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U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Type of Survey Air Photo. Compilation Field No. 65 Office No. T-8167
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LOCALITY
State Virginia
General locality Outer Coast
Locality Mappsville
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CHIEF OF PARTY Lieut. Comdr. Kenneth G. Crosby

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DATE August 22, 1946

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DATA RECORD

T- 8167

Quadrangle (II): Mappsville

Project No. (II): CS-278-C

Field Office: Salisbury, Md.

Chief of Party: F.L.Gallen

Compilation Office: Tampa, Flachief of Party: K. G. Crosby

Instructions dated (II III): 3-4-42

Copy filed in Descriptive Report No. T- (VI)

Completed survey received in office: ///30/42

Reported to Nautical Chart Section: 11/30/42

Reviewed: 2/9/43

Applied to chart No.

Date:

Redrafting Completed: 4/43

Registered: 8/46

Published: 9/16/43

Compilation Scale: 1:20,000

Published Scale: / 3/, 680

Scale Factor (III): 1:00

Geographic Datum (III): N. A. 1927 Datum Plane (III): M. S. L.

Reference Station (III): CONQUEST 1932

Lat.: 370521 17. 361 (535.3 m) Long.: 750 33: 33. 864 (827.7 m) d justed

State Plane Coordinates (VI):

1 Virginia South Zone.

X = 2,848,719.05 Feet

Y = 573,249.59 Feet

Military Grid Zone (VI) "A"

PHOTOGRAPHS (III)

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Tide from (III): Predicted tides, Metomkin Inlet, Va.

Mean Range: 3.7 ft. Spring Range: 4.5 ft.

Camera: (Kind or source) U.S.C. & G. S. Nine lens (focal length $8\frac{1}{4}$ ")

Field Inspection by: C.Silver, S.C.Dionisio, H. M. date: May 1942 Eldridge, Photogrammetric Aids

Field Edit by: Wendell Bever, Photogrammetric Aid date: Dec. 1942

Date of Mean High-Water Line Location (III): April 18, 1942.

Projection and Grids ruled by (III) Washington Off. date: 9/14/42

" " checked by: date:

Control plotted by: C.A.Pauw, Sr. Engr. Aid date: 9/16/42

Control checked by: E.L.Maxwell, Deck Officer date: 9/16/42
A.L.Kidwell, Jr. Topo. Engr.

Radial Plot by: Tampa Office Personnel date: 9/17/42

Detailed by: M.M.Slavney, Sr. Engr. Draftsman date: Sept. Nov. 1942

Reviewed in compilation office by: L.C.Bonham, date: Nov. 1942: Photo. Aid.

Elevations on Field Edit Sheet checked by: Wendell Bever, Photogrammetric Aid date: Dec. 1942

STATISTICS (III)

Land Area (Sq. Statute Miles): 54

Shoreline (More than 200 meters to opposite shore): 41.2

Shoreline (Less than 200 meters to opposite shore): 75.0

Number of Recoverable Topographic Stations established: 4

Number of Temporary Hydrographic Stations located by radial plot: 2

Leveling (to control contours) - miles: 68.2

Roman numerals indicate whether the item is to be entered by, (II) Field Party, (III) Compilation Party, or, (VI) the Washington Office.

When entering names of personnel on this record give the surname and initials (not initials only).

Remarks:

General Procedure in the Production of Topographic Quadrangles for the War Department

This quadrangle, together with similar adjoining maps produced under Project. C.S.278-C, was prepared by the Coast and Geodetic Survey for the War Department under "General Specifications for War Department Mapping Program" issued about December 1941, in which is incorporated the "Standard of Accuracy for a National Map Production Program" issued by the Bureau of the Budget under date of June 10, 1941.

The general procedure in the production of this and the adjoining quadrangles was:

FIELD SURVEYS

Aerial photography with the Coast and Geodetic Survey nine-lens camera, with airplane and flight crew furnished by the U. S. Coast Guard. The photographs were taken to the scale of 1:20,000.

Ground inspection of the photographs for identification of control points, and classification and clarification of planimetric details on the photographs.

Contouring by planetable directly on the photographs. Supplementary vertical control was established by means of an extensive subordinate level net, furnishing unmarked elevations at road intersections, driveways, and numerous other points identifiable on the photographs.

COMPILATION OF MANUSCRIPT

Compilation on the map manuscripts by radial plot methods (celluloid hand templets) of all planimetry and contours. These manuscripts were drawn on the scale of 1:20,000 on celluloid sheets on which polyconic projections had been ruled with the Projection Ruling Machine in the Washington Office. Compilation was accomplished in the Exitingram Tampa Photogrammetric Office.

FIELD EDIT

Comparison of a copy of the manuscript with the ground. This included inspection for completeness and accuracy as well as the location by planetable methods of additional details, checking of nautical and aeronautical aids to navigation, etc.

