



OFF SOUNDINGS CLUB

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MEASURER'S REPORT for the year 1974

This year the Measurer processed 219 new measurements and 54 revisions to still-valid measurements. About 10% had errors serious enough to affect the rating.

Two measurers were removed from the active roster, each at his own request:

Bennett Fisher

Halsey Herreshoff

In January the Measurer attended the Chesapeake Sailing Yacht Symposium. Several papers and much discussion at the one-day meeting were devoted to rating rules.

In April the Measurer issued a Notice to Measurers containing two Instructions passed by the Board of Governors on April 6th.

Correspondence regarding the use of the Off Soundings Club Measurement Rule has taken place with:

Biscayne Bay A-1 Fleet

Norton's Point Sailing Club

North Florida Cruising Club

Gateway Yacht Racing Association (Deep Creek Yacht Club)

Certificate blanks in quantity have been sold to the latter two organizations.

A service was again provided this year to some area yacht clubs to verify the measurement validity and rating of entrants in their races.

On December 31, the active file was purged of 95 certificates that had expired in 1974 and for which new measurements had not been received, leaving valid certificates for 547 Off Soundings-eligible and 35 other yachts.

Respectfully submitted,

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