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THE FOUR WAY TEST

- 1.) Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2.) Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3.) Will it build **GOOD WILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4.) Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

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DAVID PLATER

Along with being a Rotarian, David Plater is a retired maritime lawyer and history teacher. He is the former manager of Acadia Plantation in Thibodaux, LA. David gave the group insight to his book *The Butlers of Iberville Parish, Louisiana: Dunboyne Plantation in the 1800*.

The book is a double biography that takes us back to 1833. "Edward G. W. and Frances Parke Butler moved to their newly constructed plantation house, Dunboyne, on the banks of the Mississippi River near the village of Bayou Goula. Their experiences at Dun-

boyne over the next forty years demonstrated the transformations that many land-owning southerners faced in the nineteenth century, from the evolution of agricultural practices and commerce, to the destruction wrought by the Civil War and the transition from slave to free labor, and finally to the social, political, and economic upheavals of Reconstruction. In this comprehensive biography of the Butlers, David D. Plater explores the remarkable lives of a Louisiana family during one of the most tumultuous periods in American history.

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Born in Tennessee to a celebrated veteran of the American Revolution, Edward Butler pursued a military career under the mentorship of his guardian, Andrew Jackson, and, during a posting in Washington, D.C., met and married a grand-niece of George Washington, Frances Parke Lewis. In 1831, he resigned his commission and relocated Frances and their young son to Iberville Parish, where the couple began a sugar cane plantation. As their land holdings grew, they amassed more enslaved laborers and improved their social prominence in Louisiana's antebellum society. A staunch opponent of abolition, Butler voted in favor of Louisiana's withdrawal from the Union at the state's Secession Convention. But his actions proved costly when the war cut off agricultural markets and all but destroyed the state's plantation economy, leaving the Butlers in financial ruin. In 1870, with their plantation and finances in disarray, the Butlers sold Dunboyme and resettled in Pass Christian, Mississippi, where they resided in a rental cottage with the financial support of Edward J. Gay, a wealthy Iberville planter and their daughter-in-law's father. After Frances died in 1875, Edward Butler moved in with his son's family in St. Lou-

Sun., Feb. 12	Des Petite	Golden Meadow	1 PM
Sat., Feb. 18	Des T-Cajuns	Larose	Noon
Sun., Feb. 19	Versailles	Larose	Noon
	Shaka	Thibodaux	12:30 PM
	Ambrosia	Thibodaux	2 PM
Fri., Feb. 24	Athena	Golden Meadow	7 PM
Sat., Feb. 25	Apollo	Lockport	Noon
	Atlantis	Golden Meadow	Noon
	Bon Temps	Larose	6:30 PM
Sun., Feb. 26	Cleophas	Thibodaux	12:30 PM
	Chronos	Thibodaux	1:30 PM
	Nereids	Golden Meadow	6 PM
Tues., Feb. 28	Gheens	Gheens	11 AM
	Neptune	Golden Meadow	Noon
	Ghana	Thibodaux	1 PM
	Choupic	Choupic	1 PM

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is, where he remained until his death in 1888. Based on voluminous primary source material, The Butlers of Iberville Parish, Louisiana offers an intimate picture of a wealthy nineteenth-century family and the turmoil they faced as a system based on the enslavement of others unraveled." (Courtesy of Amazon.com)

Invoices are due!!

Area Clubs for Meeting Makeup's		
Town	Day/Time	Location
Houma	Wed/Noon	Quality Inn
Houma Sunrise	Tue/7:30 AM	Cannata's Cafe
Houma-Terre	Thur/Noon	Quality Inn
Patterson	Wed/6:30 PM.	Harbor Seafood Inn
Grand Isle	Wed/7:00 PM.	Community Center
Donaldsonville	Thur/Noon	Café Lafourche
Lockport	Thur/Noon	C'est Cajun Catering
Morgan City	Thur/Noon	Petroleum Club
Golden Meadow	Thur/7:00 PM	P.J.'s Fed Pond
EarlyAct Club	1st/3rd Tue/7:55 AM	St Charles Elem.
NSU Rotaract	2nd&4th Thurs 4:30 PM	LeBijou

Upcoming Speakers	
JANUARY 31	HERMAN WAGUESPACK
FEBRUARY 7	TAMMY LEDET
	THE CHAMBER
FEB 14	ARCHIE MANNING

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