Accuracy Tests - Application of systematic horizontal and vertical accuracy tests to check the maps for conformity with the specifications. These tests consisted of comparison of the map position and elevation of selected random points with the true position and elevation as independently determined by standard survey methods.

PROCESSING IN THE WASHINGTON OFFICE

Review - Examination of the manuscript for accuracy and completeness of compilation and compliance with specifications, correcting where necessary; addition of military and state grids and other special features; and verification of the general adequacy of the manuscript as a basis for the production of a finished map.

Drafting and Reproduction - Preparation of smooth color separation drawings on 1:20,000 scale on metal-mounted "blueline" copies of the manuscript. From these drawings, negatives and printing plates were prepared for reproduction of the finished map on the scale of 1:31,680 or 1:25,000.

COMPILATION REPORT TO ACCOMPANY SHEET NO. T-8167 Mappsville Quadrangle

CONTROL

There was adequate control on this sheet and with one exception all control could be held on the radial plot.

Station "Kegotank Bay House" was shown on field print 4-154 as a triangulation station. This is probably an error as no geographic position was available for this station. The position of this station determined by the radial plot is shown on Form 524. This form should be completed by the field party. There is a confusion of names here Triangulation Station Regulation Bay House with galleries E. of Bay, So. Chimney 1909 is listed in S. P. of Virginia, page 125-125 than the station shown on Form 524 is a different Station.

Station SHACK ON PILES (Center), KECOTANK BAY plotted on the sheet from

the geographic position furnished by the Baltimore Office. The station was picked on the sheet by radial plot at a point 400 meters east by southeast of the geographic position. Sextant fixes, although poor, check the radial plotted position fairly well. This position with sketch is listed on Form 524. This form should be completed in the field. It is suggested that the field location of this station be investigated.

RADIAL PLOT

Discussion of the radial plot which included this sheet is made a part of the Descriptive report for sheet T-8165.

DETAILING

The photographs from which this sheet was detailed were only fairly clear. The photographs in the southern half of the sheet were in better scale than those in the northern half, but none were very good.

SUPPLEMENTAL DATA

No graphic control surveys by this Bureau, or maps or plans by other organization were used to supplement the photographs.

LANDMARKS AND AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Two lights, Red Beacon #4 and Red Beacon #6 Kegotank Bay were located by triangulation in 1934 and are shown on present issue of nautical charts of this area.

HYDROGRAPHIC CONTROL

Four permanent recoverable and two temporary topographic stations suitable for the control of hydrographic surveys fall on the sheet. The geographic positions of these stations determined by radial plot are listed on Forms 524.

COMPARISON WITH EXISTING TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLES

This sheet was compared with the Hallwood, Md.-Va. Quadrangle published by the Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, and used by this Bureau as a

Geographic Name Sheet. No major discrepancies were noted.

COMPARISON WITH NAUTICAL CHARTS

This sheet and U.S.C.& G.S. nautical Chart No. 1221 (Scale 1:80,000) published June 1937, compare fairly well, taking into consideration the difference in scale.

The map compilation should supersede the charted information.

Respectfully submitted,

Milton M. Slavney Sr. Engr. Draftsman

Forwarded by:

FIELD EDIT REPORT Quadrangle T-8167 Project CS-278-C F. L. Gallen, Chief of Party

- 1. The greater part of this quadrangle covers the mainland proper with the eastern edge bordering the Atlantic Ocean. Wooded and cultivated land is equally distributed over the area. Marshland is abundant.
- 5. By means of a hand level four elevations were spotted on dunes along the coastal bar bordering the Atlantic Ocean. These elevations are not stable and will vary from time to time. These dunes are unstable shifting both horizontally and vertically.
- 12. The triangulation station, SHACK ON PILES, KEGOTANK BAY, was shown as recovered by the original field party. When a later investigation of this station was made it was found to be destroyed. Apparently the original field party recovered the wrong shack on piles, however the new shack on piles was correctly located on the map manuscript and can be used as an H & T station.

The radial plotted position of station KEGOTANK BAY HOUSE, SOUTH CHIMNEY (referred to in the Compilation Report under the heading "control" as "Kegotank Bay House") was checked with a plane table in the field and the position was found to be correct. Forms 524 are submitted with this report for these stations.

- 17. Political boundaries were obtained from maps issued by the Virginia State Roads Commission and were verified in the field.
- 46. Field edit consisted of visual inspection of the area. Where necessary, taped distances were used in location. All additions, deletions and corrections were made on the map manuscript and later transferred to the smooth copy after the field work had been accomplished.

The inking on the field edit sheet was done in accordance with the following scheme:

FEATURES	COLORS
Additions, elevations, classification Deletions	Black Graen
Political boundaries.	Purple

47. The location of the detail is believed to be accurate and complete.

48. For horizontal accuracy tests refer to sheets T_8159 and T-8152.

For vertical accuracy tests refer to sheet T-8166. Both sheets were contoured by H. M. Eldridge.

