

## LOUISIANA LOOT HELD IN EXCESS OF TAMMANY'S

State Affairs No Business  
Of Public, Huey's Heirs  
Believed.

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NEW ORLEANS, July 28.—The newsboy along St. Charles Ave. here who shouted "Arabian Nights in Louisiana" as he sold his papers was closer to the truth than the passerby imagined.

Indictments already handed down by Federal and state grand juries, and the series of resignations just ahead of the gun, have indicated the nature of some of the racketeering, but as investigators delve deeper and deeper and tongues begin to wag, a vast system of rackets within Louisiana, under an analytical study, becomes a principal of loot unlike anything yet seen in this country, and the system would put to shame some of the Latin-American republics to the south where it is customary to grease the palms for special favors.

### Huey Provided Screen

If the New Deal and Attorney General Frank Murphy out-Dewey young Tom Dewey of New York, they have a rich opportunity here. When the vast army of Federal agents, whose ranks are being augmented with the arrival of every train, have completed their jobs weeks hence, I predict that the Tammany ring in New York will look like a bunch of small-time pickers.

Huey Long provided the screen behind which those who came after him have operated.

Among the acts which he jammed through a supine Legislature, when he made himself dictator of the state, were statutes which locked up the records of the state beyond any prying eyes under the protection of a Supervisor of Accounts who had authority to check the books on all the state departments. Newspapers and interested citizens have been unable to get to the accounts.

### Graft Became Natural

Huey and the gang which succeeded him constituted a closed corporation. They became high-handed and arrogant. They took the position that state business was none of the public's business. This is manifest today as officials refuse inspection of their records.

Members of the gang acted as if it was the natural thing, and their right, to help themselves blandly to Government materials, as favors among friends, just as they might call up a neighbor to borrow a few glasses for a cocktail party.

Once this state of mind is recognized, it is not so hard to believe the stories that are coming out and the rumors that fly about the streets, but it is a source of disillusionment to the citizenry and explains the rising tide of resentment as the looters are getting caught.

Revelations thus far have shown the intricate system of tribute which is levied upon concerns which do business with the state and how state officials got rake-offs from these corporations. They also have shown how some state officials are themselves owners or part owners of favored companies.

### Tax Cuts Purchased

Favored companies get the state insurance business, the business for various supplies and materials for the oil industry, for materials for buildings at the state university, for supplies for state hospitals.

One of the biggest rackets, of which there already has been public criticism, is what is known as "the gray train." Tax assessments are reduced for a cut, especially here in New Orleans. The list of favored business houses fills pages.

Most explosive politically here now is the system of "deducts," as they are called, the 5 per cent deduction from the pay of state employees which goes to the so-called Louisiana Democratic Associations. Though ostensibly for use in political campaigns, most of this money finds a resting place elsewhere. It is the personal property of the state political bosses, and the stories of the various uses to which it has been put are fantastic.

### FARMHAND WANTS JOB — WITH 'IFS'

OMAHA, Neb., July 28 (U. P.).—A Bancroft, Neb., man who said he was looking for a job, wrote Pat Connell of the Omaha Employment Bureau posing the conditions under which he would accept work as a farmhand:

"The farm owner must be a widow, weight not more than 150 pounds, romantic, not a jagger—and the farm must be clear of encumbrance."

Mr. Connell replied he had no such position listed. "If we did," he said, "I might take it myself."

### WHAT COSTUMES?

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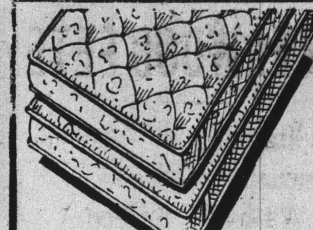
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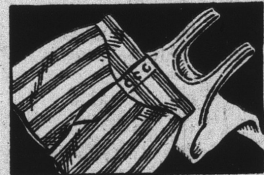
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