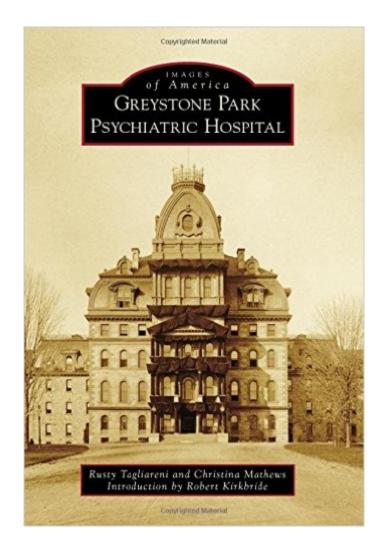
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This was a great, and quick, read! The history and pictures were great and it was very interesting. Such a shame what happened.

I live quite close to the site and enjoyed reading about its history, but was very sad about the

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