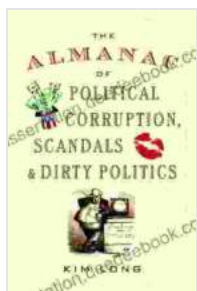


The Almanac of Political Corruption: Scandals and Dirty Politics

Political corruption is a cancer that has plagued societies throughout history. From the ancient Roman Republic to the modern era, politicians have abused their power for personal gain.

The Almanac of Political Corruption is a comprehensive guide to some of the most infamous political corruption scandals in history. From the Teapot Dome Scandal to Watergate and beyond, this book provides a detailed account of the greed, power, and deception that have corrupted governments around the world.



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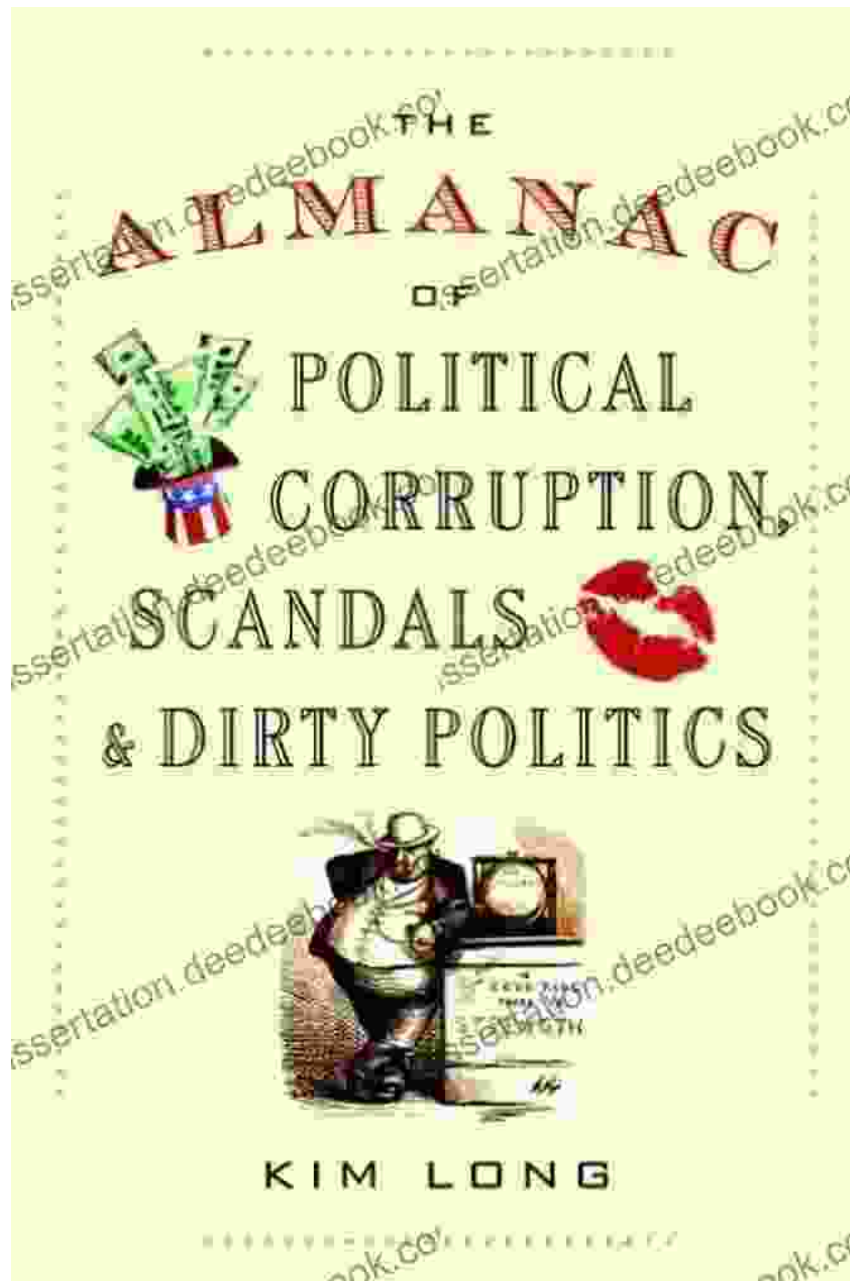
The Teapot Dome Scandal was a major political scandal that rocked the United States in the 1920s. The scandal involved the leasing of federal oil reserves to private companies in exchange for bribes and kickbacks. The

scandal led to the resignation of Secretary of the Interior Albert Fall and the imprisonment of several other high-ranking government officials.



