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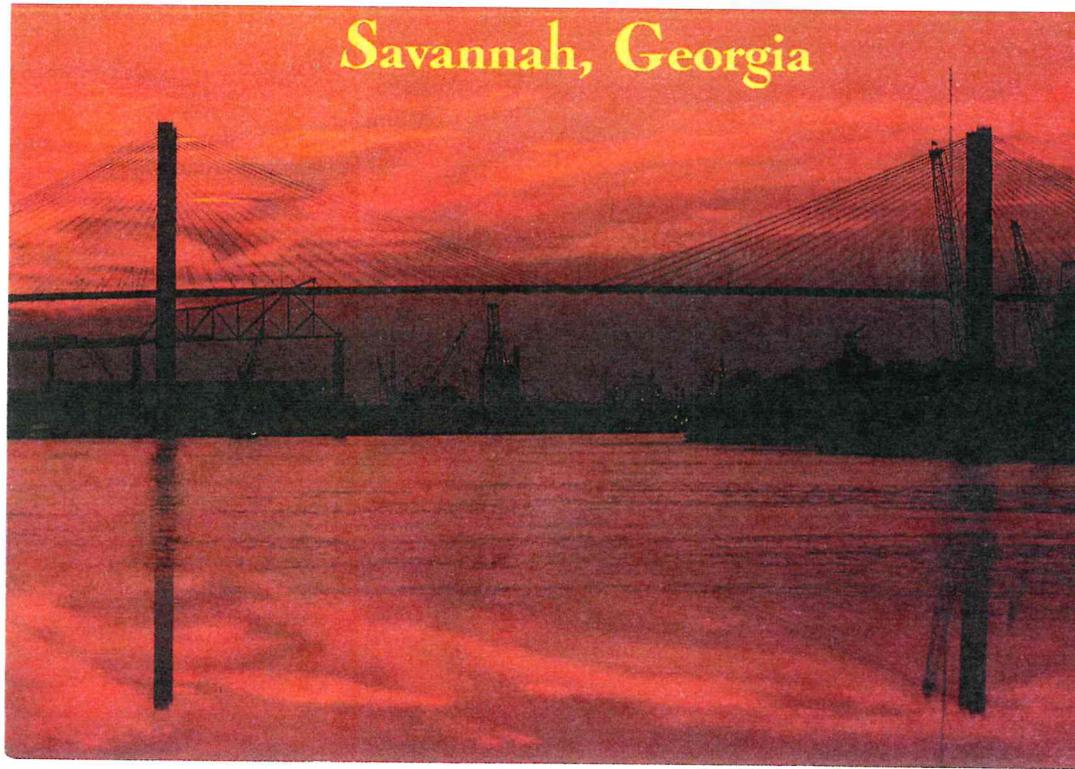
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Savannah, Georgia cable-stayed bridge is fifty ft. higher than the old Talmadge Memorial Bridge. The bridge's 85 ft. vertical height accommodates