U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY.

D. M. Thorne, Superintendent.

State: Oregon

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT.

Topographic Sheet No. 1806

LOCALITY:

Astoria and Vicinity

1887.

CHIEF OF PARTY:

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Resurvey of
Astoria and Vicinity

Oregon

Description of
And Topographical Sheet

on a Scale of 10,000
1887

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This work was commenced at the upper or East end on August 23rd and completed at the lower or West end on September 1st.

Of the four triangulation stations given on the tracing of the original survey furnished by the Office, but one "Shortis' House" could be unquestionably identified. The bluff on the edge of which "Upper Astoria" was located but slid off considerably but as the locality has never been cultivated undoubtedly a portion of the signal was found. All traces of "Astoria Flagstaff" have disappeared. Without doubt "Astor Point" was located within a foot or two. Mr. Louis Wilson an old resident of Astoria and for some years Coast Survey tidal observer there said that he remembered exactly how the street line and improvements
covered this station a companion of the existing street lines with those of 1868 corroborate his statement.

The work should be oriented by the stations "Shortis' House" and Astor Point.

The contours are principally taken from a tracing of the survey by C. Rockwell and in 1868:

About one fourth of the city proper is built on piles, over the water at high tide, including about one half of the business portion.

The principal industry of Astoria is its Salmon Cannery.

Without explanation the topographical sheet would indicate from the numerous wharves that there is or has been an enormous amount of shipping.

Twenty-nine of the most prominent wharves are numbered.
in pencil on the original sheet and are as follows,

1. Scandinavian Packing Co
2. Eagle Canning Co
3. Anglo American Cannery
4. W. D. Smith's Cannery
5. J. O. Hanthorn & Co's Cannery
6. Fishermen's Packing Co
7. White Star Packing Co
8. Astoria Box Factory
9. Point Adams Packing Co
10. Buol & Co's Cannery
11. A. Broth & Co's Cannery
12. West Coast Packing Co
13. Occident Packing Co
14. Columbia Packing Co (W. I. Coleman & Co)
15. Pacific Union Packing Co
16. IXL Packing Co
17. Clatsop Mill Co (Steam Mill)
18. John A. Devlin (Cannery)
20. G. W. Humie's Cannery
(22) Steamboat Dock
(23) M. J. Kinney's Cannery
(24) Joseph Hume Cannery
(25) J. C. Tullinger's Saw-mill
(26) Cutting Packing Co.
(27) Samuel Elmore's Cannery
(28) Washington Cannery
(29) Thistle Packing Co.

March 20, 1888.

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