INDEPENDENT COUNSEL KENNETH STARR WILL INVESTIGATE BEAUMONT LAWYER

In his ever-widening investigation of governmental corruption, independent counsel Kenneth Starr will hold grand jury hearings on June 24 in Beaumont, Texas, to question Lois Ann Stanton, president of the local Rotary Club. Stanton, an attorney with the Doze law firm and the first woman to serve as Rotary president, has been charged with various high crimes and misdemeanors, including abuse of power, professional malpractice, ambulance chasing, jealousy of trial lawyers, obsessive and shameless promotion of her alma mater, and public defamation of Texas A & M University. Further, she is accused of multiple extramarital dances, having been seen on numerous occasions dancing with men other than her husband, including Paul Bob Jones, a law clerk, and Monty Lubinski, a Camp Enterprise intern. Stanton steadfastly maintains her innocence, saying she never did anything wrong, and that if she did, she didn't know it was wrong at the time. Stanton's husband, Roberto, vows his wife is innocent of all charges, dismissing the dancing episodes, saying "girls will be girls." Federal prosecutor Starr, who promises to uncover the Truth, will question Jones, Lubinski, Webster Stubble, and others associated with the Doze law firm, the Rotary club, and Camp Enterprise, as well as the chancellor of Texas A & M University.

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PROGRAM REVIEW...

Jackie Simien's intriguing "adventure in career" held Rotarians' interest as she spoke of her experience in Haiti. She has developed a 3 part series which aired on KFDM as "Haiti...A Mission of Hope." But her speech to Rotary included unseen footage and her heartfelt comments about the conditions of Haiti and the wonderful spirit of the people of Haiti.

Although there were depressing things said about living conditions, electricity, running water and things that we take for granted, Jackie left us with a very upbeat message of the courage and the simple joys of "being". The experience changed her life and her perspective about life. Her aspiration to have the courage of a Haitian was inspiring.

No doubt, Rotarians in attendance could feel pride that Margaret had brought Haiti into our lives with our project to send toys and clothing. Jackie's experience was another eye opener.

"30" SOMETHINGS"
FOR YOU TO MEET THIS WEEK
GENE RAMSEY - Badges
MICHAEL COLLINS - Ticket Sales
DAN BATES & DAVID LOCKE - Buffet Lines
KAL KINCAID - Registration

RAMBLINGS...

Who was that turkey in the lunch line last week?
A strange thing happened when I arrived at the Rotary meeting. I was paying for my meal under the watchful eye of TRICIA ARMENROUT (What? Doesn't she trust us after all these years?) and everyone behind me kept repeating "high jinx, high jinx." I turned around to see what playful activity might be afoot, and what do you know? I was introduced to GARY MARK's thoroughly lovely wife, Jinx. Falling right into line I said, "Hi, Jinx." It was a pleasure to have her as...
CLUB NEWS

OFFICERS !!!
DIRECTORS !!!
COMMITTEE CHAIRS !!!
"30-SOMETHINGS" !!!
ARE ENTHUSIASTICALLY URGED
TO ATTEND THE ...

CLUB ASSEMBLY
98-99

TO BE HELD TUESDAY, JULY 7, 1998 AT GIGLIO'S, 155 MLK PKWY.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR DINNER PREPARED BY PDG ALEX BROUSSARD
AND PALS AT 5:30 P.M. ASSEMBLY WILL BEGIN AT 6:00 AND WILL BE
OVER BY 7:00.

PLEASE CALL TRICIA IN THE
ROTARY OFFICE AT 842-1913 AND
LET HER KNOW OF YOUR PLANS TO ATTEND.

JUST MY LUCK
A man went to a fortune teller who
looked into a crystal ball and said, "You
will be poor and unhappy until you are
45 years old."

"Then what will happen?" asked the
man hopefully.

"Then you will get used to it."

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

Jun 24 - 30

06/24 DAVID HOLLY Lafayette, LA
06/24 JO BEN WHITTEMORE Beaumont
06/25 C.W. CONN, JR. Beaumont
06/25 GENE RAMSEY Beaumont
06/26 RUSS CATALANO Buffalo, NY
06/27 DON PIPPIN Eldorado, AK
06/28 ANDY BURNS Beaumont
06/28 KEN DOLLINGER Austin
06/28 MARVIN DUNNAM Angleton

PAUL HARRIS MINUTE

Many families in the working class
village of Pedro Leopoldo in Brazil struggle
daily with malnutrition, pollution, and
other problems stemming from poor living
conditions. Nitsi Bennet, a Fort
Walton Beach Rotarian in Florida, heard of
the need for incubators and breathing
devices at the local maternity hospital,
which was hard pressed to care for the
town's high number of premature babies.
She spearheaded an effort to raise $1800
within her club. This was matched with
an equal amount by a district and
matched by Rotary International
Foundation with $3600, for a total of
$7200. This provided funds for the needed
equipment and also established a milk
bank for the infants. The Rotary Club of
Pedro Leopoldo-Cacheira coordinated the
effort. The project is helping to give
the town's infants a head start in the battle
against infant mortality. Your Rotary
Foundation at work!

THE 4-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do
Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all con-
cerned?

NEAR-BY MAKE-UPS...

MONDAY
So. Park 12 N, Holiday Inn-Midtown
N. Port Arthur 12 N, Holiday Inn-Hwy 69
Vidor 12 N, Old Faith Chapel

TUESDAY
West Bnt. 12 N, Post Oak Grill
Port Neches 12 N, Pompano Club

WEDNESDAY
Groves 12 N Pompano Club

THURSDAY
Port Arthur 12 N, Ramada Inn
Bridge City 12 N, St. Paul Methodist Ch.

FRIDAY
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A man who views the world at 50 the
same as he did at 20 has wasted 30 years of
his life.

-Muhammad Ali

our guest.
MARGARET was at the meeting last
week in case you did not get a chance to
say hello to her. We see her all too infre-
tently. Is she running for the HUBERT
OXFORD Attendance Award? It was
great to see her, talking about the plea-
sures of retirement and sporting a new
ID. CHARLIE TURCO called her
"Curly." Is Charlie an Aggie?

Not much else going on. Or maybe
they're just not talking about it. JOHN
(WILD ONE) JOHNSON is looking for a
motorcycle school to attend; MARVIN
GORDY is going fly fishing in Montana or
Colorado or somewhere nice and cool.
Again! CAMILLE MOUTON is heading for
England to spend two weeks with her
daughter, and AZIM KERAMATI, after
having set up programs for the first quar-
ter of next year, has left for a short vaca-
tion with his family to New Braunfels.

LAUREL MARTIN is looking for a co-
chair for Camp Enterprise. Our club has
331 members. Coward that I am, I had
329 suggestions (actually 330 if you
count LORI FALK). I didn't say that,
Charlie Turco did!

FLOYD McSPADDEN is in the hospi-
tal and may be there for another week or
so. Try to get by to see him. He's at St.
Elizabeth's.

Solve it. Solve it quickly, solve it
right or wrong. If you solve it
wrong, it will come back and slap
you in the face, and then you can
solve it right. Lying dead in the
water and doing nothing is a com-
fortable alternative because it is
without risk, but it is an absolutely
fatal way to manage a business.

-Thomas J. Watson, Jr.

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