

8910

Diag. Cht. No. 1116-2

Form 504

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DESCRIPTIVE REPORT

Type of Survey Photogrammetric Shoreline

Field No. _____ Office No. T-8910
Project NO. ph-14(46)

LOCALITY

State Louisiana

General locality Gulf Coast Intracoastal Waterway

Locality 7th Ward Canal to Isle Marrone Canal

1947

CHIEF OF PARTY

Ross A. Gilmore, Chief of Field Party
Thos. B. Reed, Baltimore Photo. Office

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DATE

July 16, 1951

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DATA RECORD

T- 8910

Quadrangle (II):

Project No. (II): PH-14(46)

Field Office:
Morgan City, Louisiana

Chief of Party: R. A. Gilmore

Compilation Office:
Baltimore, Maryland

Chief of Party: Thos. B. Reed

Instructions dated (II III):
PH-14(46)-Field (no date)Copy filed in ^{Div.} Descriptive
Report No. T- (VI)
Photogr. office files

Completed survey received in office: 9/27/48

Reported to Nautical Chart Section: Sept. '48

Reviewed: 6/18/49 Applied to chart No. 883 Date: 4/5/50
July 26, 1950Redrafting Completed: July 1950
(partial)

Registered: 6/22/51

Published: —

Compilation Scale: 1:10,000

Published Scale: —

Scale Factor (III): 1.000

Geographic Datum (III): N.A. 1927

Datum Plane (III): MHW

Reference Station (III): TT 67 L, 1932 (USGS)

Lat.: 29° 50' 43.44" (1337.6m) Long.: 92° 17' 47.67" (1279.6m) Adjusted
~~Unadjusted~~

State Plane Coordinates (VI): Louisiana, South

X = _____

Y = _____

Military Grid Zone (VI)

PHOTOGRAPHS (III)
90th meridian

<u>Number</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Scale</u>	<u>Stage of Tide</u>
18582 *	11-23-46	1437	1:10,000	0.1' MLW
18583 °	11-23-46	1437	1:10,000	0.1' MLW
18584 *	11-23-46	1438	1:10,000	0.1' MLW

* Field and office photographs

Tide from (III): Predicted Tide Tables, Atlantic Ocean 1946, Reference Station Galveston, Texas with corrections to Weeks Bay, Vermilion Bay.

Mean Range: 1.1 Spring Range: Diurnal 1.5

Camera: (Kind or source)
U.S.C. & G.S. Nine Lens Camera, 8 1/4" Focal length

Field Inspection by: Harold A. Duffy, B. Locke date: 5 July, 26 Sept. 1947

Field Edit by: *None* date: —

Date of Mean High-Water Line Location (III):
Same as date of photographs supplemented by field inspection

Projection and Grids ruled by (III) W.E.W. date: 5/20/48

" " " checked by: W.E.W. date: 5/20/48

Control plotted by: unknown (Washington Office) date: unknown

Control checked by: unknown (Washington Office) date: unknown

Radial Plot by: Roscoe J. French date: 12 July 1948
E. H. Ramey

Detailed by: John C. Richter date: 27 July 1948
2 Sept. 1948

Reviewed in compilation office by: J.W. Vonasek date: 16 Sept. to
20 Sept. 1948

~~Elevations on Field Edit Sheet~~
~~checked by:~~ ~~date:~~

STATISTICS (III)

Land Area (Sq. Statute Miles): 8

Shoreline (More than 200 meters to opposite shore): None

Shoreline (Less than 200 meters to opposite shore): 18.5

Number of Recoverable Topographic Stations established: none

Number of ^{photo hydro} ~~Temporary Hydrographic~~ Stations located by radial plot: none

Leveling (to control contours) - miles:

