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^{*} This derogatory term is only provided because there is a historical record of material from this locality using it. It is my understanding that Grassy Mountain is actually one peak over from the location of this wood, but it is used instead due to the inflammatory name of the true site.

Grassy Mountain (or Butte)

aka Negro Butte (formally known as Nigger Rock*) Malheur Co.





Greenhorn Tempskya (Fossilized Fern)



Hampton Butte Crook Co.



Hampton Butte Crook Co





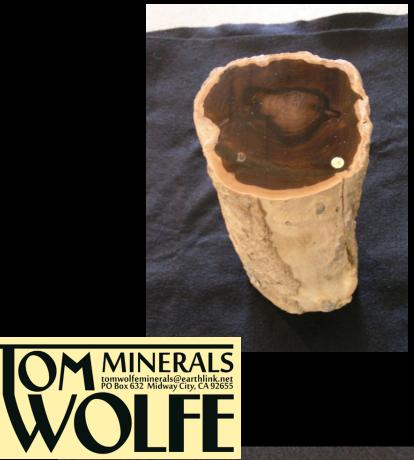
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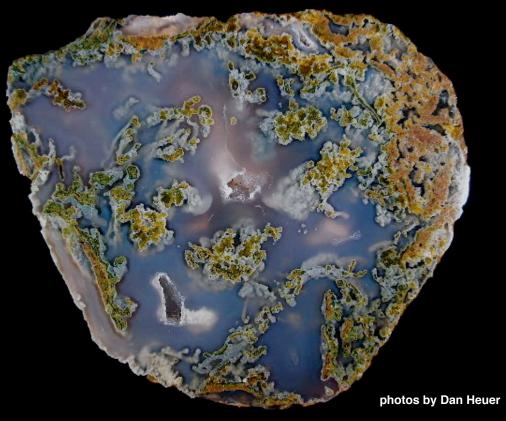


McDermitt





Limb Cast Congleton Hollow Paulina





Limb Cast

Paulina





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Dendrite Bluff Paulina



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Limb Cast

South Fork Crooked River

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Killer Green Thundereggs

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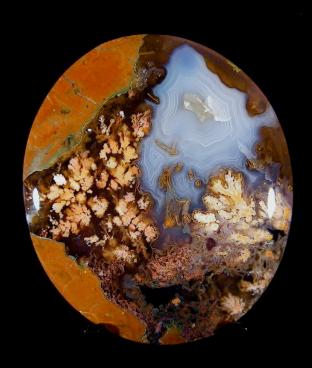
Richardson's Ranch Blue Bed (old Priday Beds)

(old Priday Beds) Madras





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Richardson's Ranch Blue Bed

(old Priday Beds)







Richardson's Ranch Red Bed Madras





Succor Creek







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Carnelian Chandler Mountain Sweet Home

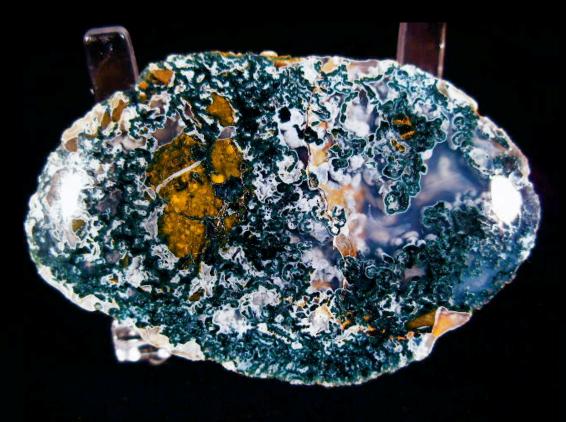


Carnelian Lebanon





Ochoco Green Moss near Walton Lake





Ochoco Green Moss

near Walton Lake





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Nodular Agate Owyhee



Snakeskin Agate Rome





Walton Lake Crook Co.



