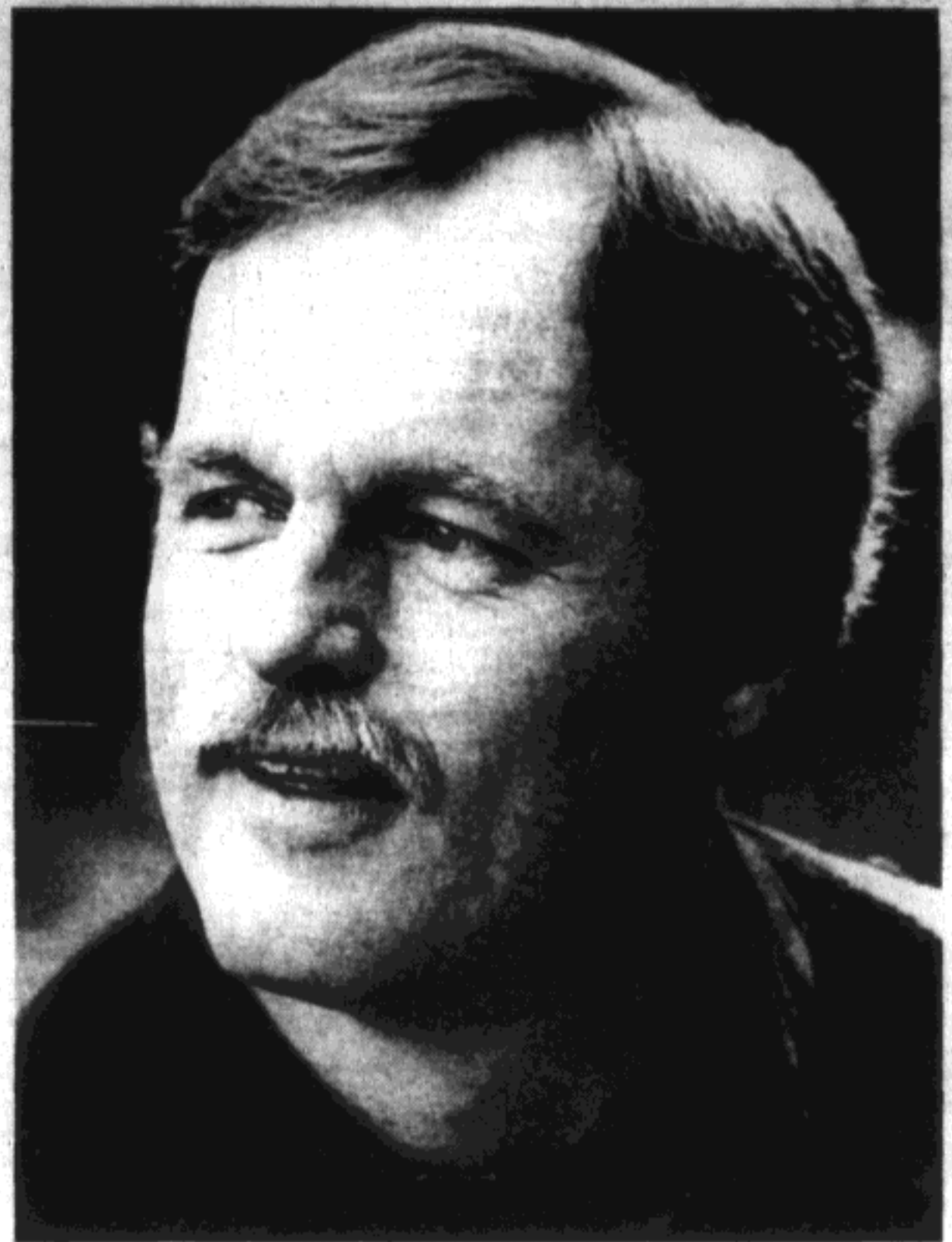


# STEVE COWPER

## Friend of Bristol Bay Fishermen

*"Fishing is the lifeblood of Bristol Bay. We've got to improve economic opportunities for Alaska fishermen by expanding our markets, developing new products, improving research and protecting the resource."*



- **I oppose oil development in Bristol Bay!**

If we don't protect the resource, we won't have a fishing industry. I'll continue to keep petroleum development out of Bristol Bay because we don't know enough about what it could do to the fishery. Strong habitat protection, resource management based on sound information and stringent safeguards against damage or pollution means that Alaska's marine resources will provide plenty of fish in the years to come.

- **Subsistence must be protected, now and in the future!**

Subsistence is the cornerstone of Western Alaska's culture and economy. I'll fight to protect subsistence as a traditional way of life now and in the future.

- **Theft of our salmon has to stop!**

We have to stop high seas interception of our salmon by foreign fleets. I'll push Congress to end cheating on the high seas by foreign fishermen. This will be one of my administration's highest priorities.

- **Smart decisions are vital for a critical resource.**

I'll appoint Alaskans committed to the wise use and long-term health of Alaska's fisheries to the Board of Fisheries. I'll also push for an on-board domestic observer program that does not penalize fishermen.

**Vote Fish  
Vote Cowper, Governor  
November 4**

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