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"Abandon All Hope Ye Who Enter
Here" (Dante Alighieri, "The Inferno")

THE ANATOMY OF JUDICIAL-OFFICIAL CORRUPTION WOULD YOU BUY A "USED HORSE" FROM RICHARD III?

1a. KNUTE ROCKNE, an immigrant, graduated with honors in chemistry from Notre Dame. He wanted to become a doctor, but that school had no School of Medicine, and so he remained on as an assistant in chemistry -- "God's magic"! The rules in chemistry are clear, specific, exacting, and usually unbelievably astonishing. Thus, every grain of salt in this universe has equal amounts of fluorine, a very poisonous gas, and sodium, a metal, nothing more, nothing less, and in precisely equal amounts. An impurity, of minute proportions, can completely radicalize the outcome!

b. It was only natural that when Knute became coach of the school's football team, the rules of the game would be followed scrupulously. If both sides obeyed the rules, the result, as in chemistry, was absolutely certain -- the team that played the best game, won!

c. The Knute did not "fix" games, he did not even intercede on behalf of his players with their academic teachers, so that they could pass, or pass with less studying, and thereby play football, or have more time to play football!

d. Whether Notre Dame won or lost, there was one thing sure, the game was played "clean", according to the rules!

e. When the Knute was killed in a plane crash, the kids who did not know who the President of the United States was, found out! The President himself, went from Washington to South Bend, Indiana for the funeral for this immigrant, who became an American legend!

f. It was for people like Rockne, that John Kiernan, Sports Editor of the New York Times, would write "When the final curtain comes down, it does not matter whether you won or lost, but how you played the game"!

2a. Administrative Judge XAVIER C. RICCOBONO, in Supreme Court, New York County, has his own rules. The rules, as will be demonstrated, are "dirty"! He corrupts both "judges" and "justice"!

b. In the annals of judicial corruption, Riccobono's actions find little parallel! Administrator XAVIER C. RICCOBONO, is not only "corrupt", but he corrupts and compromises everyone and everything in the system, judicial and official!

c. Sir Francis Bacon, England's Lord Chancellor, was to always insist "I usually accept bribes from both sides so that tainted money can never influence my decision". Martin T. Manton, or so was the testimony from his colleagues on the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, was that he never attempted to unduly pressure for the solicitation of their vote; William C. Brennan, corrupted himself only, none others on the Queens County bench.

d. Consequently, Administrator XAVIER C. RICCOBONO, can be viewed as a modern biblical serpent, who induces many others to "commit sin" by "biting from an orchard of apples". In short, Administrator XAVIER C. RICCOBONO is "Corruption Incarnate"!

3a. Historically, the history of the judiciary is good, perhaps, in part, due to the fact that it was a capitol offense, punishable by hanging, for a judge to betray his trust, which seemed a sufficient deterrence, to all but a few. This, as well as all other common law crimes were abolished, except for contempt of court!

b. Nevertheless, in most circles, the legal profession, which includes the judiciary, enjoys about the same reputation as that of the "used car salesperson", which would not exist if it was managed by a Rockne!

4a. The "Anatomy of Judicial-Official Corruption", is neither fiction, nor journalism, nor scandal, but scientific fact!

b. A scientific fact, is not something that sometimes happens, but always happens. Both before and after, the apple hit Newton's head, Newton must have watched hundreds of apples fall. Galileo, must have climbed the steps of the Tower of Pisa many times, before he recognized that two objects of dissimilar weights, fall to the ground in exactly the same time!

5a. The Supreme Court, New York County, is a good court, with good judges, with a lot of diversification in mind and thought, and generally exhibit judicial independence!

b. It is a "dream court" for experimentation, as the large number of judges permits one to draw certain conclusions as to the effect, vel non, of a "Riccobono factor", on different judges!

6. The litigation surrounding PUCCINI CLOTHES, LTD., is a also a "dream case", because it involves many "judicial absolutes", where judicial discretion simply does not exist. The command, where discretion does not exist, is for the judge is to "perform" or "abstain", or else usurp the limits of authorized power, and become a tyrant!

7. The Puccini litigation is a test of the strength of corruption, for all of judicial power, legitimate and usurped, it has pitted itself against, what it appears to be, one of the incorrigibles, the Rosa Parks, those who really had no intent of changing anything, but one who simply did not want to "stand up" at a particular outrage, and who thereafter found himself/herself engaged in a Goetterdammarung!

8a. Thus, as Virgil led Dante, through the "Nine Circles of Hell", let us follow Administrator XAVIER C. RICCOBONO in a tour of the "Ten Circles of Judicial Hell"!

b. Dante, as he passed through Hell's giant gates, which read, "Abandon All Hope Ye Who Enter Here", candidly recognized himself for what he was, by announcing to the anguished men and woman within that he "was not Orpheus"!

c. Administrator XAVIER C. RICCOBONO, as he enters the fearful pit should similarly announce, in this modern guided tour, "I am not Rochne"!

Next Week -- If not at the Bronx House of Detention, nor my Word Processing Equipment Seized - "The Seeds of Judicial Corruption"!