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This fall which is 97 meters high, occupying the 19th position among waterfalls in Sri Lanka is situated on Nuwara-Eliya A7 road, 6 Km west of Thalawakele. The Vehicle Park and the observation cabin at the 20th mile post of the Nuwara-Eliya main road is an ideal place to observe the wonderful natural charm of this fall.

Kande Ela Reservoir



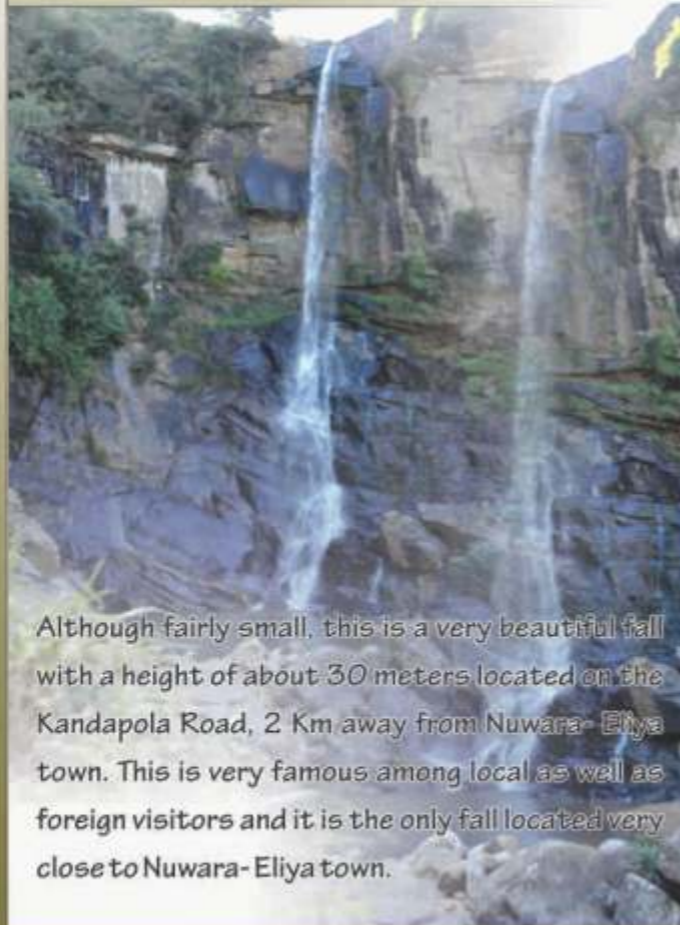
This reservoir together with a Natural forest is situated in a picturesque environment in Meepilimane on the Nuwara-Eliya Horton plains road. One can experience the charm of a serene environment buildup from the combination of lush green forest and the blue coloured water. A pleasure boat service and facilities for fishing in the reservoir are available.

Victoria Park



This, situated in the middle of the town is 27 acres in extent. This park having a large number of rare endemic and migratory birds and local and foreign plants, is a beautiful sight in summer with varieties of roses.

Lovers' leap fall



Although fairly small, this is a very beautiful fall with a height of about 30 meters located on the Kandapola Road, 2 Km away from Nuwara-Eliya town. This is very famous among local as well as foreign visitors and it is the only fall located very close to Nuwara-Eliya town.

Gregory Lake



This can be termed as an enchanting and attractive location in Nuwara-Eliya, situated at Magastota at a distance of 1 Km. from Nuwara-Eliya. The facilities for boat service in the lake, Horse riding and cycle riding with required lanes are provided for local and foreign visitors. The picturesque scene of sunset too can be watched conveniently from this location.

Sandatenna



This is at a height of 7500 feet, which can be reached within about 30 mins. on the road via Seetha Eliya Seed Potato farm located at a distance of 12 Kms. from Nuwara-Eliya town. This has environmental qualities equivalent to those in the Horton Plains National Park and it is the home for deer, wild boar, peacocks, wild buffaloes, Sambar Wild fowl and a large number of bird species.



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According to the "Mahinda Chinthana Idiri Dekma" tourism industry has now become a major industry in Sri Lanka. This brochure is a gift from the Central Province Trade Commerce and Tourism Department, which includes few attractive spots for tourists and published to correspond with the 2014 spring festival of Nuwara-Eliya, with the aim of development and promotion of Tourism industry in the beautiful Nuwara-Eliya district, famous by the name Little England.

