

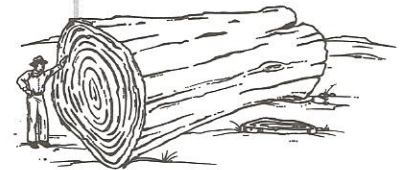
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A Petrified Forest

moses harris a mountain man was famoes for his tall tails? one of the most experienced guides in the west harris had much to tell about all he had seen done and felt One winter, according to harris he was in the black hills of south dakota he was trapping and hunting and it was very cold snow covered the land He and his horse were tired hungry and cold. While searching for food and shelter Harris wandered into an strange forgotten valley



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Harris was amazed to see grass that looked thick green and fresh green leaves covered the trees and birds sang songs of spring. Thinking he had found dinner. harris shot at one of the birds. when the bird fell at his feet Harris was astonished to see that the bird is made of stone Everything including the grass trees and birds was stone harris brought back a peace of hard stone wood to prove his story the wood had become petrified and it had turned to stone?



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The tall tale told by Harris was true in part because there is such a thing as petrified wood when something is petrified it's turned to stone. The stone wood in fact is a fossil. Long ago, trees became covered by water. Perhaps they fell into a lake when a volcano erupted, covered with ash, silt, and mud. The wood became saturated with water and began to change. Its pores filled in with minerals from the ash, silt, and mud covering it. The color of the wood in fact depends on the minerals that fill in its pores.



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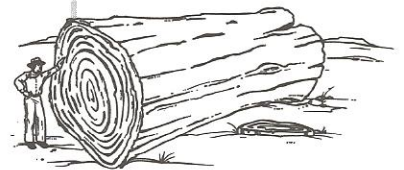
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Petrified wood, a type of fossil, can be found in other places besides South Dakota. There are petrified trees measuring 200 feet tall and ten feet wide in fact in Arizona's Petrified Forest National Park. We can say that people, birds, or other animals are petrified, but we don't mean they really turned into stone. We mean that the people, birds, or other animals became stiff with fear. Have you ever been petrified with fear?



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THURSDAY

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