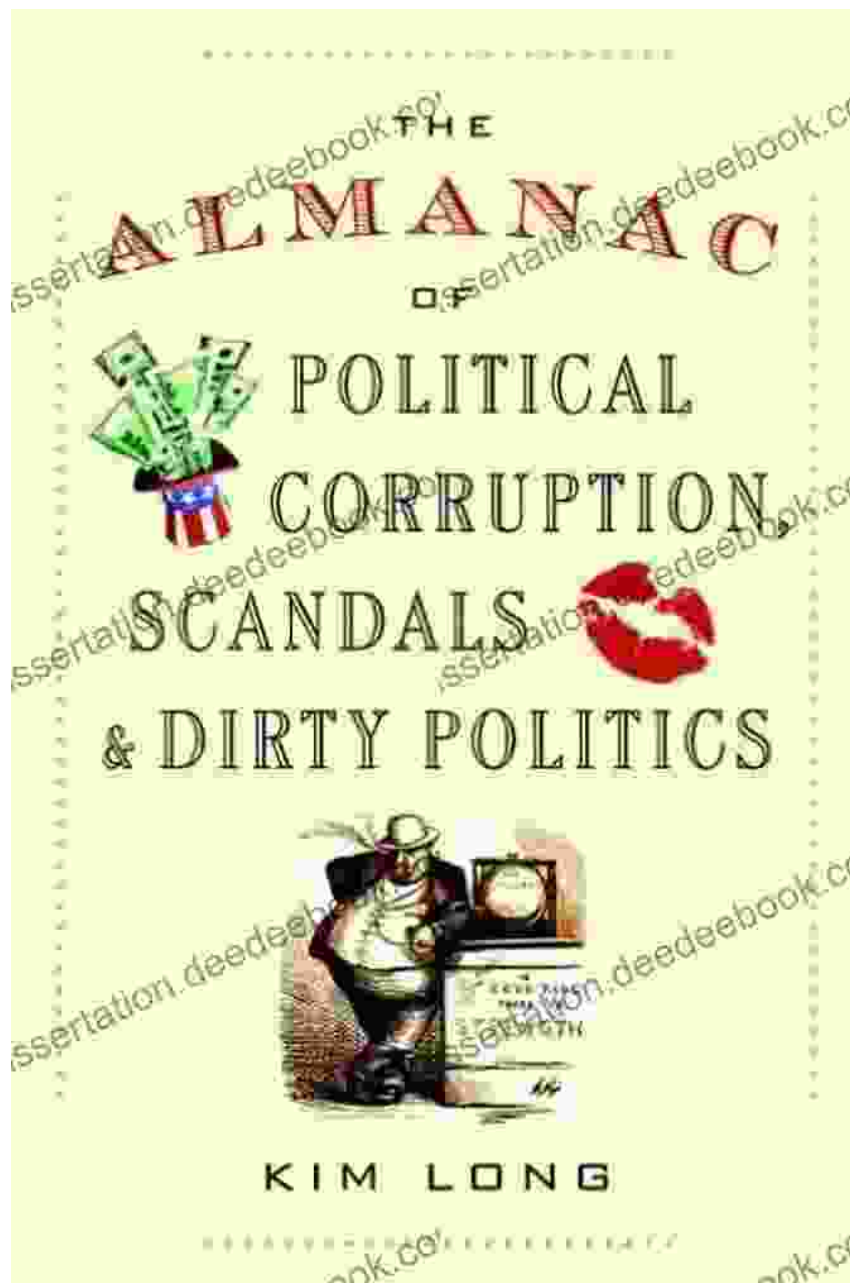
Watergate

Watergate is one of the most famous political scandals in American history. The scandal involved the break-in of the Democratic National Committee headquarters by operatives of the Nixon administration. The scandal led to the resignation of President Richard Nixon and the imprisonment of several of his top aides.



Abscam

Abscam was a sting operation conducted by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in the late 1970s and early 1980s. The operation targeted corrupt politicians who were willing to accept bribes in exchange for favors. The sting led to the conviction of several members of Congress and other high-ranking government officials.



The Iran-Contra Affair

The Iran-Contra Affair was a political scandal that erupted in the United States in the mid-1980s. The scandal involved the sale of arms to Iran in exchange for the release of American hostages. The proceeds from the sale were then diverted to the Contras, a rebel group fighting against the Sandinista government in Nicaragua.



