

METHODS OF RECRUITING AND TRAINING SURVEYING ASSISTANTS

(Continued).

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Candidates for the post of Hydrographic Surveyor are admitted by competitive examination. They then undergo an elementary course of Hydrography, Astronomy and Geodesy, lasting six months, at the Hydrographic Institute. The syllabus of this course includes :—

- (a) Elementary Geodesy, theoretical and applied.
- (b) Mechanical and Echo Sounding, both theoretical and practical.
In connection therewith the theory of Tides and reduction of soundings.
- (c) Higher Geodesy in general. Cartographic Projections and Triangulation in particular.
- (d) Astronomy in relation to Cartography.
- (e) Aerophotogrammetry, theoretical and practical.
- (f) Technique of Reproduction in general. Technique of Chart Reproduction in particular.

The Officers are also sent to the University for specialising in the various subject-matters connected with Hydrographic Surveying.

The duration of duty for Hydrographic Surveyors is the same as that for general service officers in the Navy.

