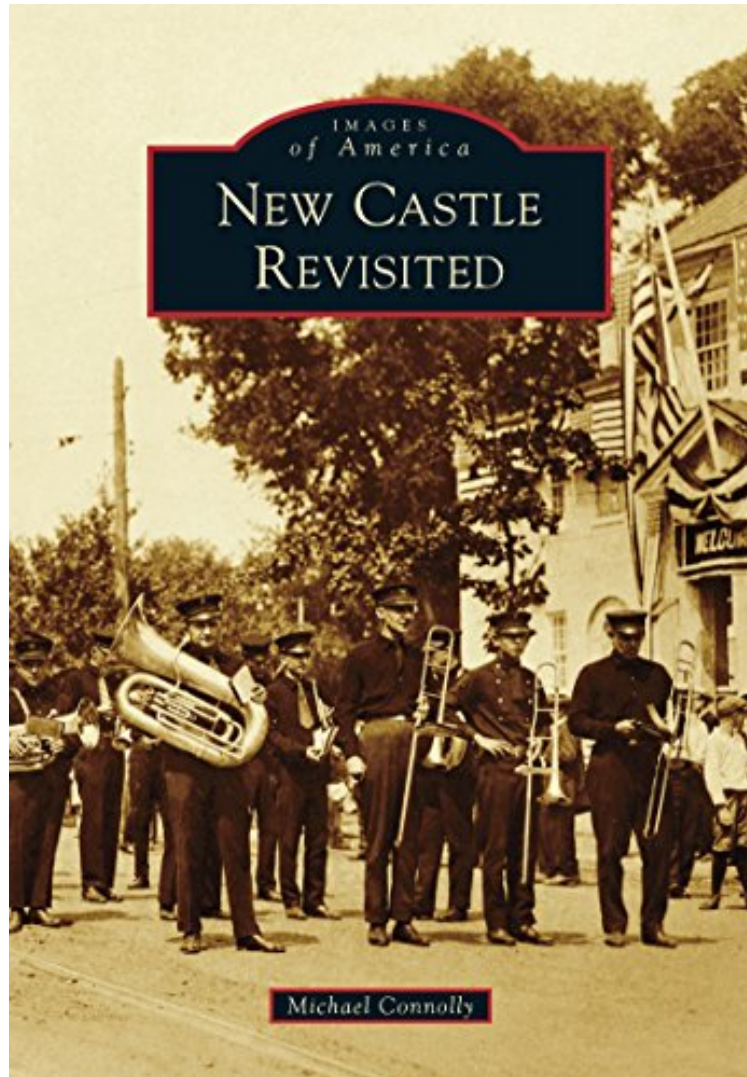


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intact. Today, the people of New Castle take great pride in their community's heritage and enjoy sharing the story of this National Historic Landmark District with others.

About the Author Michael Connolly is currently the executive director of the New Castle Historical Society. A native Delawarean, Mike has been involved in historic preservation in New Castle since moving there over 20 years ago. Most of the photographs in this book are from the collection of the New Castle Historical Society; additional images are from other public and private sources.