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FOR COUNTLESS CENTURIES BEAVERS HAVE ACTED AS SOIL CONSERVATION EXPERTS FOR MOTHER NATURE



THESE BIG RODENTS ARE VORACIOUS VEGETARIANS AND CAN DEVOUR AS MUCH AS 5 POUNDS OF TREE BARK, STEMS AND LEAVES PER DAY



LIKE THE BUFFALO, THE BEAVER WAS IMPORTANT TO THE LIVELIHOOD OF OUR EARLY ANCESTORS...TODAY THE BEAVER'S RANGE IS GREATLY REDUCED, AND ITS HABITS ARE DESTRUCTIVE TO MANY LANDOWNERS

IN SOME AREAS BEAVERS HAVE BEEN VERY HELPFUL IN INCREASING OUR WETLANDS, BUT THEY CAN ALSO BE A NUISANCE AND DESTRUCTIVE, AND OFTEN BEAVER PROBLEM-SOLVERS HAVE TO BE CALLED UPON TO RELOCATE THEM

A PLACE IN SOUTHERN CHILE IMPORTED 50 BEAVERS FROM THE UNITED STATES TO INCREASE THEIR FUR BUSINESS... NOW THEY ARE UP TO THEIR NECKS IN THE ANIMALS—OVER 50,000

THESE FURRY ENGINEERS HAVE A BOUNTY ON THEIR HEADS, AS THEY ARE DESTROYING MANY OF THE COUNTRY'S BEAUTIFUL AREAS...

AND PEOPLE ARE ENCOURAGED TO ADD BEAVER TO THEIR DINNER MENU



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