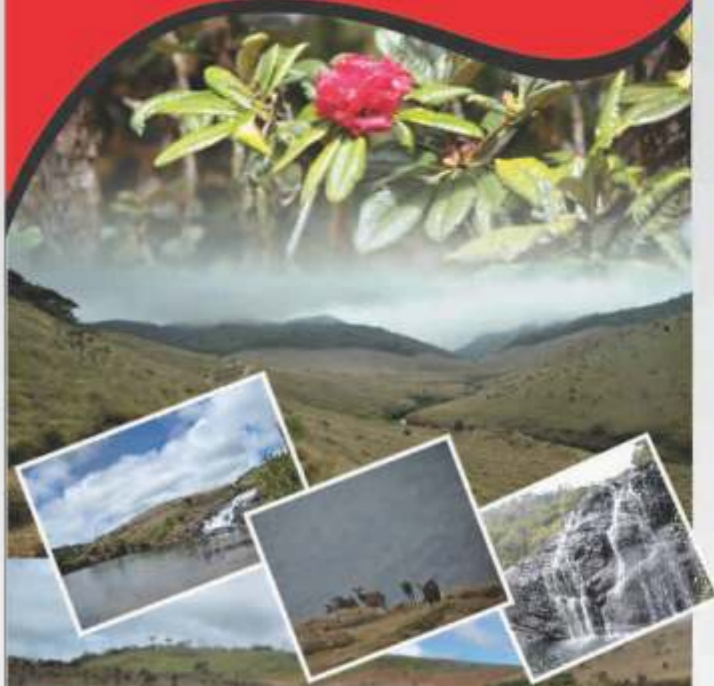
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Horton Plains

This is a National Park in the highest plain in Sri Lanka, with an extent of 10,000 Hectares, located on Pattipola road via Ambewela at a distance of 32 Kms. from Nuwara-Eliya town. This is a paradise full of animals endemic to Sri Lanka and migratory animals and the same has been named in the year 2010 as a world heritage Natural National Park.

Mahaweli Maha Seya (Dagoba) Kothmale

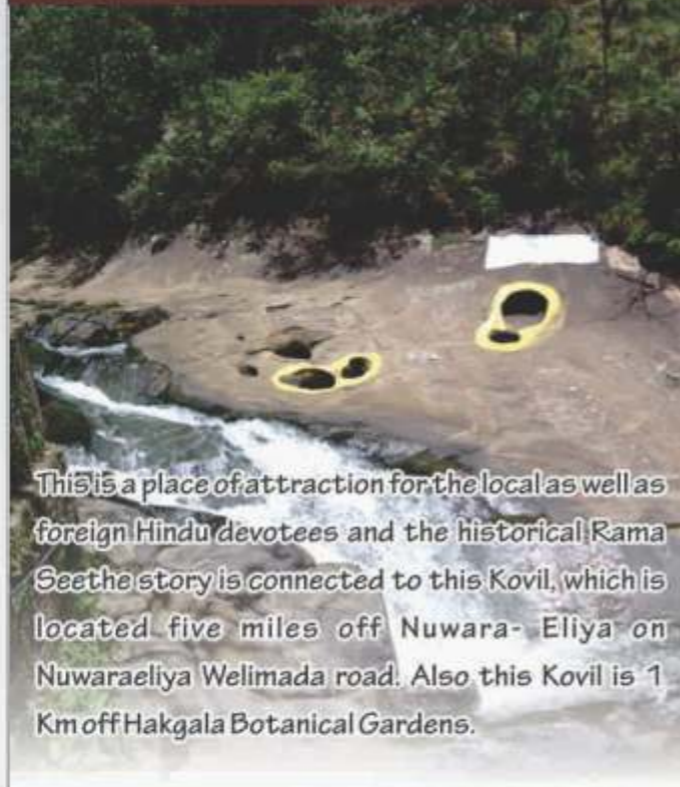


This Seya (Dagoba) can be reached over the road leading upwards close to the Kadadora observation centre located on the road running through the New Town Kothmale.



