

# Getchell Ranch



**Owners: Alexander G. and  
Everett D. Alexander**

Above: Olive & Martin Getchell  
ca. 1918

Right: Winter Feeding of Cattle

Getchell Ranch was established in 1873 as one of the earliest farms in the Snohomish Valley. Martin and Olive Getchell raised pigs, beef and dairy cattle, as well as managing a small orchard. Their grandsons now produce beef, grain crops and hay, managing the property with an emphasis on land and wildlife conservation. In 2001 the farm was placed on the Washington State Heritage Register.