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Warm Springs Reservation



Williamette River near Portland

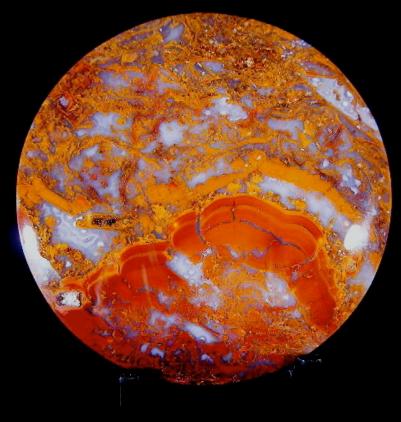


Dendritic Material Lincoln Agate Lincoln



Moss Material

Maury Mountain



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Maury Mountain









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Maury Mountain



Moss Material Pony Butte



Moss Material Powell Butte



Moss Material

Williamette River

near Salem



Amity Creek Plume Stephen Mountain



Antelope Plume



Ashwood Plume







Ashwood Plume



Bear Creek Plume Crook Co.



Carey Plume Carey Ranch Prineville





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Eagle Rock Plume Prineville





Graveyard Plume Graveyard Point





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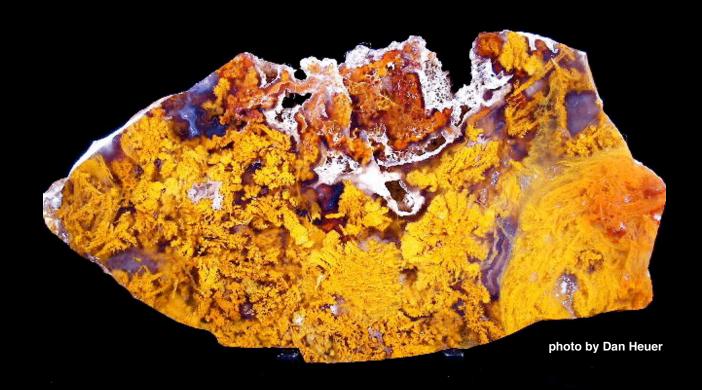




Jumping Jeep Powell Butte Mitchell



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Leathers Ranch



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McDonald Ranch (Angelwing Plume)

