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WHY THE HACKING OF THE DEMOCRAT'S PRIVATE EMAILS IS WORSE THAN WATERGATE WHILE THE WORLD IS DISTRACTED AND DAZZLED BY THE "PUSSIFICATION" OF DONALD TRUMP...

In June of 1972... men working for the re-election of President Nixon were arrested for breaking into the Democratic Party's headquarters at the now historic <u>Watergate</u> [Complex]. They had already broken in the month before when they tapped the office phones. But there were technical glitches with the "taps" and they had to go back in June. Which was when they were caught.

Which eventually led to the resignation of the President of the United States.

Now... fast forward forty-four years and exchange the words "tap" and "hack".

We now have Russia hacking into the Democrat's private Email accounts (according to our intelligence divisions)... giving the Emails to WikiLeaks' Julian Assange... like Trump... an accused sexual deviant... to release to the entire world. This has got to be the biggest election scandal in modern history.

Now... I will always be the strongest of defenders of the first amendment.

But when something is stolen from a person's private mail... I have trouble with the legality of it being printed and distributed without their permission.

I've gone round and round with this one for the past week.

The <u>Pentagon Papers</u> kept coming to mind... as I was totally in *favor* of The New York Times printing them... even though they were stolen.

But that was a case of our government not telling our own people what they were doing and hiding the facts about the horrifically endless war in Vietnam.

But today the case is about Email accounts of private citizens working on a presidential campaign... hacked by Russia... and used most advantageously by the Republican Party and their "leader" Donald Trump.

So... the Republican Party is now on the side of WikiLeaks? And Russia?

What's next? Dogs living with Cats? Maybe a Republican against free trade?

And WikiLeaks is releasing them slowly... every day... with most being completely insignificant... in an attempt to tear apart the electoral process and help Trump win by turning Hillary Clinton voters away from the polls. Trump has given up on expanding his base and is working on turning voters away as he sets up his excuses for being a "loser" by saying... "it's all rigged"! Thus launching endless conspiracy theories for the next few decades.

But in fact... it IS being "rigged"... for Trump... by Russia and WikiLeaks.

As Trump completely spins out of control at his campaign rallies.

He even destroyed a teleprompter at a recent rally... "Trump unshackled!"

"I love WikiLeaks!" Trump proclaims time and time again as he holds up yet another "devastating" Email... which usually contains little if any substance.

And keep in mind that he is getting this stuff from Russia... through WikiLeaks. <u>And it could also be easily forged to fit an agenda</u>. It is all automatically suspect as it has been *stolen*. The personalities involved are not exactly the kind of people that can be trusted as moral arbitrators of our election facts.

Because of all the recent "pussy grabbing" reporting you might have missed a few very important stories during the past two or three weeks of madness.

OTHER NEWS THAT YOU POSSIBLY MISSED... (including date of story)

- (1) September 23rd <u>Carter Page</u>... an American businessman and "foreign policy adviser" for Donald Trump is now being investigated by U.S. intelligence officials over whether or not he helped open up back-channel private communications between the Trump campaign and senior Russian officials. Page was one of the names on the list of his "foreign policy team" in Trump's interview with the <u>Washington Post</u> in March. And don't forget that his second campaign manager had direct Kremlin ties and apparently a lot of <u>cash stashed in the Ukraine</u> for helping out Russia there.
- (2) September 29 Donald Trump broke embargo with Castro's Cuba in 1998.
- (3) October 7th Trump proclaimed at a rally that the Obama administration was <u>"letting people pour into the country so they can go and vote.</u>" As if anyone can walk in from Mexico and be a voting citizen in one month!

- (4) October 10th <u>Donald Trump has been using Chinese Steel</u> in his buildings while claiming that he wants to bring steel jobs back to America.
- (5) October 3rd <u>Donald Trump rented space to The Bank of Iran</u> in one of his buildings. A bank that in 1999 was declared by the Treasury Department to be wholly owned by the government of Iran. At the time that they were tenants it is believed that the bank funneled \$100 million to terror groups.
- (6) October 7th Despite DNA evidence... a horrible injustice to five Americans... and a \$40 million dollar settlement... Trump still claims that <u>"The Central Park Five" are still guilty</u>. Back in the day... Trump ran a full page New York Times ad calling for bringing back the death penalty. Good luck with that African American "outreach" program for the GOP!
- (7) October 13th <u>Trump announces that there is a conspiracy</u> of a "global power structure" supported by Hillary Clinton and "International Bankers" to bring down the American workers. This harks back to the "The Protocols of Zion" - one of the most scurrilous antisemitic pack of lies ever printed

The only thing I have left to say is that it has been really fun watching Fox News trying to cover a story about sexual harassment and assault... May Donald and Roger meet in their own special hell someday...

And if I could only be a fly on the wall at the next Bush family reunion dinner... "So Billy... What's new with you? Enable any sexual deviants lately?"