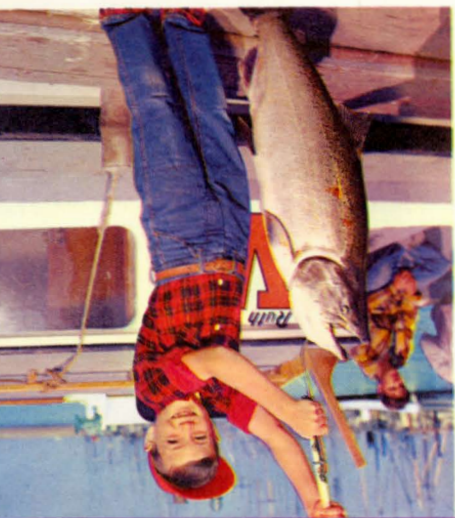


**BOATING** is everybody's hobby on Puget Sound. Seattle's annual Sea-Fair Regatta treats the visitor to parades like this.



**SALMON FISHING** lures sportsmen from all over the world. How would you like to catch a "whopper" like this one?



**LOGGERS' JUBILEE** at Morton is definitely a "spectator" sport. Birling takes a lot of practice—and the loser gets dunked!



Whether you come to wet a salmon lure, known as a vacationland extraordinary. For Puget Sound is more than a body of water; it's an utterly different, completely exciting way of life!

In the northwest corner of Washington lies fabulous Puget Sound, salt-water arm of the Pacific... stretching 125 miles from Juan de Fuca Strait to the state capital, Olympia. Busy seaway... home port for Navy ships and fishing fleets... log boom floatway, Puget Sound is best known as a vacationland extraordinary.



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**THE SOUND**  
way of life!

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## PUGET SOUND salt-water wonderland

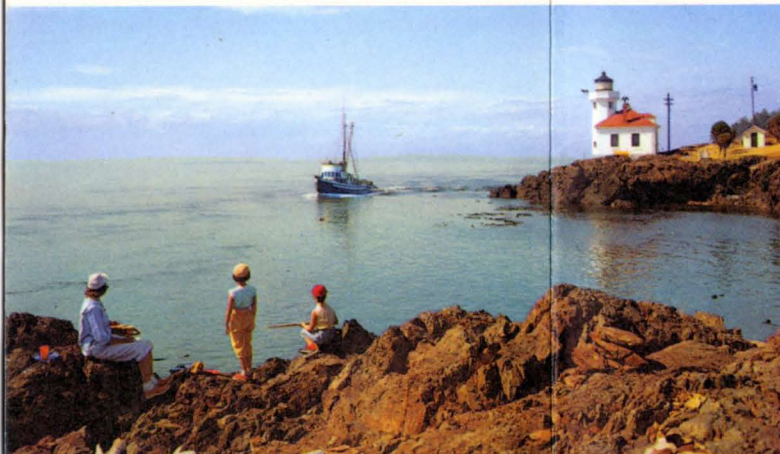


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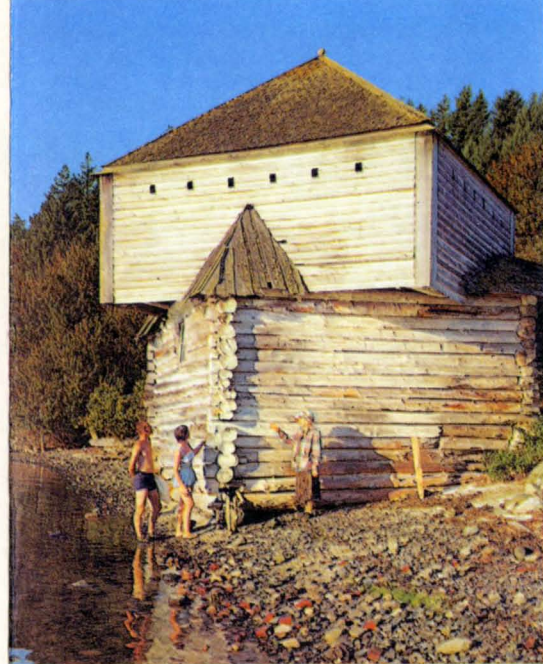
**GO GREAT NORTHERN**



picturesque emerald isles to the north  
**THE SAN JUAN ISLANDS**



**FRIDAY HARBOR**, principal settlement of the San Juan Islands, looks out upon Puget Sound and its scurrying boats.



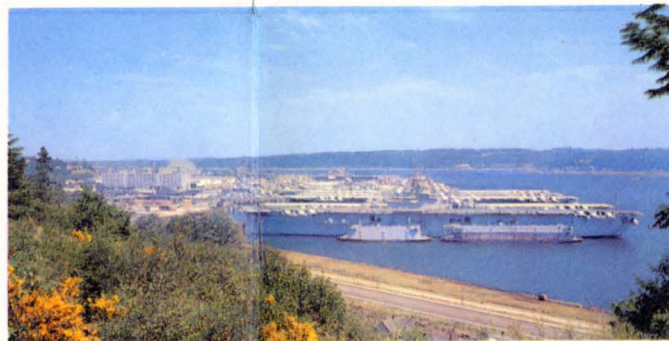
**THIS ENGLISH FORT** wound up on the "States" side of the International Boundary. A relic of last century's "Pig War."

**MYRIAD WATERS** surrounded by snow-splashed mountains!

This fabulous region of navigable salt and fresh water, primeval forests and lofty peaks is easy to see! Buses, ferries and water tour cruisers show you the sights around Seattle, the Sound's hub city. And you can rent a car or charter a boat and roam to your heart's content. Don't let the "natives" have all the fun!

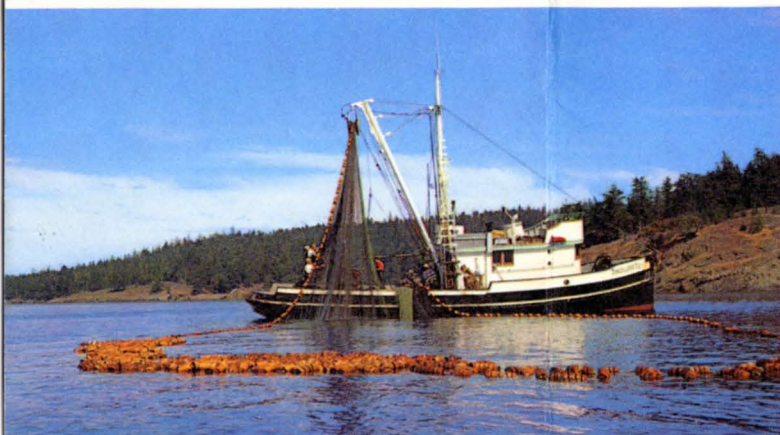


**YACHTING SEASON** begins with rendezvous in Portage Bay at Seattle. University of Washington in background.



**AIRCRAFT CARRIERS** are berthed at Bremerton, across the Sound from Seattle. This is one of our Navy's biggest bases.

**PURSE SEINER** catches fish by laying giant net in circle, then drawing the bottom together to form a purse. Fishing vessels of all kinds may be seen at anchor along Seattle's waterfront, and in other nearby harbors.



**GORGEOUS RHODODENDRONS**, Washington state flower, adorn the banks of Hood Canal, a branch of Puget Sound. Rugged Mt. Olympus, center of Olympic National Park, forms a wilderness backdrop.



**NEW SIGHTS, NEW THRILLS** at every turn on Puget Sound