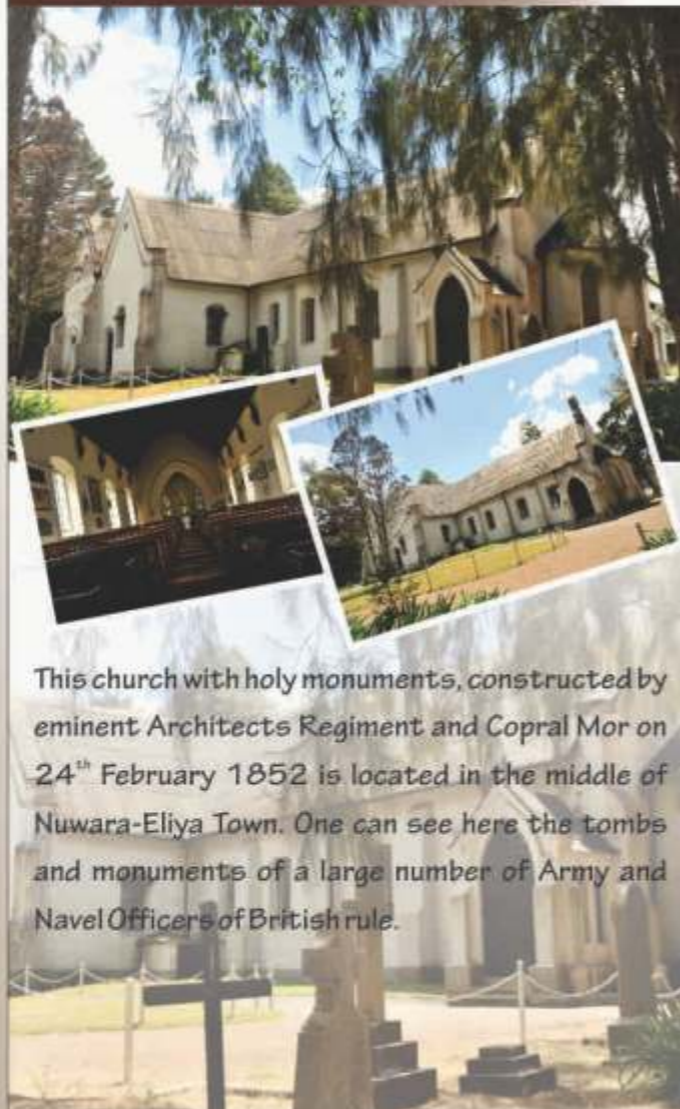
This is unique in that it is second only to Ruwanweli Seya (Dagoba) with a height of 289 feet with its special shape called Bubbulakara.

Seetha Amman Kovil



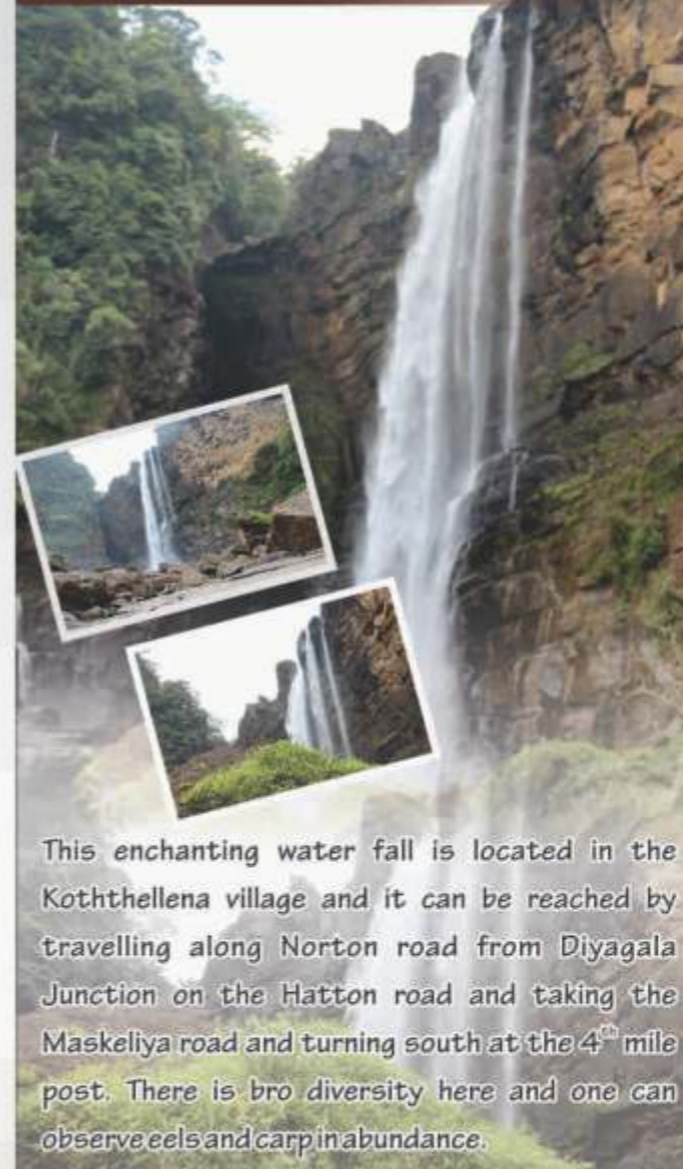
This is a place of attraction for the local as well as foreign Hindu devotees and the historical Rama Seetha story is connected to this Kovil, which is located five miles off Nuwara- Eliya on Nuwaraeliya Welimada road. Also this Kovil is 1 Km off Hakgala Botanical Gardens.

Holy Trinity Church



This church with holy monuments, constructed by eminent Architects Regiment and Copral Mor on 24th February 1852 is located in the middle of Nuwara-Eliya Town. One can see here the tombs and monuments of a large number of Army and Navel Officers of British rule.

