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A Tale of **Three Stories**

Though the anti-American Left has controlled the news media since at least the mid-20th century, within the memory of many Americans, the major newspapers and networks at least pretended they were impartial.

That ended with Barack Obama. Even top Democrats declared that the media were “in the tank” for the Chicago leftist who promised to “fundamentally change” the nation. Donald Trump vowed to stop that change, and so the media openly declared war on him. They spewed venom and falsehoods and hatched impeachment plans even *before* he won the GOP nomination.

And since Election Day 2016, the media have colluded with hate-Trump Democrats to smear and destroy him. If Donald Trump has done us a service, it is this: He finished what Obama started. He invited the media to rip off their mask of impartiality and confess what they have always been: agents of subversion.

Consider three stories.

Biden-Burisma

First is the Biden-Burisma influence-peddling scandal. The Cliff Notes version is this: The Obama administration’s point-man on Ukraine, Vice President Joe Biden, threatened to withhold \$1 billion in loan guarantees for Ukraine if the country did not fire its top prosecutor for “corruption.” That prosecutor was investigating Burisma Holdings, an energy company that had hired and enriched Biden’s son, Hunter, despite his lack of experience in the energy business and discharge from the Navy for using cocaine. Hunter was a raging drug addict.

Biden-Burisma intersects with the effort to impeach Trump because President Trump asked Ukrainian President Volodymyr Zelensky, during a phone call on July 25, to investigate the Biden scandal, and allegedly threatened to withhold military aid until it did. Trump thus suggested a “quid pro quo” and solicited “foreign interference” in the 2020 election.

Impeachment regardless, the media won’t touch Biden-Burisma beyond a few obligatory stories.

“There is no evidence” Biden did anything wrong, they’ve decided, though Biden’s threat is the evidence itself, and investigative reporter John Solomon has uncovered much more. They



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say the anti-Biden claims have been “repeatedly discredited,” and Biden-Burisma is a “debunked conspiracy theory.”

Epstein, Kavanaugh

Another “conspiracy theory” is that Wall Street financier and sex pervert Jeffrey Epstein — under indictment for sex-trafficking teenage girls when he was found hanged in his jail cell — was murdered. The media are not interested in the following “misinformation” from the “alt right”: Epstein was linked to Israel’s Mossad spy agency, his guards all fell asleep at the

same time, surveillance cameras in and around his cell malfunctioned, and his hyoid bone was broken, which rarely happens in suicidal hangings. And Bill Clinton flew on Epstein’s sex plane 26 times.

ABC News assembled a major story on Epstein three years ago — about when Hillary Clinton opened her campaign for president — but refused to broadcast it. The story, the network said, did not meet its “standards.”

Yet ABC eagerly joined the media mob that smeared U.S. Supreme Court Justice Brett Kavanaugh as a rapist during his confirmation hearings. That’s the third story.

Kavanaugh was “credibly accused,” the media averred, although the allegations were evidence-free and his main accuser was not only a proven liar but also a pro-abortion, Clinton leftist. The media gleefully retailed preposterous allegations from a crooked Democratic lawyer that Kavanaugh was a criminal genius who masterminded gang-rape parties during high school. NBC withheld evidence that proved the absurd tale false, and we heard transparently false stories about rapes on a boat and in the backseat of a car.

“There was no evidence” Kavanaugh raped or harmed any woman. The claims were “debunked” and “repeatedly discredited.” The gang-rape tale was an obviously absurd “conspiracy theory.”

Yet the smears met the media’s “standards.”

Trump’s Service

After the GOP nominated Trump, the *New York Times* declared that the media must jettison “objectivity.” He had to be stopped. But the partisan press failed and Trump prevailed, which did not diminish the zeal to wreck him.

No one can be surprised they are collaborating in a criminal conspiracy to overthrow the president of the United States. ■

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