

BLUNT INSTRUMENTS

- *ego is not a dirty word* -

- *except when it is!*

The Mismeasure of Man (Stephen Jay Gould) - *"psychometrics"*
blinded by "instrumentation" - the MCMI-III

"Not everything that counts can be counted,
and not everything that can be counted counts."

- Sociologist William Bruce Cameron PhD

- via Allen Frances MD; widely misattributed to Albert Einstein

"In my lexicon, it is presumptuous and grandiose to use the terms, instruments and tools, as synonyms not for bench-science apparatus, but for clinical tests. Clinical psychoendocrinology and sexology are reliant for the most part on psychological tests. To call them instruments or tools gives a false sense of mensurational accuracy."

- "Longitudinal Studies in Clinical Psychoendocrinology and Sexology: Methodology"

- p. 100 in *Venuses Penuses* - John Money PhD

This is where the rubber hits the road in the processes of "psychiatric diagnosis," when a New York State Assistant Attorney General grills you about your "narcissistic tendencies" and embeds in the formal legal and clinical record the SOLE MENTION of a computer program involving Network Security applications, and putting both its value and my values in question... COMET/dataComet-Secure.

• **"I don't want to think about what would happen if he is told 'We didn't give you that contract, Mr. Saunders, for your Comet program.'** I don't want to think about what would happen if that's all it takes, if all it takes is somebody telling you you are going to have to continue on your orders and conditions it starts him into a spiral where he becomes psychotic." - Carol Cocchiola NYS AAG, † [p. 252]

==> *Invoking the "sophisticated" meme in Personality Psychology which "establishes" the inevitable deterioration of the Narcissist into a state of psychic collapse when challenged on their "grandiose delusional systems," and implicitly calling into question the validity of my acquittal on the offense of arson under the M'Naghten Rule stated in CPL 40.15 which applies to criminal offenses in New York State: complete lack of criminal intent.*

Assistant Attorney General Carol Cocchiola Q(uerent)

Q Now you don't accept the diagnosis of Borderline Personality Disorder with narcissistic features?

A That's not what the diagnosis is. It's Personality Disorder Not Otherwise Specified. In fact, I believe first off as I noted I do not qualify for the Borderline Personality Disorder diagnosis. I think that the Not Otherwise Specified diagnosis with borderline features is reasonable.

Q Borderline Personality Disorder with narcissistic features, right?

A Yes.

Q You don't like to think of yourself as narcissistic?

A I think the only feature there which applies which is in the DSM is grandiosity. I'm mildly grandiose, and I am aware of that. But...

Q I didn't have a question. † [p. 225-226]

† "2003-05 - Testimony by Kevin Eric Saunders (aka B.A.R.BLAYK) - Recommitment Hearing.pdf"(in the court of Judge Rowley, Tompkins County)