some of the world's largest ships to the port of Savannah.

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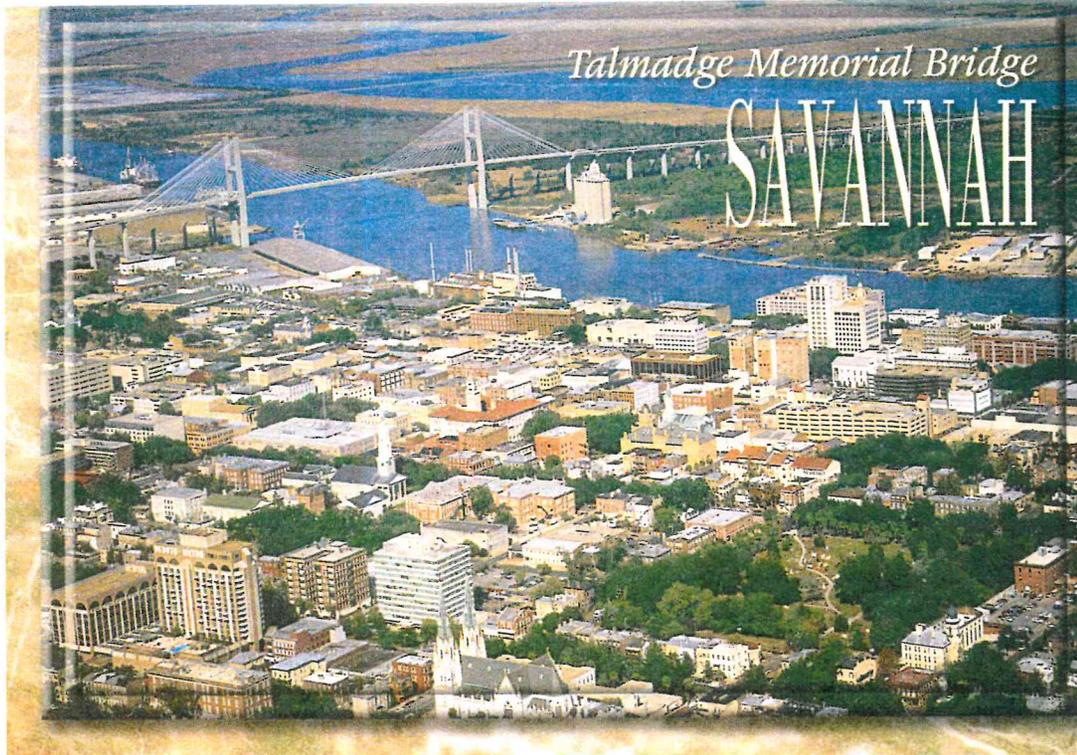
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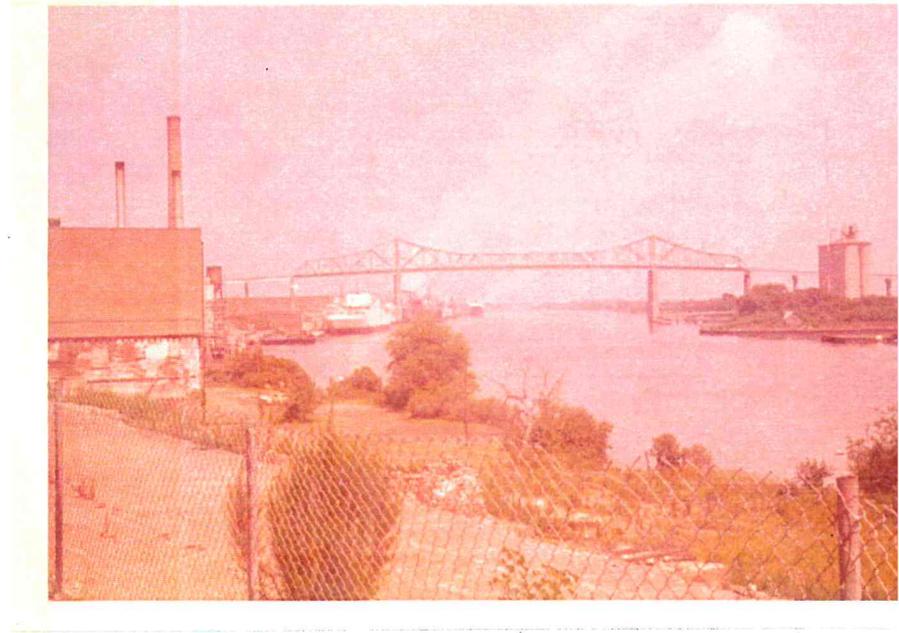
