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Bill O'Reilly is out at Fox News amid sexual harassment claims

The downfall of the network's biggest star was swift and deep after it was disclosed earlier this month that O'Reilly and Fox had paid settlements for sexual harassment complaints made by female colleagues over the years. O'Reilly continued to deny the allegations, calling the claims "unfounded" in a statement.

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Berkeley cancels Ann Coulter's speech over fears of more violent protests

University officials said that they made the decision to cancel the conservative commentator's appearance after assessing the "security situation" on campus. February when the same college Republican group invited right-wing provocateur and former Breitbart editor Milo Yiannopoulos to speak.

By William Wan

Roger Stone in his office in Cathedral, Fla., on Monday. (Andrew Harnik/AP)

Roger Stone helped Donald Trump get elected president. Now he's helping himself.

The caustic campaigner for Nixon and Trump is just where he wants to be: Back in the limelight and knee-deep in scandal as Congress is threatening to haul him before a committee investigating alleged Russian meddling in the presidential election. The attention couldn't come at a better time for Stone. He has a book to sell.

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