#### ON THE JOINT ANALYSIS REVIEW, AKA THE FALSE TOR NODE POSITIVES REPORT

The Joint Analysis Report released as part of the Russian hacking package has the effect of selectively burning a bunch of Tor nodes.

### ON THE DNC-FBI SPAT OVER THE DNC SERVER

The spat between the DNC and FBI over whether the latter should have obtained DNC's servers is mostly about bad blood. But that doesn't mean the FBI shouldn't have accessed the DNC server.

### WHITHER SHADOW BROKERS IN DISCUSSIONS OF FOREIGN HACKS OF AMERICA?

Among the many things not mentioned at the SASC hearing on foreign cyber threats to the US was the Shadow Brokers leaks of NSA's tools.

## THOM TILLIS REMINDS JAMES CLAPPER THAT THE US TAMPERS IN ELECTIONS, TOO

North Carolina Republican Thom Tillis did something almost unheard of today: publicly raised how many elections the US itself tampers in.

## RUSSIA HACKED THE DNC. BUT WHAT, SPECIFICALLY, DID GRUDO?

This post lays out more details in the DNC hack story that deserve explanation.

# ON CROWDSTRIKE'S CURIOUSLY TIMED REPORT CLAIMING NEWFOUND "HIGH" CONFIDENCE IN ITS GRU ATTRIBUTION

If CrowdStrike's confidence that GRU hacked the DNC was only "medium" back in June, why does their new report give them any higher

## THE RUSSIANS ARE COMING! THE RUSSIANS ARE — OOPS! NO RUSSIANS!

Last week's report on Russian hacking has already predictably led to false positives.

## A DEEP DIVE ON THE OBAMA RESPONSE TO RUSSIAN DNC HACK (AND THEFT AND HARASSMENT)

Lots and lots of words on what the complete package of retaliation directed at Russia includes.

IS TRUMP'S REVELATION
THE SAME AS CRAIG
MURRAY'S REVELATION:

#### **AN AMERICAN CUT-OUT?**

Trump says he knows something about the DNC hack none of the rest of us do. Could it be the same thing that Craig Murray revealed: that there is an American cut-out involved?

# YOUR WEEKLY ALARMING ANONYMOUS FRIDAY NIGHT WAPO DUMP: VERMONT ELECTRICAL GRID EDITION

The government cannot expect the public to take its DNC hack attribution seriously if every time someone finds suspected malware multiple anonymous sources leak that to the WaPo.