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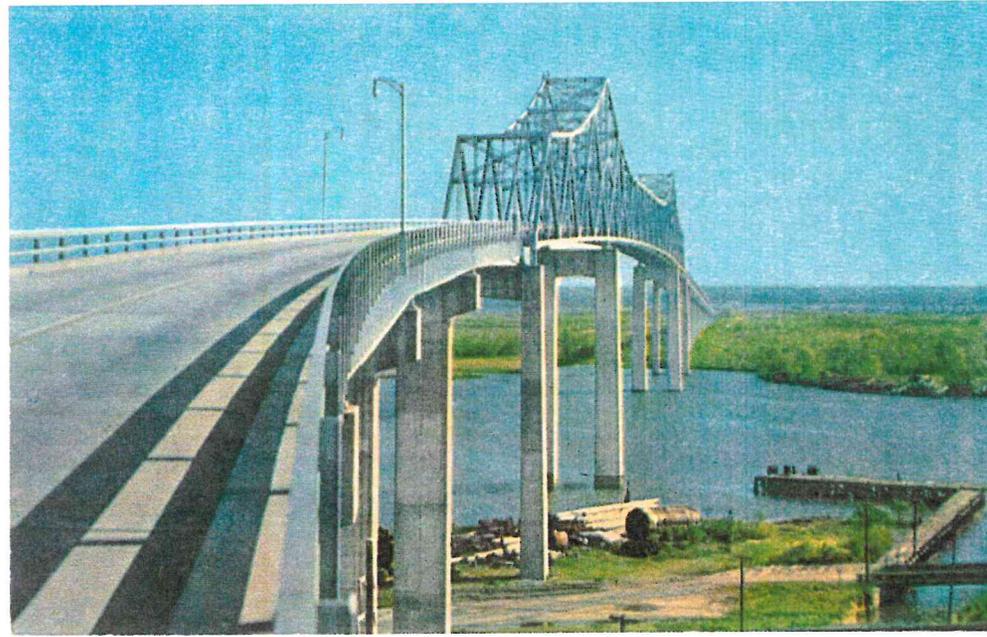
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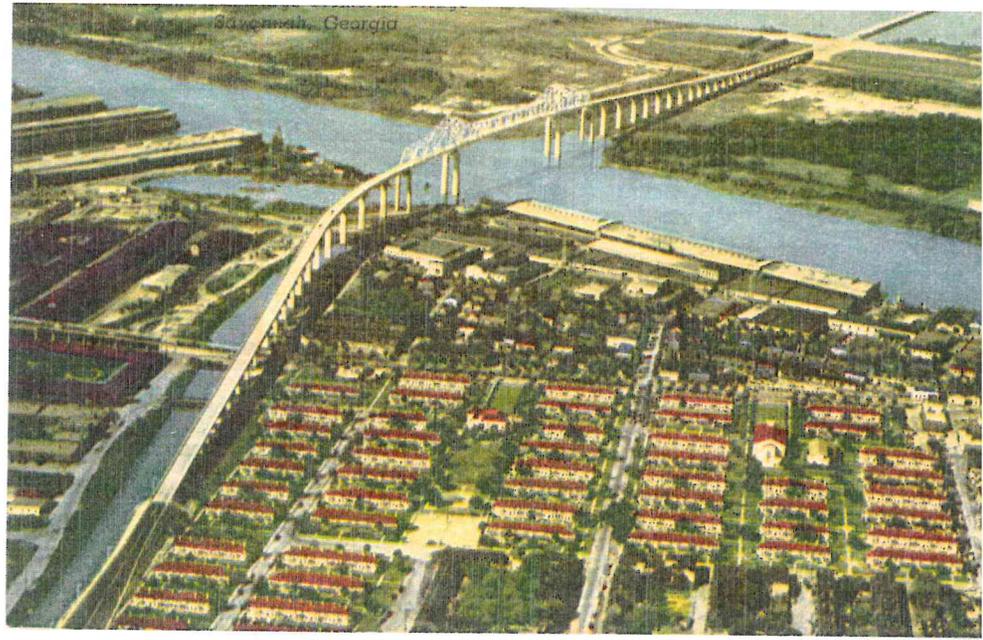
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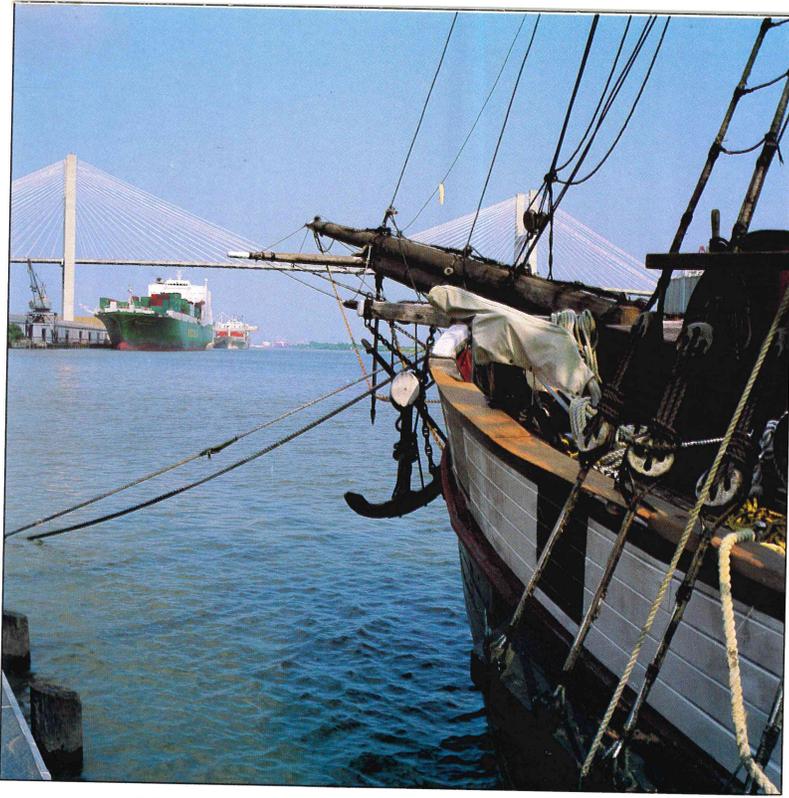
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