



FIRST CLIMB UP MOUNT WASHINGTON (1642)

Comic by Marek Bennett

How many ways are there to tell a story? As many as you can imagine! You can write a paper, put together an exhibit, sing a song, build a website, share tales around a campfire, or create a comic. And history is full of stories to tell!

This story tells the tale of the first person known to have climbed to the top of Mount Washington. He was a man named Darby Field, and he made his climb in 1642.*

THE TOP OF ALL, 1642 (from John Winthrop's Journal)
FIRST EUROPEAN ACCOUNT OF CLIMBING MT. WASHINGTON



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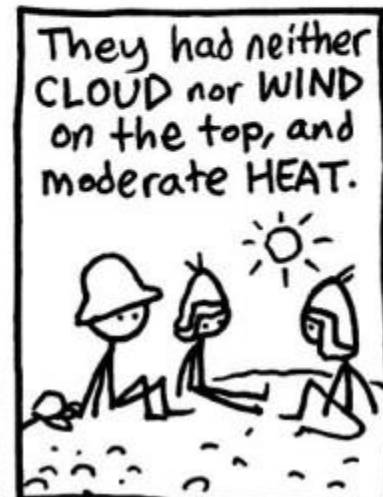
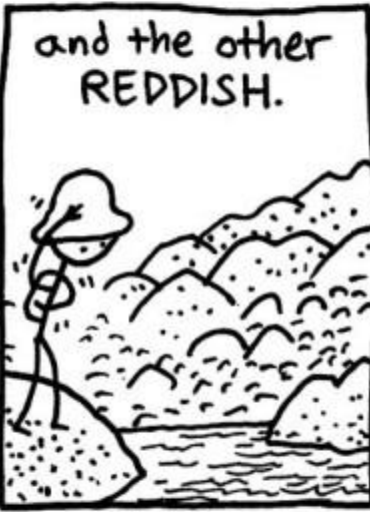
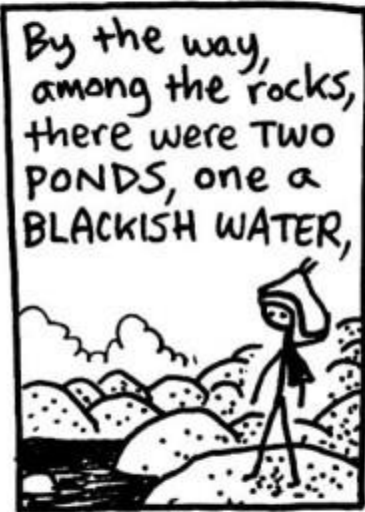


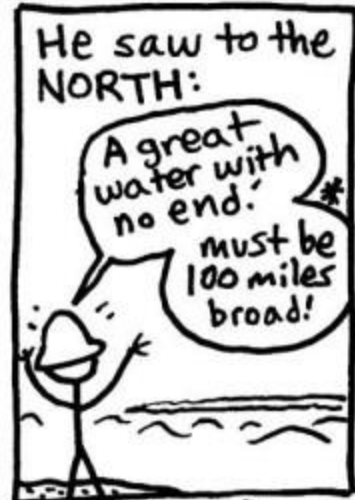
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* Atlantic ocean



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ABOUT NEW HAMPSHIRE CARTOONIST MAREK BENNETT

Marek Bennett makes comics and music in New Hampshire. He is also an educator and leads discovery workshops for all ages throughout New England and beyond. Marek is the founder of "Live Free and Draw," an independent visual storytelling project exploring the history of New Hampshire through comics drawn from historical sources.

So why does Marek focus on New Hampshire? He answers with a comic!



Marek has published several comic books, including a series on a Civil War soldier from New Hampshire named Freeman Colby. To find out more about Marek, his books, and his workshops, check out his website at www.marekbennett.com. To enjoy more comics about the Granite State, see the Live Free and Draw website at www.livefreeanddraw.com

