

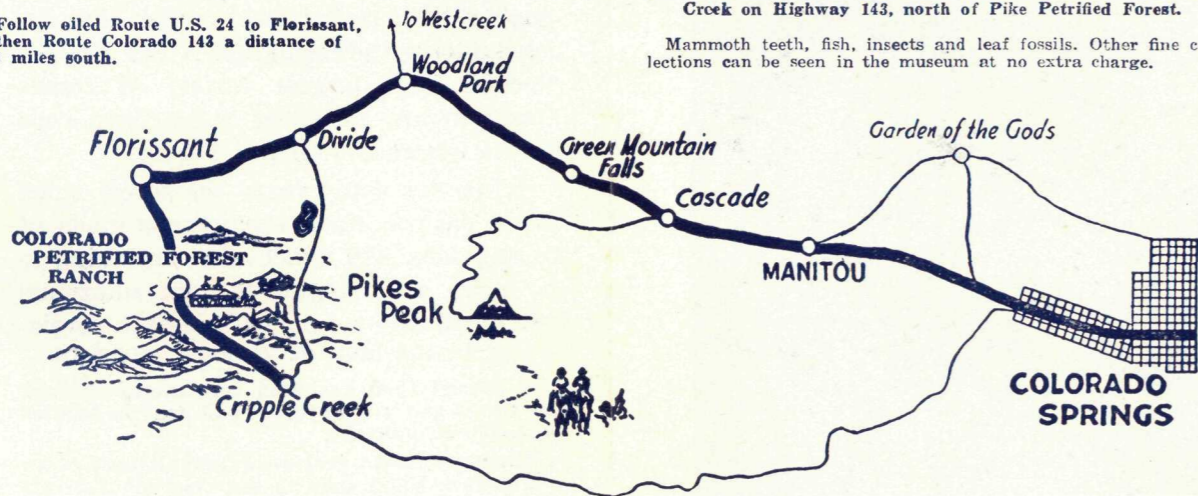


Fossil Beds Containing Leaves, Insects and Fish Fossils

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Other attractions in the Pikes Peak Region are:

Follow oiled Route U.S. 24 to Florissant, then Route Colorado 143 a distance of 2 miles south.



Famous Cripple Creek-Victor gold fields, Lake George, a fishing resort, Eleven Mile Canon, Pikes Peak, Cave of the Winds, Seven Falls, Van Briggle Art Pottery, Manitou, Royal Gorge, Cliff Dwellings. Overnight accommodations with splendid food and service stations at Florissant. See them all, and enjoy your vacation in God's Country.

Admission each - - - - - 50¢
Children under 12 (half price).

RULES AND REGULATIONS—"It is unlawful to injure, destroy, or appropriate specimens of petrified wood of any size whatsoever, found within the boundary, or to deface, injure, disturb, or mark any ruins, relics, pictures, or other works of primitive or prehistoric man, or natural formations, in any manner, and violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law, penalty up to five hundred dollars (\$500) fine or six (6) months imprisonment, or both."

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2 MILES SOUTH OF FLORISSANT, COLORADO
ON HIGHWAY 143

Enter at Rock Gate when traveling to Florissant from Cripple Creek on Highway 143, north of Pike Petrified Forest.

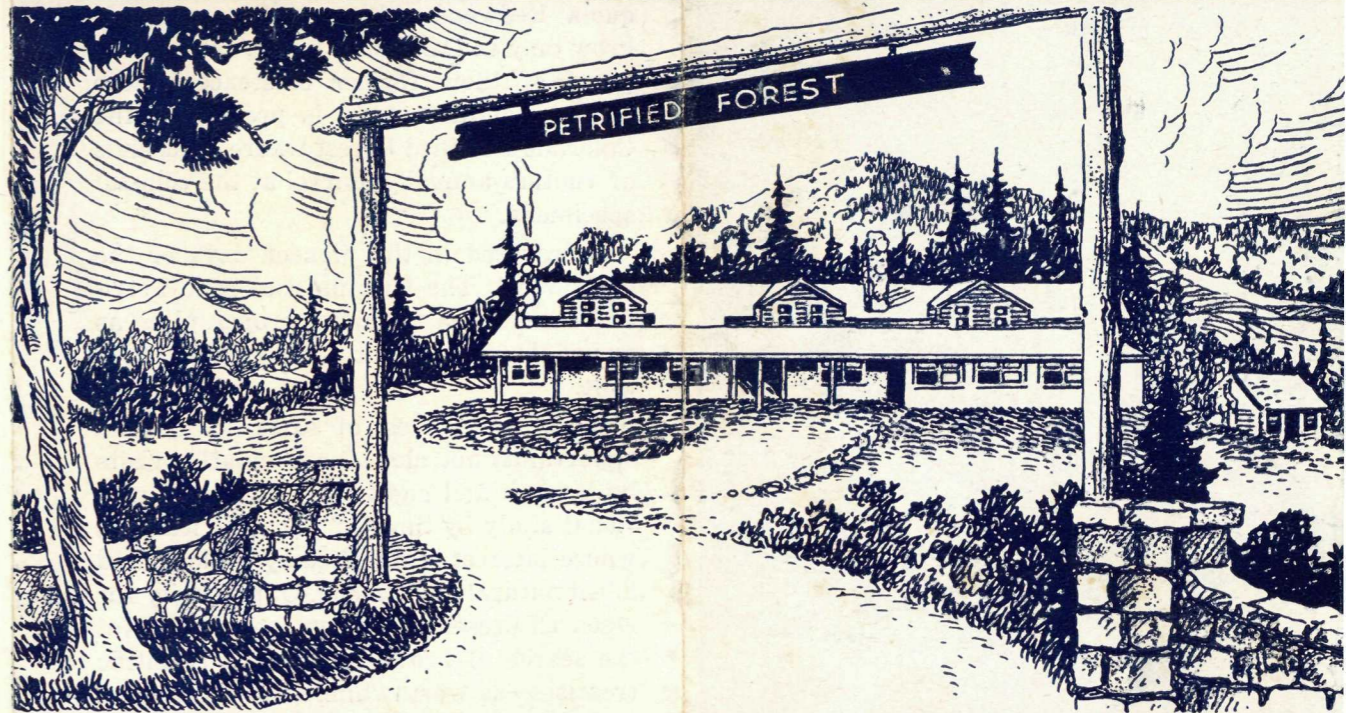
Mammoth teeth, fish, insects and leaf fossils. Other fine collections can be seen in the museum at no extra charge.