Submitted by

Wendell Bever, Wendell Bever, Photogrammetric Aid

Approved

F. L. Gallen,

Chief of Party

GEOGRAPHIC NAME LIST FOR QUAD. T-8167

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RECORDS

Between January, 1942 and July, 1944, this Bureau completed 323 quadrangles. These maps have been published, or are in the process of being published on scales of 1:31,650 or 1:25,000. This series of quadrangles includes a land area of approximately 15,000 square miles. Incident to this work, a considerable volume of survey records and data has accumulated which will be filed for future reference. This material is filed as follows:

Registered and Filed in the Vault

published quadrangle at 1:20,000 scale. Black and white cloth-mounted copy of the/map manuscript. This copy is filed to preserve original survey detail shown on the manuscript at 1:20,000 scale which may not have been shown on the published sheet. For political boundaries, woodland, march, and (wamp-limits, refer to the published quadrangle for the finally adopted positions, outlines.

Descriptive Report.

Nautical Charts
Filed in the Photogrammetric Section - Surveys Branch

Field inspection photographs.

Contoured photographs (on which planetable contouring work was performed.)

Field edit sheet.

Descriptions of recoverable topographic stations (Form 524), filed in Reviewing Unit.

Supplementary traverse and level records.

Field notes, computations, lists of positions, and tabulations of results of horizontal and vertical accuracy tests.

Reproduction proof.

Correction sheet (copy of quadrangle showing in red changes to be made when next printed.)

Check lists of work performed on each sheet in the Washington Office during review, drafting, edit, and reproduction.

Original celluloid manuscript.

Copies of specifications and all instructions to field parties and field offices.

Filed in Reproduction Branch

Glass negatives of the color separation drawings.

Filed in the Library

Special report on field work by Commander K. T. Adams, 1944.

Special report on office work by B. G. Jones, 1944.

Season's report on field work by Commander F. L. Gallen, 1944.

--Season's report on field work by Commander R. L. Schoppe, 1944.

Delivered to the Army Map Service in accordance with the contract

Film negatives and film positives of the color separation drawings.

All color separation drawings.

Original celluloid manuscript.

A correction sheet consisting of a copy of the first edition of the quadrangle with notes in red indicating changes desirable at the next printing.

DIVISION OF CHARTS

SURVEYS BRANCH

REVIEW OF AIR PHOTOGRAPHIC SURVEY T-8167

MAPPSVILLE QUADRANGLE

This quadrangle manuscript has been examined for completeness, accuracy, and conformity with the specifications. It is adequate for smooth drafting, reproduction and publication. Revisions found to be
necessary in this office are discussed on the next page.

Horizontal and Vertical Accuracy Refer to pages 3 and 4 of the Descriptive Report for quadrangle T-8159 for a copy of the results of the nearest horizontal accuracy test.

The nearest vertical accuracy test was performed on the field edit sheet for quadrangle T-8166.

Previous Surveys

This manuscript has been compared with the following previous topographic surveys of this Bureau and other agencies. This map is satisfactory to supersede the previous surveys over the common area.

T-378	1:20,000	1851	
T-492	1:20,000	1861	
T-3094	1:20,000	1910	
T-4914	1:20,000	1934	
T-5194	1:20,000	1934	
Hallwood	1:62,500	1919	U.S.E.

Comparison with Nautical Charts Nog. 1221

The manuscript has not been applied to the charts at the date of this review. The following comments are pertinent to the compilation and correction of nautical charts:

A small island to the south of Gargathy Inlet should be added to the chart when the chart is revised.

The following revisions of the map manuscript were found to be necessary and were accomplished as a part of this review:

The position of two topographic stations (Jug, 1942, and Tom, 1942) in respect to the U.S. Coast Guard telephone line as shown on the published quadrangle does not agree with the Form 524 cards submitted at the time of the field work. The position of the telephone line as shown on the quadrangle was determined by the field edit party in December, 1942, and may be a new location. The positions of these stations have not been changed on the quadrangle but should be used with caution. Officers is very

small . pgg

Reviewed 2/9/43 By Feter Yerr under direction of D. H. Benson parg. N.S.

Inspected by B. G. Jones BJ goves 8/46

Examined and approved:

Chief, Burveys Branch

Chief, Topography Section

Chief, Div. of Charts Muligrammy

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NAUTICAL CHARTS BRANCH

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Record of Application to Charts

DATE	CHART	CARTOGRAPHER	REMARKS
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A basic hydrographic or topographic survey supersedes all information of like nature on the uncorrected chart. Give reasons for deviations, if any, from recommendations made under "Comparison with Charts" in the Review.