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

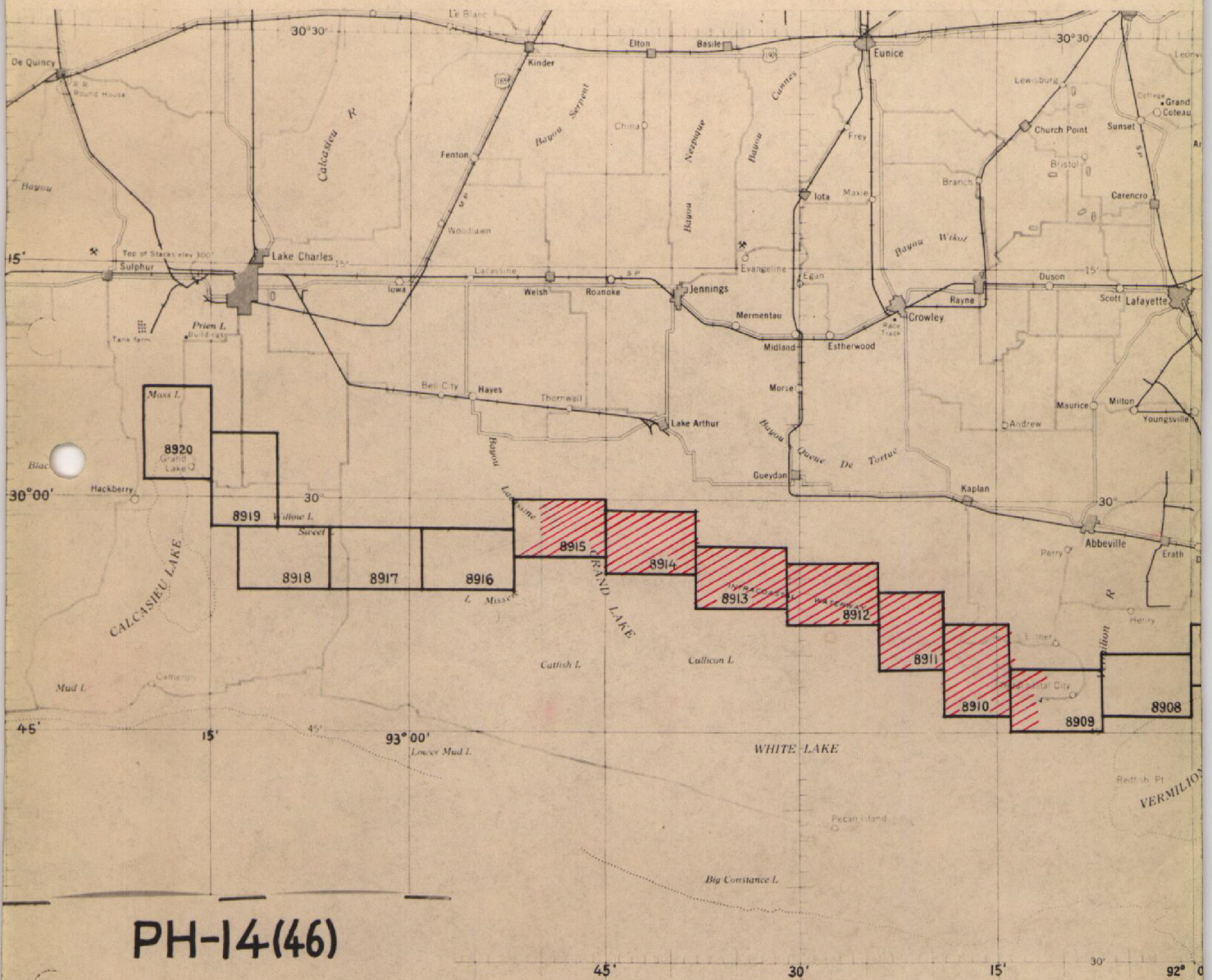
When entering names of personnel on this record give the surname and initials (not initials only).

Remarks:

MAP T-8912 ✓ PROJECT NO. Ph 14 (46) SCALE OF MAP 1:10,000 SCALE FACTOR 1:0.00

STATION	SOURCE OF INFORMATION (INDEX)	DATUM	LATITUDE OR Y-COORDINATE LONGITUDE OR X-COORDINATE		DISTANCE FROM GRID IN FEET. OR PROJECTION LINE IN METERS		Tolerance	N.A. 1927-DATUM DISTANCE FROM GRID OR PROJECTION LINE IN METERS		FACTOR DISTANCE FROM GRID OR PROJECTION LINE IN METERS	
			FORWARD	(BACK)	FORWARD	(BACK)		FORWARD	(BACK)	FORWARD	(BACK)
Sta. 1266 and 67.13 BM 57 USE	T-6177b	NA 27	29-53		See Form 524	3.3mm		201.6	1645.8		
PBM 37 Sta. 1183 and 80 Mile Post 185	T-6177b	NA 27	29-53		See Form 524	HELD		636.1	1209.3		
Sta. 1122 and 35.52 BM 52 USE	"	"	92-25		See Form 524	2.3mm		1222.3	387.4		
Sta. 1055 and 57.92 BM 50 USE	"	"	29-53		See Form 524	3.0mm		1451.0	159.0		
FLORENCE STACK (U.S.G.S. 1932)	G.A. & G.P.	"	29-55	11.247	See recovery card	HELD		1290.1	557.3		
			92-28	49.366				238.0	1371.7		
								346.3	1501.1		
								1324.2	285.2		

1 FT. = 3048006 METER
 COMPUTED BY: *R.M. Szyk* DATE: 6-2-48
 CHECKED BY: *Amuray* DATE: 6-2-48
 M-2388-12



PH-14(46)

Project Ph-14 extends to Corpus Christi, Tex.
(Other sheets to be laid out at a later date.)

