

"...well funded political operatives or reporters wouldn't be able to dig it up?" (a different original BC). So you believe that the Hawaiian officials charged with the serious legal responsibility to guard the privacy of the Hawaiian vital records would be open to being bribed? It's doubtful. But ideology might lead them to bend their rules, (like passing their digital images to the White House and not issuing any contrary statement about the posted PDF version) but doing anything beyond that in their official capacity would probably be a felony. But someone had to provide the counterfeiter with one or more alternate documents from which alternate text could be extracted. Such a someone would have to have access to those documents in the Hawaiian vital records files.

"if there was any traction to this story, at least one Congressman would introduce an impeachment motion. If there was a real fact or two, there might even be a subcommittee hearing. There is nothing".

So true. There is no traction, there is no evidence, there's is only the tiniest amount of smoke. There is certainly no fire. But at the end of the day, there remain the questions that reason can find no answers for. What it mostly amounts to is analogous to the murder mystery in which the entire case pivoted on the dog that didn't bark. It wasn't a matter of evidence that existed, but evidence that didn't, but should have.

Besides the inexplicable, movable layers of the PDF, what we are made curious by is what we don't know, what we haven't seen, answers that haven't been given, such as "why did the President not show the original birth certificate that he inherited from his mother?" He mentioned it in his biographic book. He must still have it. But, by not showing it, he is seen as not wanting to show it for some unknown reason, a reason that may have to do with his eligibility to be the President.

Or "Why doesn't he allow the public, including experts, to view the hard-copies that Hawaii states they provided him?" The suspicion remains that he deliberately wants to hide some fact from the American people. Whatever it is, reasonable curiosity needs to be satisfied. And it isn't being. Has anyone heard an explanation from the White House as to the origin of, or any details at all about, the PDF? Nothing has been explained about it. It's purpose was to clear the air, yet too much "unclearness" remains. Why? Because their tactic was to end the suspicions and questions on the day that it was released and never refer to it ever again. So far that tactic has been totally successful. And that might never change, at least as long as he wears the mantle of the Presidency.

From a common sense intuitive view of President Obama's remarks at the press briefing one would have had to be an innocent child to not be disturbed by what he asked and how he asked it. He, in the past, had linked the White House web-site to a fake Certification of Live Birth digital document image that certified nothing and was created on a computer, not by a scan of a real paper document. Then after blocking every attempt to see the original birth certificate, presto!! Here it is! But let's not dwell on it, no no, lets move beyond it, let's forget about it, lets not even think about it anymore. There's nothing to see here, just move along.

He dared to use the word "we" when speaking about the die-hard skeptics in order to lamely try to manipulate their consciences. "We have more important things to do" Who the hell is "we"? the most vacationing president in history? along with his friends who don't want to see him behind bars? Then he tried to denigrate and belittle the intelligence of any and all doubters by calling their pursuit of the verifiable truth "silly". The vetting of the President of the United States is now considered to be silliness? An emotional attempt at deflection by painting those questioning his unverified place of birth as being squabbling children, -trying to silence further interest in authentication by shaming them like they've been small minded time-wasting juveniles. Why such interest in ending a patriotic endeavor to seek verification that the man elected President is even eligible?

What he was attempting to do was to use the full weight of the prestige of the Presidency and his own personal image of being "the parent" "the adult" in the situation by begging, cajoling, shaming, and even stooping to appealing to their sense of patriotism to preempt and prevent any and all thinking about the PDF fake that was released while he was not present, which he never once referred to nor showed. He wanted it to stop and go away for good by convincing everyone to silence themselves. What purpose would such an appeal serve and why would he care how much time doubters spent/wasted examining a document that was totally genuine? He wouldn't care, if it were totally genuine, but he would care a lot if it weren't. A.R. Nash