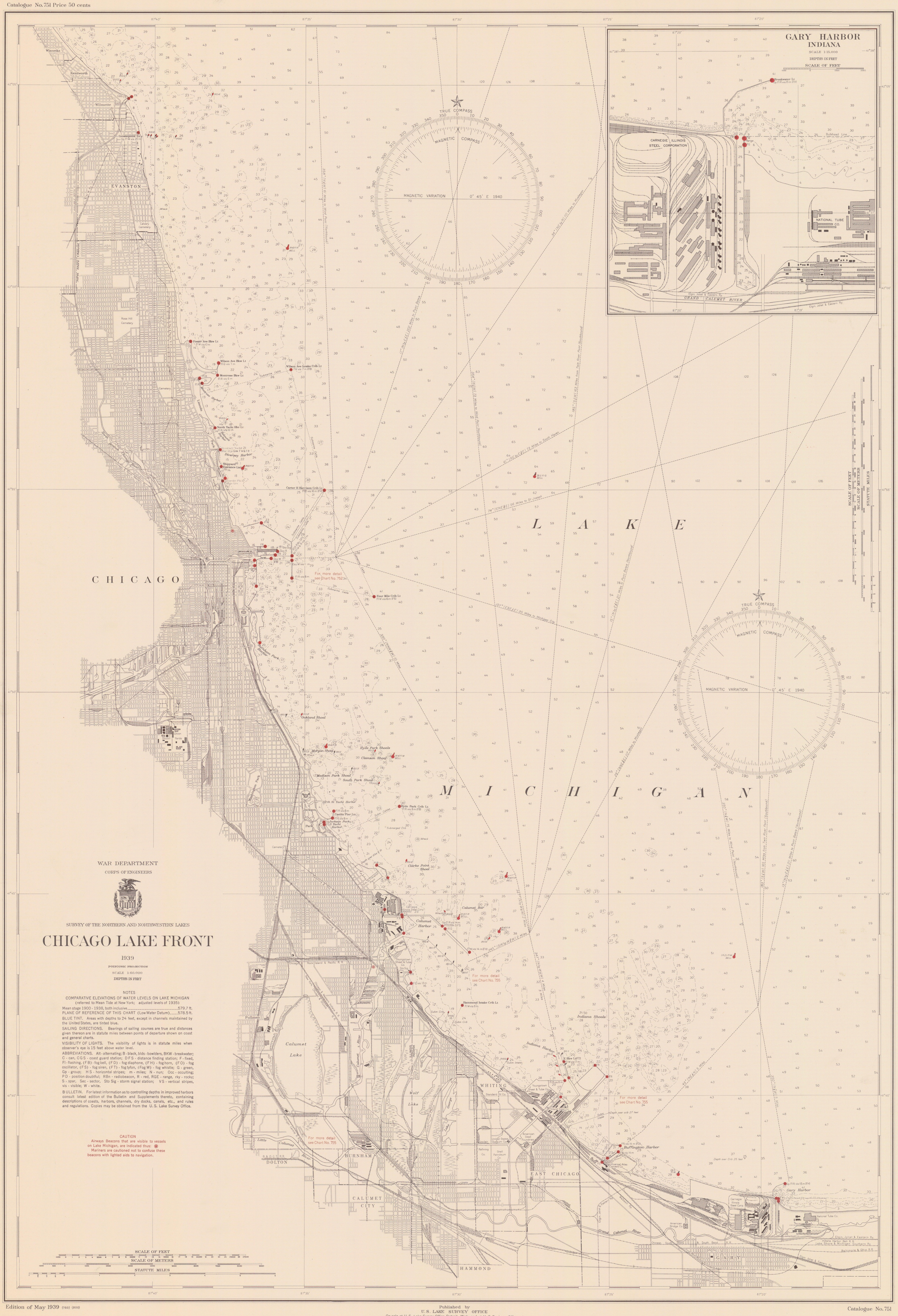

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CHICAGO LAKE FRONT

1939

POLYCONIC PROJECTION

SCALE 1:60,000

DEPTHS IN FEET

NOTES

COMPARATIVE ELEVATIONS OF WATER LEVELS ON LAKE MICHIGAN
(referred to Mean Tide at New York; adjusted levels of 1935)

Mean stage 1900 - 1938, both inclusive ..... 579.7 ft.
PLANE OF REFERENCE OF THIS CHART (Low Water Datum) ..... 578.5 ft.

BLUE TINT. Areas with depths to 24 feet, except in channels maintained by the United States, are tinted blue.

SAILING DIRECTIONS. Bearings of sailing courses are true and distances given thereon are in statute miles between points of departure shown on coast and general charts.

VISIBILITY OF LIGHTS. The visibility of lights is in statute miles when observer's eye is 15 feet above water level.

ABBREVIATIONS. Alt - alternating; B - black, blds - bowlders, BKW - breakwater; C - can, CGS - coast guard station; DFS - distance finding station; F - fixed, Fl - flashing, (FB) - fog bell, (FD) - fog diaphone, (FH) - fog horn, (FO) - fog oscillator, (FS) - fog siren, (FT) - fog tyfon, (Fog W) - fog whistle; G - green, Gp - group; HS - horizontal stripes; m - miles; N - nun; Occ - occulting; PD - position doubtful; RBn - radiobeacon, R - red, RGE - range, rky - rocky; S - spar, Sec - sector, Sto Sig - storm signal station; VS - vertical stripes, vis - visible; W - white.

BULLETIN. For latest information as to controlling depths in improved harbors consult latest edition of the Bulletin and Supplements thereto, containing descriptions of coasts, harbors, channels, dry docks, canals, etc., and rules and regulations. Copies may be obtained from the U. S. Lake Survey Office.

CAUTION
Airways Beacons that are visible to vessels on Lake Michigan, are indicated thus: ⊛
Mariners are cautioned not to confuse these beacons with lighted aids to navigation.

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