

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910788372503321
Autore	Ortiz Stephen R
Titolo	Beyond the Bonus March and GI Bill [[electronic resource]] : How Veteran Politics Shaped the New Deal Era // Stephen R. Ortiz
Pubbl/distr/stampa	New York ; ; London, [England] : , : New York University Press, , 2010 ©2010
ISBN	0-8147-6256-5
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (262 p.)
Disciplina	362.86/561097309043
Soggetti	New Deal, 1933-1939 Protest movements - Washington (D.C.) - History - 20th century Veterans - Education - United States - History - 20th century Veterans - United States - Economic conditions - 20th century Veterans - Government policy - United States - History - 20th century World War, 1914-1918 - Veterans - United States Veterans - Political activity - United States - History - 20th century United States Politics and government 1933-1945 United States Politics and government 1919-1933
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Includes index.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references and index.
Nota di contenuto	Veterans' policy and veteran organizations, 1917-1929 -- Rethinking the Bonus March -- The "New Deal" for veterans -- The Bonus re-emerges -- "The Pro-Bonus Party" -- Veteran politics and the New Deal's political triumph of 1936.
Sommario/riassunto	The period between World Wars I and II was a time of turbulent political change, with suffragists, labor radicals, demagogues, and other voices clamoring to be heard. One group of activists that has yet to be closely examined by historians is World War I veterans. Mining the papers of the Veterans of Foreign Wars (VFW) and the American Legion (AL), Stephen R. Ortiz reveals that veterans actively organized in the years following the war to claim state benefits (such as pensions and bonuses), and strove to articulate a role for themselves as a distinct political bloc during the New Deal era. Bey

