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'Dream' up for sale

"ONE man's dream" is for sale. It is the Paronella Park tourist complex at Mena Creek, near Innisfail.

Paronella, visited by thousands of Australian and overseas tourists is a small scale Spanish castle.

It was built 59 years ago by Mr. Joe Paronella. After Mr. Paronella's death, the business was carried on by his family

until about three years ago when it was sold to Mr. and Mrs. John Kickbusch of Brisbane for \$115,000.

It has since been extensively renovated.

Paronella Park covers an area of more than two hectares and one of its

attractions is its natural waterfall that supplies power from a mini hydro-electricity scheme.

When built, Mr. Paronella believed the scheme was unique in Australia, but there was one operating successfully to supply power to Thargomindah.