



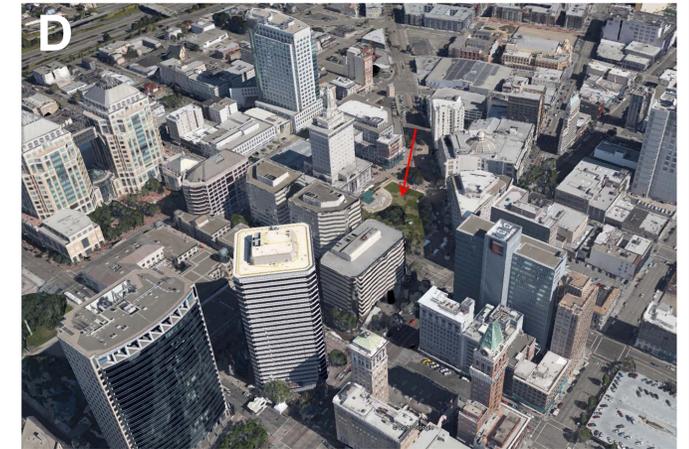
A. Clue: During the Gold Rush, miners knew this town by the names of "Bedbug" and "Freezeout". It was a supply center, stage and rail stop, and an agricultural hub. The modern city was incorporated in 1953 and is now the largest city in this rural county.



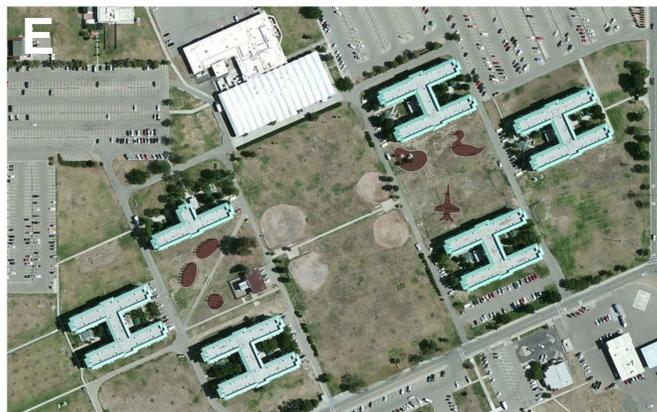
B. Clue: This 6-acre island offers a secluded beach and stunning views. It doesn't appear on some maps. Depending where you stand, you might be in one of 3 Counties claiming jurisdiction over it. Only one man ever called it home; it is still privately owned; and it could be yours for a mere \$5 million.



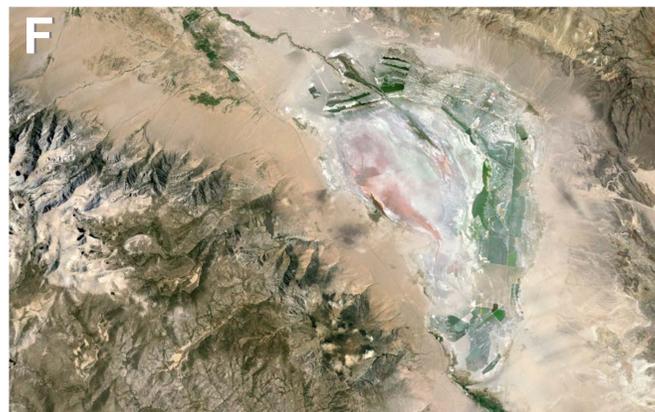
C. Clue: This rock, "Gibraltar of the Pacific", formed about 23 million years ago from the plugs of long-extinct volcanoes. It was a navigational aid for mariners for over 300 years — its height of 576 feet made it the most visible in a chain of nine peaks. Today, Peregrine Falcons nest there.



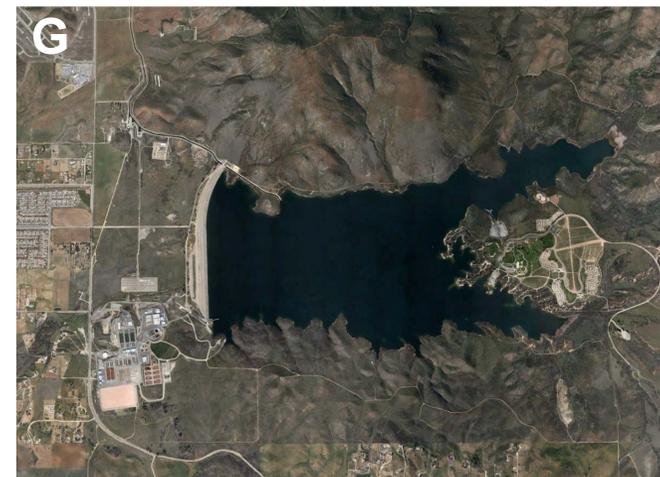
D. Clue: "Occupiers" wreaked major havoc here back in 2011.



E. Clue: There are 5 wildlife areas here, attracting >124 animal species and 106 birds. Nearly 3/4 of land is leased out to local farmers for agricultural purposes to grow cotton, wheat, and sugar beets. The entity leasing out the land area is not exactly what one would expect.



F. Clue: This lake once fluctuated between 7-15m deep and steamboats hauled ore across it. In 1913, water was diverted from its feeder river; the lake was dry by 1926. Today, it produces pervasive, unusually fine-grained, alkaline dust that contaminates everything.



G. Clue: Each year, this lake hosts nation's largest Solar Cup program, in which high school teams build and race solar-powered boats, learning about conservation of natural resources, electrical and mechanical engineering, and problem solving.



H. Clue: Used as a base in World War II, this area is now home to Boeing, Lockheed Martin, Northrop Grumman, as well as a civilian regional airport. Since 1953, it has been the premier production flight test installation in the world and now boasts a historic "air park".



I. Clue: This tree may be 250 years old and may be the most photographed tree in North America. It grows alongside one of the most beautiful and expensive golf courses, which itself is situated along one of the most scenic drives in the world.



J. Clue: These two images show a zoom-out and a zoom-in detail of the same stinky location. No, these aren't ants. In fact, this facility annually produces and markets in excess of 150 million pounds of *** making it the largest, fully-integrated *** operation in California.



K. Clue: This is the most unique area of railroad construction. The track makes a continuous 1-mile loop in a 1-percent grade to gain altitude, crossing over itself. A tangent track, requiring a 4-percent grade, was eliminated as soon as this loop was completed. Long trains may cross over themselves.



L. Clue: The lighthouse here, 422 feet above sea level, began operation on Nov 15, 1855. But it had a serious flaw: fog and low clouds often obscured the light. A new location was established in 1891, closer to the water at the tip of the point.