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Department of Commerce and Labor  
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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*Superintendent.*

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DESCRIPTIVE REPORT.

*Topo.* \_\_\_\_\_ *Sheet No. 1188a*

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Descriptive Report  
Topographic Sheet 1188a  
1913

This sheet shows the Coast of Maine, Hays Neck to  
Gare Fair Creek, revision during 1913 - made on  
photo print of original sheet, changes indicated in  
red and by erasing line from the photograph.

Tracings from the photograph and tracings of plans  
of roads sheets etc. were carried into the field  
and changes noted. New features plotted from  
angles and distances measured from identified  
features. Plans of towns and groups of houses  
conventionalized, but as shown with such accuracy  
that an instrument and accurate measurements  
will be necessary to detect errors or rather absence  
of great accuracy in plotting. Main roads, and roads  
leading to or from the same noted, but by roads, wood  
lines and detached houses noted only, when this  
information was incidental to other work.  
All steam and electric roads shown.

E. S. Latham

Chief of Party

Washington D.C.

January 26-1914

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Examination of Topographic Sheets

by the

Divisions of Field Work and Field Records.

1. Has the magnetic meridian been determined? ..... *No*
2. Is the point occupied for the determination of magnetic meridian designated? .....
3. Is the approximate or rodded location of high water mark in back of mangroves shown? .....
4. Have navigable rivers been surveyed? .....
5. Is interior information given by descriptive legends or otherwise? .....
6. Is the inking of the sheet legible? ..... *Yes*
7. Is projection properly shown? .....
- Are methods of surveying fully described? ..... *Yes*
9. Are descriptive legends given concerning conspicuous islets, objects, rocks, and other features given in blank areas? .....
10. Are geographic names given? .....
11. Is full information regarding geographic names given in the descriptive report in accordance with paragraph 557 of the Instructions for Field Work? .....
12. Are the names of topographic signals given? .....
13. Does the sheet have a neat appearance? .....
14. Is sufficient contouring shown, some of which could be obtained by sextant directions from boat positions? .....

- 15. Is the control good? .....
- 16. Is the sheet well laid out? .....
- 17. Is the accuracy of traverses between triangulation stations stated in the descriptive report? ..... *Yes* .....
- 18. Are the elevations of prominent rocks or islets given? .....
- 19. Are the description of reefs, as bare, awash or covered at high or low water given? .....
- 20. Are objects useful for future surveys indicated? ..... *No* .....
- 21. Is there a record of marking topographic stations? .....
- 22. Is the character of the beach shown in various places? .....
- 23. Is the plane of reference for elevations given? .....
- 24. Is the low water line determined at important places? .....
- 25. Is there a full list of data affecting sheet given on title sheet? .....
- 26. Is there a list of plane table positions? ..... *No* .....
- 27. Are the elevations whether that of tree-top or ground indicated? .....
- 28. Does the descriptive report give date of instructions? ..... *No* .....
- 29. Is a sketch given showing contouring of interior mountainous country beyond limits of sheet? .....
- 30. Is the general description of the coast given? .....
- 31. Is there information about obtaining fresh water? .....
- 32. Have standard symbols for various features been used? .....

- 33. Is the survey complete? .....
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- 34. Is there a note as to cultivations, roads and other improvements?  
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- 35. Is commercial information given in descriptive report? .....
- 36. Is there a list of landmarks? .....

Remarks

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