

# Brothels, depravity, and abandoned women - illegal sex in antebellum New Orleans

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## Legal History Blog: Schafer on New Orleans's Antebellum Brothels

Little attempt was made to consistently or fairly enforce the laws that the police would use to arrest the prostitutes, often doing so illegally such as dragging a prostitute out of her residence and charging her for vagrancy. And we lack a conscientiously developed appreciation of what it means to us. He argues that bullshitters misrepresent themselves to their audience not as liars do, that is, by deliberately making false claims about what is true.

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Wir haben versucht, Ihr Abo abzubuchen, aber es ist uns nicht gelungen. This book certainly works hard justifying that statement.

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As a result, prosecutors dropped almost all prostitution cases before trial. Relying on previously unexamined court records and newly available newspaper articles, Schafer ably details the brutal and often harrowing lives of the women and young girls who engaged in prostitution.

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The Times-Picayune story commences: Tulane University history professor Judith Kelleher Schafer loves uncovering the truth, whether it be pleasant or not.

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watched as gangs of rowdy men smashed their furniture; some endured beatings by their customers or other public women enraged by fits of jealousy; others were murdered.

### **Brothels, Depravity, and Abandoned Women**

In researching *Becoming Free, Remaining Free: Manumission and Enslavement in New Orleans, 1846—1862* 2003 , Judith Kelleher Schafer discovered numerous legal cases on prostitution. What readers are saying about *Kiss Me, Kill Me*: 'Kiss Me, Kill Me is fantastic! She lives in New Orleans with her husband. Emily Still was charged with assault with intent to kill by Judy Soap, fwc.

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But we tend to take the situation for granted. Concluding paragraphs in each chapter were only opening paragraphs slightly reworded and very few cases discussed went in depth. Each of us contributes his share.

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The general trend in these affairs was seemingly contradictory, city officials often proclaimed to oppose and suppress the sex trade but in reality did little to genuinely follow through on these nominal objectives. She lives in New Orleans with her husband. In *Brothels, Depravity, and Abandoned Women*, Judith Kelleher Schafer examines case histories from the First District Court of New Orleans and tells the engrossing story of prostitution in the city prior to the Civil War.

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