KASH PATEL'S DEEP STATE: HOW TRUMP TRAINED THE GOP TO HATE RULE OF LAW 2

A series of individual choices — often cowardice — brought members of what used to be the Grand Old Party to the point they need to do anything to make sure Trump defies the law.

SO-SO TUESDAY MEANDERINGS

An open thread for discussing Super Tuesday results.

SCOTUS INVITES JACK SMITH TO SUPERSEDE TRUMP WITH INCITING INSURRECTION

Between SCOTUS' delay of Trump's January 6 trial and its holding that only conviction of inciting Insurrection can disqualify someone under the 14th Amendment, it seems like an invitation for Jack Smith to charge Trump with inciting insurrection.

RUSSIA'S FLIPPING FOCUS: ALEXANDER SMIRNOV IS NO EXCEPTION

Alexander Smirnov is nothing new. Exploiting past and present FBI informants has been a key part of Russia's assault on the US for over a decade.

WHAT THE INFORMATION OPERATION ABOUT JOE BIDEN'S AGE LOOKS LIKE

The choice by Democrats to obsess about Biden's age instead of the things his experience has allowed him to accomplish is equally a choice to participate in an information operation designed to dehumanize the President and drown out any discussion of his accomplishments.

THE STILL UNIDENTIFIED "BIG GUY[S]" IN THE ALEXANDER SMIRNOV

SAGA

According to several reports, Alexander Smirnov had the kind of sketchy financial ties one would expect of an FBI informant engaged in "otherwise illegal activities." Of more interest is whether any of those sketchy ties explain the story he allegedly fabricated in 2020.

FRIDAYS WITH NICOLE SANDLER

On Fridays with Nicole Sandler, we discussed the Supreme Court review of Trump's immunity claim.

HUNTER BIDEN CLAIMS ALL ZHAOS LOOK THE SAME TO JOSEPH ZIEGLER

The explanation Hunter Biden offered in his deposition for a discrepancy around his most damning text only raises further questions about the conduct of the IRS agents running a campaign against Hunter.

LIKE HIS FATHER,

HUNTER BIDEN GOT FORGETFUL ABOUT DETAILS PERTAINING TO BEAU'S ILLNESS

Andy Biggs attempted the same kind of gotcha in the Hunter Biden depositoin that Robert Hur engaged in with the Joe Biden interview: using the muddiness created by pegging life events to grief to claim uncertainty about actually material issues.

TRUMP'S OTHER IMMUNITY CLAIM: STEALING BOXES AND BOXES OF CLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS

SCOTUS decided to weigh the extent of Presidential immunity less than a week after Trump claimed that he legally stole boxes and boxes of classified documents.