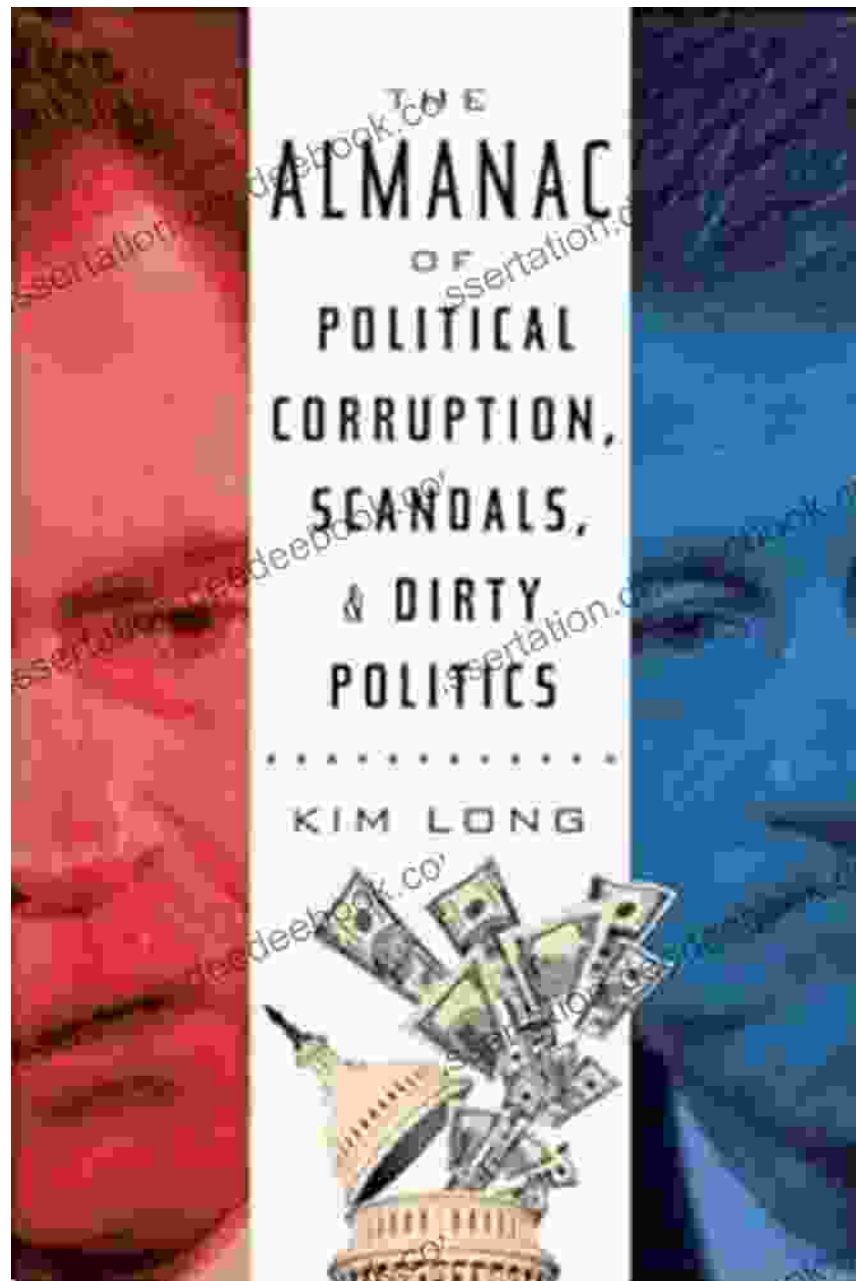
The Monica Lewinsky Scandal

The Monica Lewinsky Scandal was a political scandal that erupted in the United States in the late 1990s. The scandal involved an affair between President Bill Clinton and White House intern Monica Lewinsky. The scandal led to Clinton's impeachment by the House of Representatives, but he was acquitted by the Senate.



The Enron Scandal

The Enron Scandal was a corporate scandal that erupted in the United States in the early 2000s. The scandal involved the collapse of Enron Corporation, a Houston-based energy company. The scandal led to the resignation of Enron's CEO and several other top executives. Enron's collapse also led to a loss of billions of dollars for investors.



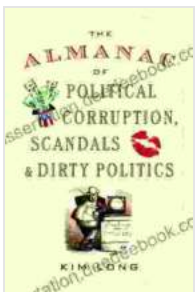
The Madoff Investment Scandal

The Madoff Investment Scandal was a financial scandal that erupted in the United States in the late 2000s. The scandal involved Bernard Madoff, a New York-based investment advisor. Madoff was convicted of running a Ponzi scheme that defrauded investors of billions of dollars. The scandal led to Madoff's imprisonment and the collapse of his investment firm.



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