Radial Plot

FIELD REPORT

SHORELINE MANUSCRIPT

SURVEY NO. T-8910

For field data covering Survey No. T-8910 refer to the special Field Report L 81, 1947 Vermilion Bay, Louisiana, to Port Arthur, Texas, submitted by Ross A. Gilmore dated October 1947 filed in the Nautical Chart Branch. *see letter 81 (47)*

Division of Photogrammetry
Review Report of
Shoreline Survey Map Manuscript T-8910

27 RADIAL PLOT

This radial plot is part of the continuous radial plot which extends along the Intracoastal Waterway with a single flight of 9-lens photographs from Houma, Louisiana westward through Louisiana and Texas.

This part of the plot includes manuscripts T-8909, 8910, 8911, 8912, 8913, 8914, and part of T-8915 which are designated as shoreline sheets and extend from longitude $92^{\circ}12'$ to $92^{\circ}50'$ as indicated on the attached index.

A junction in the middle of T-8909 with the plot to that point was made satisfactorily, and the plot was continued westward along the Waterway. The reason a junction was made in the middle of T-8909 and left off in the middle of T-8915 was the relatively good fix realized in the area from which to continue a subsequent plot.

In specific instances the USC&GS triangulation computed positions and the USE computed traverse positions held ^{well} good. The USC&GS planetable graphic control and the USGS transit traverse stations were of lesser accuracy and tolerances of the stations held are shown on Control Form M-2388-12 attached to this report. New positions for the recoverable topographic stations as determined by the radial plot are shown on Form 524 and are filed in the Division of Photogrammetry.

The manner and difficulty with which control was pricked in the more forested and cover areas of swamp give reason for the tolerances listed.

The control density was generally inadequate except for sheets T-8913 and 8914 where USC&GS control is spaced well for plotting purposes. Considerable strength was accredited Milepost 185 on T-8912 as it was only 145 meters distance from the USGS station Warren, 1933, listed as lost. It was scaled from the 1:20,000 scale planetable sheet T-6177b and its close proximity to and closure with Warren, 1933 would indicate its worth as good control.

The only station of reasonable tolerance on T-8911 was the USE computed transit traverse station 1503 and 01.79 which held within 0.5 mm. The USGS transit traverse station TT 67 L 1932 held to within 0.5 mm on T-8910,

and USE stations 1711 ⁺ and 83.5 and 1761 ⁺ and 27.8 are also within that limit. Station 1711 and 83.5 is so close to azimuth that no reliable check on its tolerance can be made.

Repeated attempts were made to hold the control mentioned more closely. USC&GS station Marrone, 1934 listed as lost in 1947, was recovered and pricked in the office. A good recovery was realized from the description and the station was held at the expense of distributing the possible error in the plot over the control mentioned in the preceding paragraph. It was impossible to hold all of the control listed and also hold azimuth and the more desirable intersections throughout the plot in the T-8910 and 8911 area. An attempt was made to distribute the intersections in such a manner as to not detract from the accuracy needed for subsequent compilation of 1:40,000 scale nautical charts.

Vinylite templets were used throughout with the aid of MASTER TEMPLET 18743 for chamber adjustments and paper distortion corrections. All photographs were printed on positype paper.

Nine lens pictures 18576 through 18604 were used along the Waterway. Coverage is adequate and the plot is considered strong enough for accurate detailing and use as basic source material for 1:40,000 scale nautical charts.

Plot laid by:

E. H. Ramey
E. H. Ramey

Roscoe J. French
Roscoe J. French

Report submitted by:

Approved by:

Roscoe J. French
Roscoe J. French

G. B. Willey
G. B. Willey

Date: July 12, 1948

COMPILATION REPORT

SHORELINE MANUSCRIPT SURVEY NO. T-8910

This manuscript is one of a series of shoreline surveys in Project No. PH-14(46), located along the Intracoastal Waterway and covering a narrow strip of land from Houma, Louisiana, to Corpus Christi Bay, Texas. This project was undertaken to furnish the necessary data to prepare a new series of Inland Waterway Charts at 1:40,000 scale.

Compilation instructions were not prepared.

