

1: Paradise of Cities: Venice in the Nineteenth Century by John Julius Norwich

"Paradise of Cities" relates snippets of the lives of the "rich and famous" who visited, often for extended periods, Venice during the 19th century. Norwich includes biographical sketches of Napoleon, Lord Byron, Wagner, Henry James, Robert Browning, James Whistler, and John Singer Sargent, among others, emphasizing their time in and love of Venice.

History[edit] While parts of Paradise have been inhabited since the late nineteenth-century, its growth only took off in the s and s as a "bedroom community" of nearby St. It has grown at a slow pace since. In the early s, the Town of Paradise was amalgamated with the Town of St. Other developed areas which had previously been administered by the Southern Metropolitan Board, an agency of the Government of Newfoundland and Labrador , were also amalgamated with Paradise. Recently, Paradise has been identified by Statistics Canada as the fastest-growing municipality in Atlantic Canada. Geography[edit] Precambrian bedrock underlies the town, with a belt of volcanic rock along the coast and clastic sedimentary rock inland. Sports[edit] Paradise is the starting point for the annual Tely 10 Mile Road Race , one of the oldest races in Canada. He also provided an explanation of what each element of the crest represented. The animal in the top of the crest is a caribou. The caribou is currently the provincial animal of Newfoundland. There are two bulldogs holding up the crest. Newfoundland was a protectorate of Great Britain before becoming a province of Canada in The cross located on the center of the crest is a representation of the Christian religion on which the laws of Newfoundland are founded. The gear and electric bolt located in the top two portions of the crest represent industry in the community. The lower left corner of the crest bears a tree. Paradise in Greek means a park. The lower right corner of the crest is a sled filled with wood. This information was collected from the official town website, see below. War memorial[edit] The War memorial located at the town hall was also designed by Arch Janes before his death in Government[edit] The Paradise town council is made up of a mayor, deputy mayor, and five councillors. The current mayor of the town is Dan Bobbett, a former Paradise town councillor. Dianne Whalen was the mayor of Paradise for 18 years before entering provincial politics in Paradise had two people running for mayor â€” incumbent Ralph Wiseman and year-old Kurtis Coombs. Coombs planned on requesting a judicial recount and recommended that another election be held.

2: Town of Paradise - Home

Paradise of Cities has ratings and 26 reviews. Marguerite said: This was Venice seen through the eyes of some of its famous and not-so-famous 19th C.

WATCH Scenes from California as unprecedented destruction from fires continue 0 Shares As search crews found another body Wednesday in a house burned by a massive Southern California wildfire, officials fear many more deaths in the destructive blazes at both ends of the state that have now claimed 59 lives. Interested in California Wildfires? The grim discovery marked the third death from the Woolsey Fire, the monster inferno that swept through Los Angeles and Ventura counties leveling nearly structures and blackening 97, acres, officials said. The Butte County Sheriff says the remains of those eight victims were found in the town of Paradise, California. There were more people missing in the Butte County fire zones on Wednesday night, though officials were working to track them down. Interior Secretary Ryan Zinke. The government leaders visited firefighters still battling the blaze, which burned , acres and obliterated the town of Paradise, destroying nearly every home in the community of 30, people. Brown said the destruction "looks like a war zone. A public health emergency U. Lisa Almaguer, public information officer for Butte County Public Health, recommended residents stay indoors as much as possible and to wear properly fitting masks when going outside. On Saturday, stronger northeast winds mixing in the valley will help improve the air quality, Braun said. In addition, an outbreak of norovirus has occurred at one of the shelters, Almaguer said, describing the presence of norovirus as "not uncommon," especially at this time of year and "with hundreds of people living in close quarters. Couple who lost home in fire recounts harrowing escape with 4 kids Two massive blazes forced the evacuation of at least two hospitals and eight other health care facilities. A smoke advisory was issued for portions of Los Angeles County amid concerns that smoke from the fires could present a "significant health threat" for people with asthma and other lung conditions, according to the U. Department of Health and Human Services. Battle rages on Thousands of exhausted firefighters battling the Camp Fire in Northern California and the Woolsey Fire in Southern California appeared to be getting a handle on the two massive blazes. Chief Ken Pimlott, director of Cal Fire, said weather conditions at both fires have improved and the strong winds firefighters were seeing over the past three days have started to dissipate. But Pimlott said "critical fire conditions" still existed with an abundance of dry vegetation in both fire zones that could flare-up with the slightest spark. Firefighters, with the help of out-of-state fire crews, were showing progress in their twin battles to subdue the widely-destructive blazes that have blackened a combined acreage larger than the size of New York City. The Camp Fire showed "continued activity" on its northeast side, along the Feather River drainage basin, as it pushed toward the community of Big Bar, Cal Fire announced Tuesday night. The lower part of the area continued to be a challenge because of the "extremely steep, extremely rocky" terrain, fire officials said. Dry conditions will continue this week but precipitation is expected next week, Braun said. All of the bodies were located in the city of Paradise, six inside structures and two outside, Butte County Sheriff Kory Honea told reporters. Forty-seven of those found dead have been identified, but the remains of some of the missing may never be recovered due to the severity of the fire, Honea said. The blaze was 35 percent contained on Wednesday. California wildfires polluting air more than miles away prompt statewide health emergency At least structures, including many homes, have been destroyed by the blaze, which swept through the celebrity enclaves of Malibu and Calabasas. The fire killed two people in Malibu, where the entire city has been under a mandatory evacuation order, officials said. At least three firefighters were injured battling the Woolsey Fire. The blaze was 47 percent contained on Wednesday, as firefighters successfully stretched containment lines. A flare-up Tuesday in the Lake Sherwood and Hidden Valley areas of Ventura County that was threatening to take off in the windy weather was quickly smothered by firefighters. Los Angeles County Fire Chief Daryl Osby said the Woolsey Fire, which has spread to an area about the size of Denver, was the largest his department has battled in years. Another wildfire in the area, the Hill Fire, was 94 percent contained Wednesday after burning 4, acres in Ventura County, according Cal Fire.

3: Paradise City, AZ - Paradise City, Arizona Map & Directions - MapQuest

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4: Cities near Paradise Valley, Arizona

PARADISE, Calif. — Leigh Ann Loney, 29, a nursing assistant at a rural hospital in this town of 27, in the foothills of the Sierra Nevada mountains, said the sense of urgency about a nearby.

5: Paradise, Newfoundland and Labrador - Wikipedia

'For me, this is paradise': life in the Spanish city that banned cars In Pontevedra, the usual soundtrack of a Spanish city has been replaced by the tweeting of birds and the chatter of humans.

6: Paradise, UT - Paradise, Utah Map & Directions - MapQuest

And Paradise, in Butte County just east of the city of Chico, bore the brunt of the devastation. In what fire officials said was an unstoppable storm-front fire, beginning early Thursday morning.

7: Paradise, Nevada - City Information, Fast Facts, Schools, Colleges, and More

Pulga, Concow, Magalia, Stirling City and the entire town of Paradise were among the areas that were under mandatory evacuation orders, according to the California Department of Forestry and Fire.

8: ShieldSquare Block

Paradise-area historical tornado activity is above Texas state average. It is % greater than the overall U.S. average. On 4/25/, a category F4 (max. wind speeds mph) tornado miles away from the Paradise city center caused between \$, and \$5,, in damages.

9: Paradise, California - Wikipedia

Paradise is a town in Butte County, California, United States in the Sierra Nevada foothills above the northeastern Sacramento Valley. As of the census, the town population was 26,

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