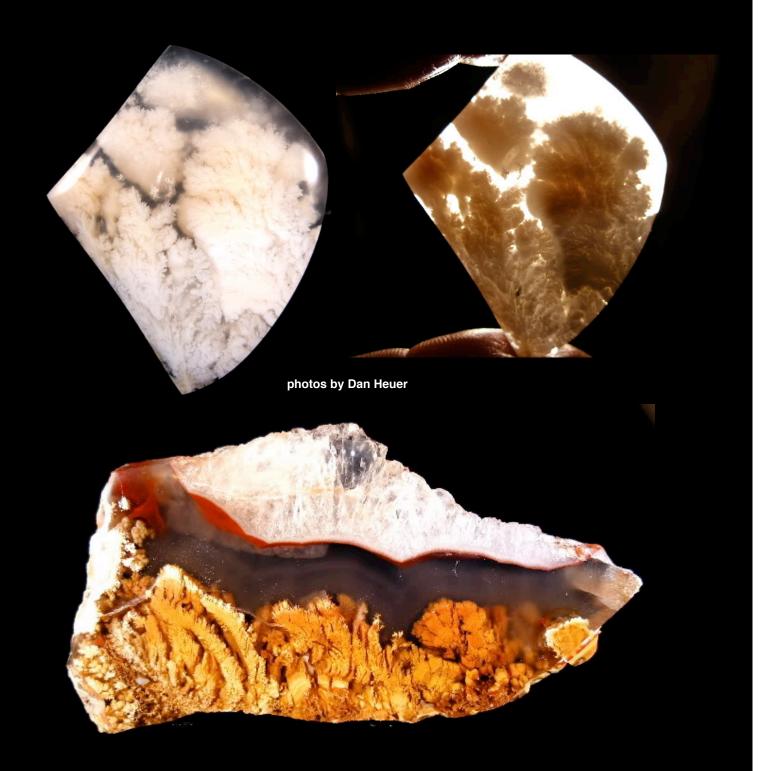


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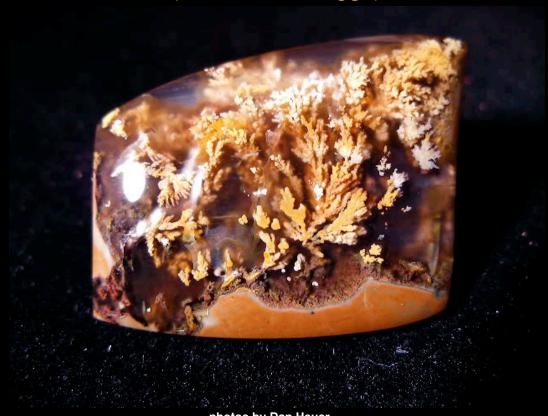
Nyedigger Nyedigger Ranch Post



Powell Butte Plume



Priday Plume (from Thundereggs)



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Sheep Creek Plume East of Prineville









Stinkingwater Plume Stinkingwater





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Plume Material White Top Plume



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Williamette River Plume

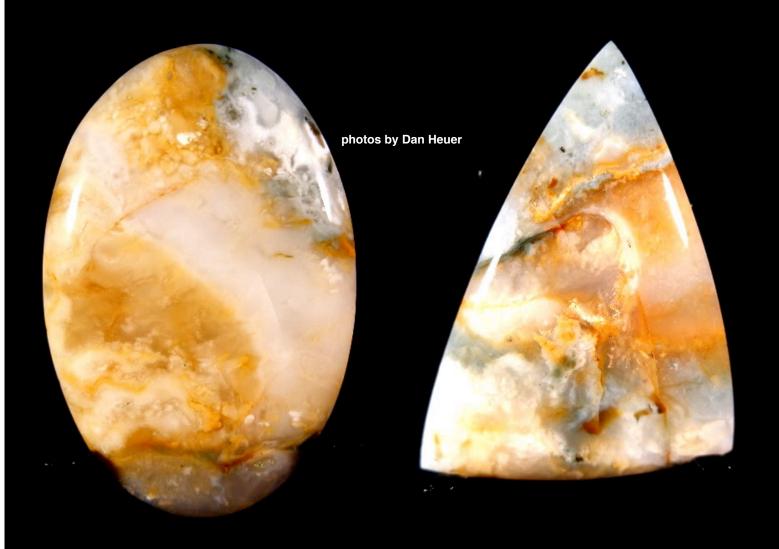


Hampton Butte





Agate Miscellaneous Hay Creek Madras



Holly Blue (Holley Blue) Holley, Linn Co.





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Keegan Tube Agate Ochoco Mountains





Ochoco Lace Tube Agate Walton Lake





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Polka Dot Agate Ashwood

Ashwood Jefferson Co.





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Quant Tube Agate

Near Walton Lake Ochoco Mountains







Rice Agate Ochoco





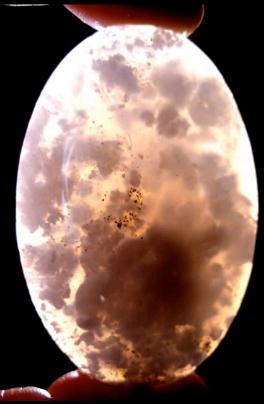
Storm Cell Agate

Mitchell Jefferson Co.





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Trent Sagenite Trent



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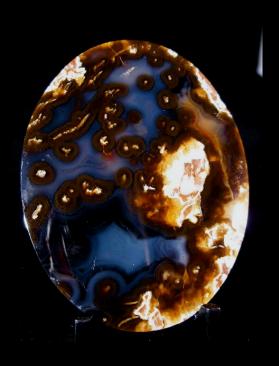




Warm Springs Tube Agate Warm Springs Indian Reservation



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Biggs Jasper Biggs Junction







Biggs Jasper Blue Biggs







Biggs Jasper Blue Biggs



Blue Mountain Malheur Co.





