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# SD ON THE QT

Almost factual news

## (Tea) Party-Crashers

*Conservative Patriots Heroically Pilfer Data from Republican Fat Cats; Pledge to Stop Whitman from "Auctioning America."*

*Desperate Times, Desperate Measures*

DUMPSTER BEHIND DON'S DATA MINING & EXTRAC-TION, INC., SORRENTO VAL-LEY: At first, it looked like Water-gate in reverse.

As Republican delegates from throughout California met in San Diego for the state GOP conven-tion, the offices of the Republican Party of San Diego County were burglarized and a laptop computer stolen. The laptop contained voter-roll data as well as internal party communications and information.

With Democratic incumbents in all realms of government facing increasing resentment from voters frustrated with the enduring eco-

nomie recession and a host of other national calamities, it was hard not to wonder if maybe the Dems had taken a page from the playbook of old Tricky Dick Nixon, who was famously implicated in the 1972 break-in at Democratic National Committee headquarters. (For the children in the audience: as a result of the scandal, Nixon eventu-ally resigned the presidency of the United States.)

But a special "SD on the QT" investigation has revealed that the real culprits behind the break-in were members of A Meg Whitman America — Yuck! (AMWAY). According to the group's Face-book page, AMWAY is a Tea Party splinter-cell composed of "aver-age, hard-working Americans who have had enough and aren't going to stand by and watch America go down the tubes." In particular, they are angered by Republican gubernatorial candidate Meg Whitman's namby-pamby ideas about immigration policy and her blinkered refusal (so far) to support Proposition 23. (The proposition would create a moratorium on AB32, California's cap-and-trade climate-change law.)



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A witness to the crime, who has so far proven unwilling to testify in court for fear of being forced by angry Tea Partiers to move to Canada where he can enjoy the benefits of socialized medicine and rampant taxation without having to pretend to be a real American, told "SD on the QT" that most

of the burglars seemed to be "done up in brownface. You know, white dudes pretending to be Mexicans, like Charlton Heston in *Touch of Evil*. Because they think Mexicans are stealing America, I guess." But the sledgehammer-style social comment of the disguises was bro-ken up by a touch of unexpected

humor: "The group's leader was wearing a Nixon mask, like that guy in *Point Break*. Pretty funny, actually — I mean, if it was a joke. Dear God, I hope it was a joke."

So far, no arrests have been made, but state assembly candidate (and private investigator) Derrick Roach says he is watching the inter-net for clues about how AMWAY will use the sensitive information it has obtained. "The Tea Partiers are strapped for cash going into the mid-term election season," said Roach, "and so we can't rule out some kind of profit motive. They may be preparing to recruit unsuspecting Republicans into some kind of pyramid scheme — everybody profiting from dona-tions at the lowest level."

A more conventional (read: legal) protest against Whitman and her opposition to Prop 23 took place on Friday, August 20, outside the Hyatt Manchester Hotel, where the GOP convention was taking place. Attendance at the rally was sparse. Organizers blamed the intense heat but were careful to note that the unusually high temperatures had nothing to do with any sort of global-warming flim-flammery.



*Dude, Death Harshes the Mellow: San Diego Chapter of Americans for Safe Access Seeks to Add Mortality to List of Medical Conditions For Which Marijuana May Be Prescribed.*



SENATE CANDIDATE CARLY FIORINA ADDRESSES THE CALIFORNIA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION IN SAN DIEGO:

FOR FOUR DECADES, BARBARA BOXER HAS EARNED HER KEEP NOT BY THE SWEAT OF HER BROW, BUT BY THE TOIL AND STRUGGLE OF HARD-WORKING AMERICANS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR...

...AND BY GOLLY, IT'S HIGH TIME I GOT ME SOME OF THAT SWEET, SWEET ACTION!

## WHO PLAYS WHO

## MEDICAL MARIJUANA EDITION



In *The Big Lebowski*, **Jeff Bridges** drew a line in the sand over an assault on his carpet.



In U.S. District Court, **James Stacy** is trying to draw a line between state and federal authority after an assault on his freedom.



In *Star Wars*, **Mark Hamill** championed the rebellion against the Empire's crushing grip on the galaxy.



In San Diego, **Eugene Davidovich** champions the resistance to the DA office's crush-ing grip on canna-bis dispensaries.



On *Family Mat-ters*, **Reginald VelJohnson** had to deal with Urkel.



Despite being acquitted once, **Jovan Jackson** still has to deal with DA Bonnie Dumanis.