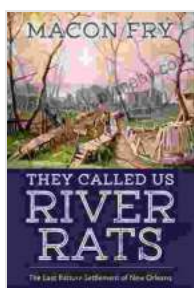


The Last Batture Settlement of New Orleans: A Vanishing Piece of History

The batture settlements of New Orleans were once a vibrant part of the city's culture and history. These communities were built on the natural levees that formed along the Mississippi River, and they were home to a diverse group of people who lived off the land and the river.



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Today, only one batture settlement remains in New Orleans: the Lower Ninth Ward. This community is located on the east bank of the Mississippi River, and it is home to a close-knit group of people who are fiercely proud of their heritage.

The Lower Ninth Ward has faced many challenges over the years, including hurricanes, floods, and economic decline. But the community has always persevered, and its residents are determined to keep their culture alive.

The Last Batture Settlement of New Orleans tells the story of this unique community and the challenges it faces. The book is written by Dr. Kimberly A. Jones, a professor of history at the University of New Orleans. Jones has spent years researching the batture settlements, and her book is a valuable contribution to the history of New Orleans.

The book is divided into three parts. The first part provides a historical overview of the batture settlements, from their origins in the early 19th century to their decline in the late 20th century. The second part focuses on the Lower Ninth Ward, and it tells the story of the community's struggles and triumphs.

The third part of the book discusses the future of the batture settlements. Jones argues that these communities are an important part of New Orleans's history and culture, and she calls for their preservation.

The Last Batture Settlement of New Orleans is a well-written and informative book that sheds light on a little-known part of New Orleans's history. The book is a must-read for anyone who is interested in the city's culture and history.

Reviews

"The Last Batture Settlement of New Orleans is a fascinating and important book. Jones has done a masterful job of researching and writing about this unique community. The book is a valuable contribution to the history of New Orleans and to the understanding of the city's culture." - Dr. Sally Kohlstedt, author of *The Creation of the American Landscape*

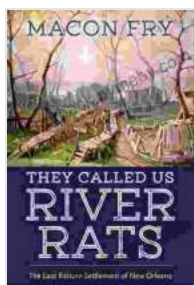
"The Last Batture Settlement of New Orleans is a beautifully written and deeply moving book. Jones has captured the essence of this community and its people. The book is a must-read for anyone who cares about the history and culture of New Orleans." - Dr. Craig E. Colten, author of An Unnatural Metropolis: Wrestling New Orleans from Nature

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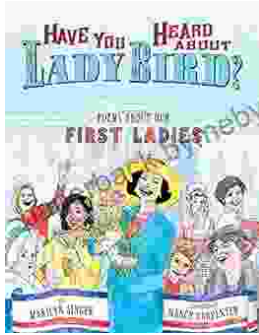


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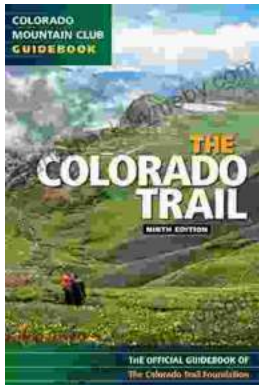
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