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Chicken Track Jasper McDermitt



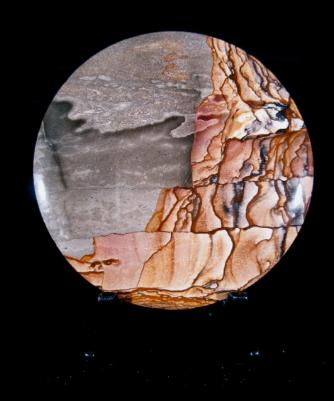




Deschuttes Jasper







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Disaster Peak McDermitt





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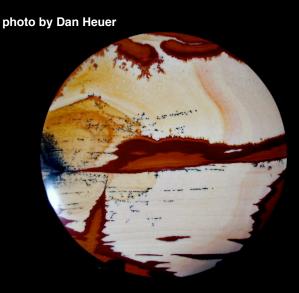
Owyhee Picture Jasper

(aka Cherry Creek Jasper)
Owyhee Mountains
Malheur Co.



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Owyhee Sunset Jasper

Owyhee Mountains Malheur Co.



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Palomino Picture Jasper McDermitt



Rocky Butte Jasper Owyhee Mountains







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Vistaite
Walton Creek
Crook Co.



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Vistaite
Walton Creek
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War Eagle Jasper
Owyhee Mountains







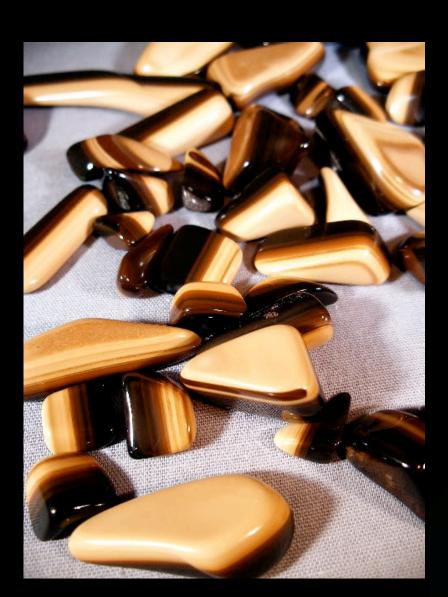
Wild Horse Picture Jasper

(aka Desert Sage Picture Jasper)
Owyhee Mountains





Jasper Miscellaneous Bat Cave Jasper





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Belvade Jasper aka Belvidere Jasper Burns



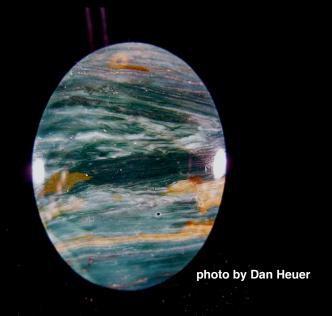




Gary Green Jasper aka Larsonite McDermitt, NV

(petrified swamp bog)







Jasper Miscellaneous Hart Mountain Jasper

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Haystack Mountains Jasper

aka Jellybean Jasper Owyhee Mountains







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Hidden Valley Jasper Owyhee Mountains





Morrisonite







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Oceanside Beach near Tillamook



Oregon Sunset Jasper Richardson Ranch

Madras





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Owyhee Cherry
Owyhee Mountains









Owyhee Green Owyhee Mountains







Williamette River near Salem



Rhyolite

Rose Eye Jasper Heppner



Rhyolite

Spiderweb Jasper Heppner





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We are aware many of the illustrated materials are not actually agate or jasper, but because lapidaries are accustomed to encountering materials identified by common or trade name rather than an actual scientific identification, for the purposes of this index, all quartz lapidary materials will be included and identified by commonly used name when available.

Final Word

The American Agate - Jasper Index is being produced to fill a large gap in the coverage of agates and jaspers in the United States. The intention of this series of volumes is to provide agate and jasper collectors a tool for identifying unknown material they encounter.

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The editors of this project are planning on producing a white-background version in the future to allow easier printing. Traditional indexes are also being prepared to be added at the end of each volume. These will include locations, alternative names, and associated material.

We thank everyone who has helped, will help, or supports this endeavor. Please spread the word about this project. We are hoping more collectors across the United States will participate. If you have material to add to this index, please e-mail it to agateindex@yahoo.com. Special thanks goes out to Steve Holmes. His posting on *Rock Tumbling Hobby* initiated the conversation that set the spark for this project, and his contribution to the first Volume helped us maintain our excitement that this crazy idea might work.

Sincerely,

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