOV. 17, 1933 (H.A.COTTON), 18

Remarks:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U.S.COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
R.S.PATTON, DIRECTOR

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to accompany
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FLORIDA KEYS
OCEAN SHORE OF KEY LARGO FROM PT. ELIZABETH
TO LATITUDE 25 - 09

PARTY NO. 14

E.R.MCCARTHY,
Lieut.(j.g.)C&GS,
Chief of Party.

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT
to accompany
TOPOGRAPHIC SHEET NO. "N"

AUTHORITY:

Instructions from the Director dated November 17,
1933 (H.A.Cotton).

LIMITS:

The ocean shore of Key Largo from Pt. Elizabeth
to Latitude 25 - 09, including Garden Cove.

CONTROL:

There is ample control on this sheet consisting of
(13) triangulation stations well distributed over the entire
sheet.

METHODS & CLOSURES:

Methods:

An aluminum sheet and the usual planetable methods of
traverse were used. The traverse was checked by frequent
re-sections from the offshore stations.

Closures:

	Miles	Error
Pt. Elizabeth to Mary	2.5	0
Mary to Baker	1.7	4
Baker to Tide Gauge(Garden Cove)	1.2	two pt.fix at T.G.
Upper Sound Pt. to Aliu	1.3	0

DESCRIPTION OF COAST:GENERAL:

Key Largo is a low lying coral key thickly covered with scrub and bordered on the ocean shore by a fringe of mangrove. The shoreline is rock. The section of the key within the limits of the sheet is sparsely inhabited and has little commercial value. Some lime groves have been established and there are a few winter fishing camps in the vicinity of Garden Cove. South of Garden Cove the Florida East Coast Railroad and Overseas Highway parallel each other along the center of the key.

GARDEN COVE:

During the "Florida Boom" a sub division known as Key Largo City was laid out at Garden Cove. The development collapsed and at the present time this sub division is thickly covered with scrub mangrove. During the winter months the cove is used somewhat by pleasure fishing boats.

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES:

The following names of Topographic features are well established locally and it is recommended that they be charted:

Points:

Pt. Elizabeth
Point Mary
Upper Sound Pt.

The following names are already on the chart and have been verified:

Key Largo
Garden Cove

LANDMARKS:

The list of prominent permanent landmarks within the limits of the sheet is attached.

Respectfully submitted:

J. R. Brosnan
J. R. Brosnan,
Topographer, C&GS.

Approved:

E. R. McCarthy
E. R. McCarthy, Lieut. (j.g.) C&GS, Chief of Party.

LANDMARKS FOR CHARTS

TO BE CHARTED } **STRIKE OUT ONE**
~~TO BE CHARTED~~ }

Key West, Fla.

Oct. 17, 1935

I recommend that the following objects which have ~~(these not)~~ been inspected from seaward to determine their value as landmarks, be charted on ~~(retained from)~~ the charts indicated.

The positions given have been checked after listing.

E. R. McCarthy

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Chief of Party

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This form shall be prepared in accordance with 1934 Field Memorandum, "LANDMARKS FOR CHARTS." The data should be considered for the charts of the area and not by individual field survey sheets. Information under each column heading should be given.