26. CONTROL

- This manuscript was received from the Washington Office with the control plotted thereon. A list of these stations is included in the radial plot report on Form No. M2388-12. *(attached)*

28. DELINEATION

Limits of areas of swamp, marsh, high ground and the interpretation of other inland features were determined after careful stereoscopic examination of the photographs.

The field inspection of shoreline and offshore features was adequate for the area of this survey.

Some difficulty was encountered in the placement of detail due to the weakness of the radial plot (see radial plot report) and inadequate photographic coverage in the area of North Prong Schooner Bayou but the results are considered to be within accuracy requirements.

A highway identified on Field Photograph No. 18582 as Louisiana State Highway No. 26 is in disagreement with the identification on Field Photograph No. 18583 and the Final Name Standard (Schooner Bayou Quadrangle S.E.), both of which identify it as State Highway No. 292.

30. MEAN HIGH WATER LINE

The mean tide range in the area covered by this manuscript is about one foot thereby making the MHWL and MLWL for all practical purposes one and the same.

The shoreline was delineated after careful stereoscopic examination.

31. MEAN LOW WATER LINE

See MEAN HIGH WATER LINE

32. DETAILS OFFSHORE FROM THE MEAN HIGH WATER LINE

Delineated in accordance with field identification.

33. WHARVES AND SHORELINE STRUCTURES

Delineated in accordance with field identification.

34. LANDMARKS AND AIDS TO NAVIGATION

None

35. HYDROGRAPHIC CONTROL

None

36. LANDING FIELDS AND AERONAUTICAL AIDS

None

37. JUNCTIONS

Junction has been made to the east with Survey No. T-8909 and Survey No. T-8911 to the west and found to be in good agreement.

Project limits are to the north and south.

38. GEOGRAPHIC NAMES Q14 ✓

Geographic names were taken from the Final Names Standard submitted by the Washington Office. *see attached list.*

A list of geographic names is attached to this report.

44. COMPARISON WITH EXISTING TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLES

Survey No. T-8910 has been compared in detail with U. S. Geological Survey, Schooner Bayou Quadrangle (S.E. quarter) and U.S. Geological Survey Abbeville Quadrangle (S.W. quarter) advance sheets and found to be in good agreement.

45. COMPARISON WITH NAUTICAL CHARTS

Due to the great difference in scale between this manuscript (at 1:10,000) and Nautical Charts Nos. 1277 and 1051 (at 1:80,000, 1:175,000) respectively, a minute comparison could not be made.

The following topographic information shown on Survey No. 8910 is of sufficient importance to warrant immediate application to the chart:

None

The following topographic details above the plane of MHW are not shown on this manuscript but are believed to still exist and should be carried forward on the chart:

None

Minor changes in cultural and shoreline details need no special discussion.

Respectfully submitted
3 September 1948

John C. Richter
Engineering Draftsman

Joseph W. Vornacek
Photogrammetric Engineer
Photogrammetric Office Reviewer

Approved and forwarded
23 September 1948

Harry R. Rudolph
Supervisor

Thos. Baird
Officer in Charge
Baltimore Photogrammetric Office

GEOGRAPHIC NAMES

- Forked Island .
- Forked Island (Village) .
- Forked Island School .
- Intracoastal Waterway .
- Isle Marrone .
- Isle Marrone Canal .
- North Prong Schooner Bayou .
- Sassafras Island .
- Thannas Island .
- Touchets Canal .
- 7th Ward Canal .

- state Roads 26, 292 .
- Forked Island Ferry .

Names preceded by • are
approved .. 6-13-49
L. Heck.

Review Report
Shoreline Survey T-8910

26 Control

One horizontal control station was plotted on the manuscript during final review, and is listed on the Form M-2388-12 attached to this Descriptive Report.

44 Comparison with existing surveys

A. Quadrangles:

Abbeville, La. (S.W.)	1:31,680	1932
Schooner Bayou, La. (S.E.)	1:31,680	1932

B. Topographic Surveys

T-6177	1:20,000	1934
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This map supersedes T-6177 for nautical charting purposes.

C. Hydrographic Surveys

There are no contemporary surveys in this area

45 Comparison with Nautical Charts

1277	1:80,000	1947 (correction date)
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There are no significant differences between T-8910 and the chart.

47 Adequacy of Compilation

Field inspection was adequate in the immediate vicinity of the Intracoastal Waterway. In the future this area will be covered more completely by topographic maps T-9103 and T-9104.

Reviewed by:

Howard J. Murray

 Howard J. Murray 16 June 1949

Approved by:

A. V. Griffith

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