

Railroad Day Celebration

At Redmond

Saturday, Sept. 30th

The whole countryside is invited to attend the celebration at Redmond on the above date, and help celebrate the advent of railroads into Central Oregon which will relieve this section from isolation from the outside world. An interesting program of Sports has been prepared, and arrangements have been made to amply take care of all who come.

BRING THE WHOLE FAMILY AND COME PREPARED TO STAY ALL DAY. REST ROOMS HAVE BEEN PREPARED FOR CONVENIENCE OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN

This will be the grandest celebration ever held in Central Oregon, and will be attended by prominent state and railroad officials of the Pacific Coast.

THE EXHIBIT PARADE STARTS AT 9:30, SO COME IN TIME TO SEE IT AND HEAR THE SPEAKING

The Shining Morning Smile

is a trade winner. Try it. But man cannot live by morning trade alone. Therefore the smile should stay on the job all day. And not only should the merchant's face smile, but his store front, likewise his town. To make a store front smile keep it clean. Have a bright and attractive display in the window. If the merchant smiles and his store front smiles the customer will smile, and everybody will be happy. To make a town smile clean the streets and have attractive buildings and lawns.

Prosperity smiles while Failure has a frown.

Smile, smile, smile! Get the habit!



SMILE!



Come and Help Redmond Celebrate
R. R. Day, September 30th

HOMES OF THE BEAVERS.

Wonderful Work Achieved by These Clever Dam Builders.

Beavers arrange their homes in a neighborly way to form villages and towns. It is pointed out that they are lake dwellers for the same reason that early races of men lived over the water. The chief difference between the two, however, is that men built over natural ponds, whereas the beaver makes a pond where he happens to want it. The labors of no other animal on earth, aside from man, present so many interesting phases as those of the beaver.

According to Macoun, who has made most exhaustive studies of these little animals, whole tribes of beavers unite to build villages. Houses, invariably of two floors, bear witness to the uniform genius of these architects. The pantry occupies the ground floor, but the upper floors of the beaver's domicile are reserved for his hours of sleep and leisure.

The walls and upper part are remarkably thick, sometimes measuring several feet. Then, at the beginning of hard frost, the exterior is coated with a thick layer of mud, which immediately freezes and has the double advantage of perfectly shutting out the cold air and of guarding against the attacks of wolves.

The smartness of the beaver is also seen in the care it takes not only to lay in provisions in advance, but also in arranging creep holes to insure its retreat in case of surprise and for its subsistence in a day of need.

The most extraordinary works of the beaver are, of course, the dams that they throw across rivers and along the shores of lakes. In this matter they are qualified to rank with the best of engineers. Two points especially in their work attract attention, the first being the skill and strength displayed in the construction and the second being their unerring choice of the best materials.

In examining the construction of a beaver dam one is at once struck with its extreme simplicity. The wonder is how the mud kneaded and applied by the beaver's paws, unassisted by even the trowel shaped tail, becomes a hydraulic cement that time hardens instead of dissolves.

The extent of the beaver's works is as surprising as their perfection.

Some of them are really colossal and several chains in length. Artificial lakes of considerable size owe their origin to these dams. The extent of the dams is the most striking proof of the social habits of the beaver, for several families must have combined to carry out the plans, and if individual instinct produces the results of a general government among these laborers they must be influenced by a sense of common interest as highly developed as that of the bees.—Harper's Weekly.

South Sea Courtesies.

The cannibal delegation halted at a little distance, and the chairman came forward.

"We are getting up a testimonial dinner for one of our distinguished fellow citizens," he said to the stout missionary, "and are here to ask you to furnish one of the principal courses."

Which shows how a persistent effort to inculcate the principles of politeness may soften the most savage nature.

In the earlier day they would have downed the stranger with a knotted club and dragged him to the kettle.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Ancient Egyptians.

The ethnological problem presented in the case of the men who built the pyramids is still a riddle. That the ancient Egyptians were not negroes is the verdict of all the more important authorities, and it is equally certain that they were not members of the great white or Aryan race. There seems to be no living people who resemble the old Egyptians, and from the monuments left in the land of the Nile only the vaguest guesses can be made.—New York American.

Scotch Pawkins.

A "positively true tale" of Scotch pawkins is sent us by a naval correspondent. He traveled up to Inverness-shire with a Scotsman, on whose taciturnity he failed, after many efforts, to impinge. The Scotsman still stared dully, fixedly, from the train. At last intelligence began to show in his face and grow to ecstasy, and he shouted in his excitement, "Look here, look here, that's whaur it was!" His companion rushed to the window. "In yor wee town," continued the Scotsman. "I was charged saxpence for yin cup of coffee."—London Globe.

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