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As mentioned before....learn to use your rod and understand what it is capable of doing. I've seen shows where the gent brought in a large fish with 4 lb test. So one of the things you need to determine is whether your there for the fight or just to catch. It is never your choice of fish size, and you will have to work the fish or lose it. Being better prepared by knowing your equipment will make the fishing adventure all the better. I lost all 5 salmon that I had on at Salmon river this last fall. I believe three things were my downfall. A. I didn't use my 8wt rod enough times to understand what it is capable of doing for me. B. I didn't know how to tiring them out. C. I was there for the catch and not the fight. (in that order) Yes, I believe my lack of confidence in my equipment was the number 1 reason why I was not successful.

Going south does not mean only saltwater fishing....some of the best bass fishing in America is down south. If your 6wt is collecting dust it is your fault and nobody's elses.