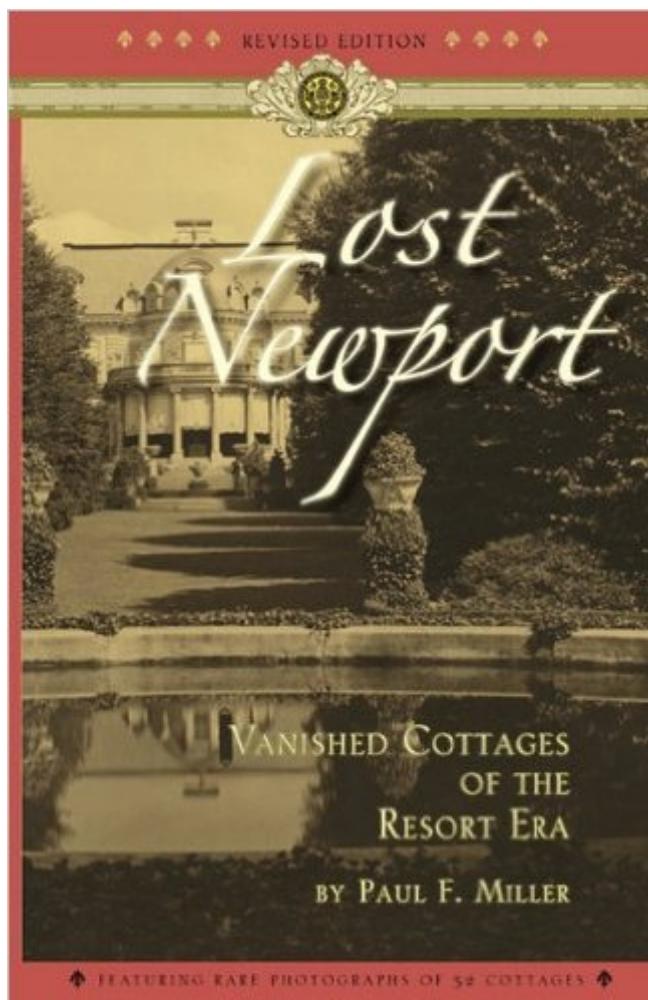


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Lost Newport: Vanished Cottages Of The Resort Era



Synopsis

Featuring more than 100 vintage views of cottages built from the early nineteenth century to the early twentieth century, this book recreates 52 summer houses, now lost, in an evocative guide that gives depth to any Newport experience. Published in cooperation with The Preservation Society of Newport County.

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Customer Reviews

Lost Newport was a great little review of homes many elegant that were lost due to many causes including arson..Pictures were good and a map of where they were was most instructive..After seeing Newport as it is today including these homes completes a look into the past and that gilded era

Lost Newport is not only a great book for history lovers, but those interested in historic preservation as well.I knew that I would be reading about and viewing mansions and property that have been lost, but it still saddens me deeply to know that they are gone. I found myself searching for places that may have been saved and there are a few where a building or a room have been preserved and re-located in Belcourt Castle or elsewhere, but not to the extent that I'd wished for.I read alot of interior design magazines where they are adding on or changing an old home, they talk about not being able to find a particular type of wood - and suggest using a stain that makes your wood look like it. When I read this - I think again about the terrible shame of busting down elegant well built

homes that DID contain real chestnut or mahogany and lots of it.thank you for publishing a book that lets me dream a bit of what it must have been like to walk through some of those halls or actually reside in such splendor.

i have been purchasing books on the historic homes of newport for many years and this book is a excellent addition. it covers the lost architecture that other books mention, but have not provided the illustrations and interesting history of.

Great descriptions of the houses and the people that lived in them. Accounts of the parties of that era and the history of Newport. Lots of pictures of the beautiful mansions.

Well written. Great photos. A stunning tribute to the lost mansions of the Gilded Age. A shame they couldn't have all been saved for posterity.

Interesting book would have loved to see more of the inside of these beautiful old long gone mansions.

Love this book. Wish pictures were in color

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