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Be Sure You See ... The Colorado Petrified Forest

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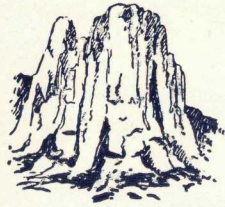
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OUTSTANDING ATTRACTIONS

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World's Largest Single Specimen Above Ground
74 Feet Circumference, 14 Feet High



*You've Heard
About This Great
Petrified Forest
Now See It!*

Only 36 miles from the famous "City of Sunshine", Colorado Springs, lies the remains of an immense forest of Giant Sequoia Redwood. Although the redwoods grow only in California today, fascinating proof of their former existence in the Rocky Mountain Area is present at the Colorado Petrified Forest where thousands of visitors annually marvel at the colossal specimens.

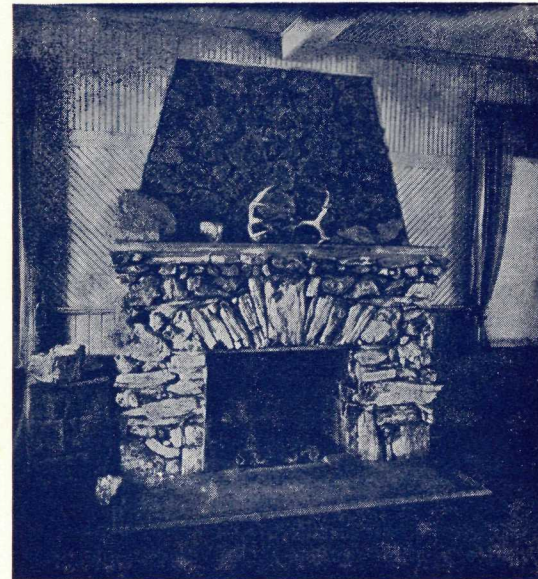
Discovered in the pioneer days of the early West, The Original Colorado Petrified Forest has taken its proper place as one of the really great wonders of geologic time.

A veritable forest of stone, it presents opportunity not alone for fascinating visits by layman and sight seer, but for educational study by those of scientific leanings whose interest is captured by geologic and allied natural phenomena. Opportunity for research presents itself on every hand. Not the search of browsing through scientific treatises—as worthwhile, as interesting as that may be — but the study, the thrill,

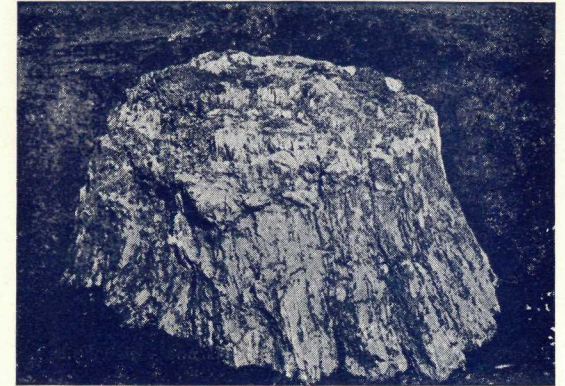
that can come only by a personal visit to the phenomena itself.

Petrified stumps, logs and charcoal — huge fossil beds and lava fields—and other curiosities and wonders give to the forest an enchantment enriching in its pre-historic atmosphere. The standing petrified stumps here are the largest and most marvelous known. The largest petrified specimen is 74 feet in circumference and 14 feet tall; Countless others of varied shapes and sizes make up the forest.

The former site of a huge inland lake



Fireplace made of Lava Rock, Silica and Petrified Wood



Petrified Walnut Tree Stump, 37 Ft. Circumference

provides one of the most thrilling activities in which visitors participate—fossil-hunting. Imagine the sensation of splitting stratified rock and uncovering the perfect imprint of a leaf, insect, or fish that existed during the formation of the glorious Rockies. The largest variety of fossils found in any one field comes from beds in the Colorado Petrified Forest.

While for many years the forest stood in its natural state, excavations made of recent date, and which are continuing to be made, are bringing to light additional petrifications — further scientific revelations—in the land of geologic wonders.

A special road has been constructed through the forest and a competent guide may be secured without extra charge.

Many prominent geologists from all parts of the world have spent time at the Colorado Petrified Forest. A few of the more familiar are: Dr. L.