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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

## **DESCRIPTIVE REPORT**

Topographic Hydrographic

Sheet No.E.F.G.& H.

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State Florida

LOCALITY

Indian River and Vicinity

Titusville

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CHIEF OF PARTY

F. L. Gallen

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#### DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

To Accompany Topographic Sheets Nos. E, F, G, & H.

Indian River, Florida

## INSTRUCTIONS

The work on these sheets was performed in accordance with instructions dated October 16, 1939, for project HT-243.

LIMITS

Sheets E, F, G, and H cover both shores and the water area of the Indian River from triangulation stations N.S., U.S.E. 1940, on the wast side and Nels, 1940 on the east side, southward to Lat. 28 30. The work on sheet E. was a revision survey of previous air photo surveys in 1928. In several instances on this sheet, as will be noted from the breaks in the blue shoreline, the previous shoreline, in black, with the breaks in the blue shoreline, the previous shoreline, in this efficiently accurate so as not to warrant revision. In this efficient work on sheets F and G and H cover an area of the river which was shoreline of not included in the 1928 air photo survey of this region.

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## GENERAL DESCRIPTION

The character of the shore on the east side of the river throughout the extend of these sheets is largely a low marshy type with numerous small, shallow, enclosed ponds. On the west side of the river the shore rises abruptly from a shore beach to land of sufficient elevation that drainage and cultivation are possible.

### LANDMARKS

Form 567, "Landmarks for Charts" has been filled out and is sub-chart Letter mitted as a separate report. The landmarks submitted are the only ones of sufficient prominence to aid navigation on the intracoastal waterway.

## CONTROL

The control for these sheets was obtained from second order triangulation of the 1940 season.

### SURVEY METHODS

Hydrographic signals were located by three or more cuts with planetable from the existing control stations, with the exception of a traverse run in Moore Creek on sheets G and H. This traverse was not adjusted. Using triangulation stations and located hydrographic signals the shoreline was rodded in.

## COMPARISON WITH PREVIOUS SURVEY

From shoreline revision on sheet E it was found that air photo

work of 1928 was in fair agreement on the west side of the river, but on the east side there were differences which necessitated revision. The locations of Titusville bridge and docks were changed and from the construction of a boat basin and a channel to it in Titusville, considerable changes will also be noted. The bank of sand below Titusville bridge is location of new bridge.

## DEPARTURE FROM GENERAL PRACTICE

The shoreline on sheet G from Nana, 1940 south to a point 1150 meters below Mid, 1940, was run on the main projection of the sheet. It was transposed with the existing signals for control of Moores Creek, on the insert.

## GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

See special report on geographic names, which covers all work of this season.

## MAGNETICS

Magnetic observations were observed on each sheet in accordance with specifications.

## STATISTICS

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Submitted by,

Glenn C. Wright Deck Officer

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Chief of Party

## PLANETABLE POSITIONS

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## DIVISION OF CHARTS

## SURVEYS BRANCH

REVIEW OF TOPOGRAPHIC SURVEY

6823a&b REGISTRY NOS. 6824a&b Field Nos. E.F.G & H

Florida, Indian River, Titusville to Moore Creek Surveyed February - March 1941; Scale 1:10,000 Instructions dated October 16, 1939

## Plane Table Survey

Aluminum Mounted

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Chief of Party - F. L. Gallen
Surveyed by - G. C. Wright
Inked by - G. C. Wright
Reviewed by - R. H. Carstens
Inspected by - H. R. Edmonston, January 11, 1943

## 1. Adjoining Surveys

T-6823 (1941) joins T-6822 (1941) on the north and T-6824 (1941) on the south. T-6824 joins T-6825 (1941) on the south.

## 2. Comparison with Prior Surveys

a. T-1422 (1875-76) 1:20,000 T-1435 (1876) 1:20,000

The present survey is in good agreement with these prior surveys with respect to the shoreline. There are some differences of 30-40 meters along the marshy east side of the river which are probably due to the scanty control and the sketching on the earlier surveys. The present survey is considered adequate to supersede these earlier surveys within the common area.

## b. <u>T-4531 (1928) 1:20,000</u>

The agreement with the shoreline of this air photographic survey is good. Differences of 20-40 meters along portions of the east shore of the river are probably due to the control adjustment on T-4531. There have been a few changes in the docks and shoreline at Titusville since the prior survey was made. The present survey is adequate to supersede the earlier survey with respect to shoreline features. Cultural features from T-4531 should be retained.

### Comparison with Chart 844 (latest print date 5-20-42) 3. 1245

#### Topography a.

The charted topography originates with the present survey and is correctly charted on chart 1245. Some of the docks in the vicinity of Titusville on chart 844 have not been charted. and certain docks not now in existence have been retained from older surveys. The shoreline in Lat. 28°30.5'; Long. 80°43.8' is not charted in agreement with the present survey. These areas should be corrected on chart 844.

#### þ. Magnetic Meridians

The survey values of the magnetic meridians are in accord with the charted values.

#### C. Aids to Navigation

The survey positions of the aids to navigation are in agreement with their charted positions and notations.

#### 4. Condition of Survey

Satisfactory.

#### 5. Compliance with Instructions for the Project

Satisfactory.

#### 6. Superseded Surveys

T-1422 (1875-76) in part

T-1435 (1876)

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Examined and approved:

Chief. Surveys Branch

Division of Charts Chief.

Applying Chief, Section of Hydrography Chief, Division of

Coastal Surveys

## TOPOGRAPHIC TITLE SHEET

The Topographic Sheet should be accompanied by this form, filled in as completely as possible, when the sheet is forwarded to the Office.

Field No. E & F

## REGISTER NO. T6823 a & b

State Florida
General locality <u>Indian River</u>
Locality Titusville and vicinity
Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey Feb. March , 1941
Vessel Launches MITCHELL & OGDEN
Chief of party F. L. Gallen
Surveyed byG, C. Wright
Inked by G. C. Wright
Heights in feet above to ground to tops of trees
Contour, Approximate contour, Form line interval feet
Instructions datedOct. 16, 1939
Remarks: One aluminum mounted sheet, both sides used

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Field No. G & H

REGISTER NO. T6824 a & b

State Florida

General locality Indian River

Locality Moore Creek and vicinity

Scale 1:10,000 Date of survey Feb. & March 19.41

Vessel Launches MITCHELL & OGDEN

Chief of party F. L. Gallen

Surveyed by G. C. Wright

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