Laxapana Water fall



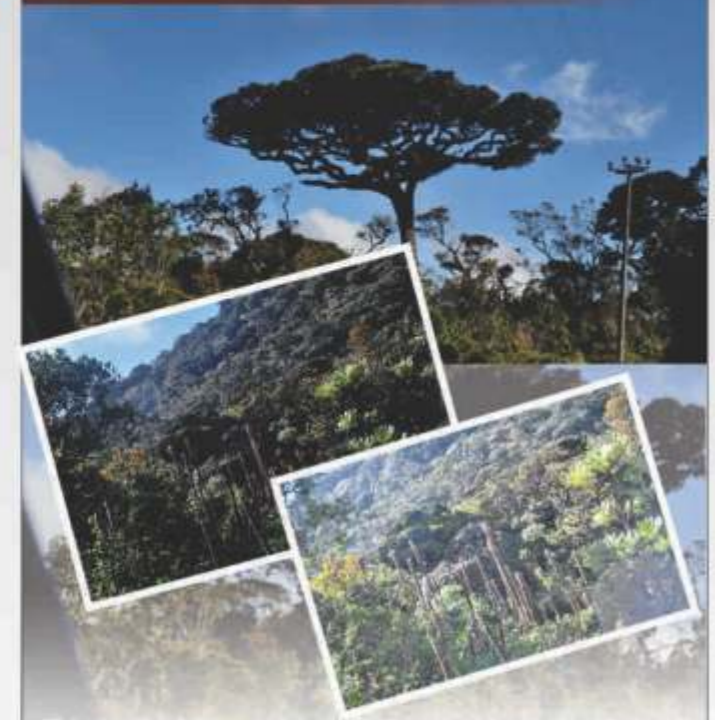
This enchanting water fall is located in the Koththellena village and it can be reached by travelling along Norton road from Diyagala Junction on the Hatton road and taking the Maskeliya road and turning south at the 4th mile post. There is bro diversity here and one can observe eels and carp in abundance.

Hakgala Botanical Gardens



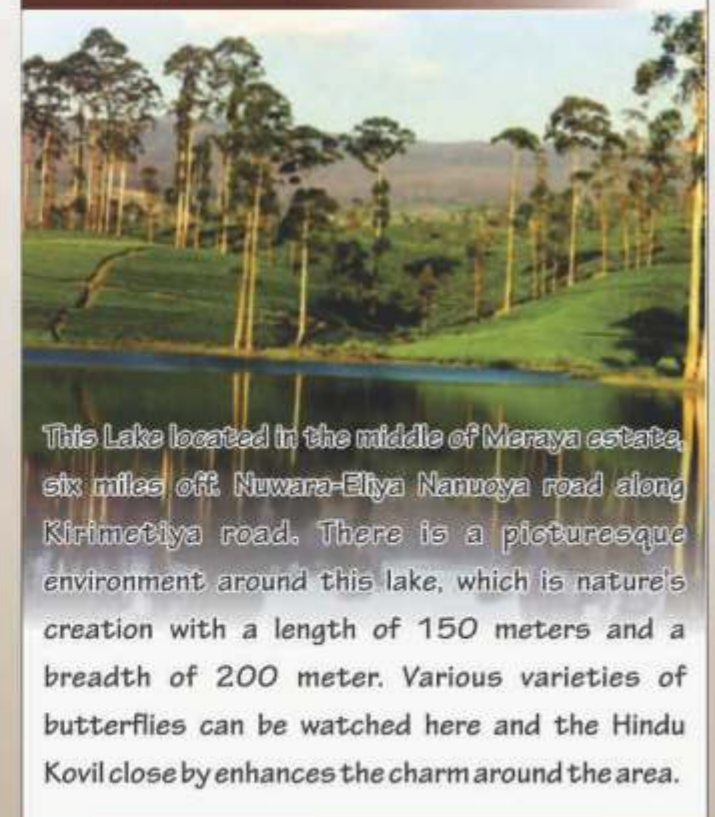
This is situated at the base of the Hakgala mountain range, which is a highest location of the Central hills. It is on the Badulla Welimada road at a distance of 10 Kms. from Nuwara-Eliya. Very rare plant species can be seen here and one can observe clearly the Namunukula Mountain range from this Botanical Garden.

Piduruthalagala Reserve



This is the highest mountain range in Sri Lanka and located 7 Km from Nuwara-Eliya Town. The mountain summit is 2524 meters high and its height from the sea level is 8292 feet. This a very attractive and enchanting forest reserve in the world. Few waterfalls, including St. clares and Devon, originate from the summit of this mountain.

Meraya Lake



This Lake located in the middle of Meraya estate, six miles off Nuwara-Eliya Nanuoya road along Kirimetiya road. There is a picturesque environment around this lake, which is nature's creation with a length of 150 meters and a breadth of 200 meter. Various varieties of butterflies can be watched here and the Hindu Kovil close by enhances the charm around the area.