

LOUISIANA STATEMENT -- AUGUST 1928 to MAY 1929.

Cash Collected by the Louisiana Division as Reported to OST Headquarters.

	<u>PAID</u>
Vinton,-----	\$ 100.00
Walsh,-----	100.00
Jennings,-----	200.00
Mormantau,-----	25.00
Rayne,-----	100.00
Duson,-----	25.00
Scott,-----	20.00
Lafayette,-----	100.00
New Iberia,-----	125.00
Berwick,-----	100.00
Houma,-----	250.00
St. Martinville,-----	200.00
	<u>\$1342.00</u>
Remitted to OST Head-	
quarters,-----	\$1050.00

The Louisiana Division of the OST was organized at Crowley August 1928. A second meeting was held at Lafayette October 1928 where very complete reports were submitted and a budget agreed upon. January 1929 a third meeting was held at New Iberia; the statement as above was the showing. At that meeting OST officials stated the expenses and lapse of time counted too heavily against the income. Shortly thereafter the managing director stopped work in Louisiana to protect headquarters against further expenses without business assurance of compensating income.

At the Lafayette meeting quotas voted totaled about \$5500.00 for the last half of 1928 with additional quotas intended for 1929. *But \$1050 only has been paid to OST thus far.*

During this period the OST has had field expenses in Louisiana to meet, its general administration expenses, and expenses for the motorcade, the St. Augustine celebration, the New York and northern publicity work, publication of the travelog, the map distribution and various other activities.