SHOOTOUT IN ARKANSAS

MANY PUZZLING QUESTIONS

1. IS GORDON KAHL DEAD?
2. WHO REALLY SHOT THE SHERIFF?
3. WHEN DID THE ALLEGED "KAHL" CUT OFF HIS OWN HANDS, FEET, AND CRUSH HIS OWN JAWBONE SO THAT NO POSITIVE IDENTIFICATION COULD BE MADE? "BEFORE OR AFTER" HE ALLEGEDLY SHOT THE SHERIFF?
4. WHY DID THE FEDERAL OFFICERS HAVE GASOLINE POURED DOWN THE CHIMNEY, KNOWING IT WOULD DESTROY THE EVIDENCE?
5. WHY NO STANDARD "BARRICADE NEGOTIATION" ATTEMPTED WITH ALLEGED KAHL?

Many of you have written to me about your fears of what is occuring in the United States, and the part we are playing in these actions. You have expressed your feelings of uncertainty as to whether or not some of our assignments are in the best interest of the people.

I, too, as you know, share these same concerns. It was because of this concern that I started writing the Aid & Abet letters on Constitutional matters that effect, not only ever private U.S. Citizen, but every man and woman who wears a badge and a uniform, (including military personnel.)

We are the "ENFORCERS" and it has become our TASK to enforce "every" law and regulation, GOOD or BAD, BENEFICIAL or DETRIMENTAL to our Society.

Why, you ask, didn't I use the word "DUTY", instead of TASK? You know why, because our DUTY is to our FELLOW COUNTRYMEN, to the protection of their right to life, property, happiness and freedom.

I share with you now, a sad event in the history of American law enforcement, for your examination. As you read this article, you will envision the IMMENSE and AWESOME power of government today, over, (and I mean OVER) the people.

You will not feel good about what you read, but the issues involved are of vast importance, and to the very best of all information and evidence I have received, it is reasonably accurate and true.

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DID FBI ORDER BURNING OF HOME?

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Tom Lee, Ravenden, Arkansas city marshal, testified at a pretrial hearing in Walnut Ridge, on December, that he and an Arkansas state trooper, named Huddleston, were ordered by the FBI to deliberately set fire to the home of Leonard and Norma Ginter on the night of June 3rd in Smithville, Arkansas.

The Ginters are being tried for the murder of Sheriff Eugene Matthews, who was killed in an alleged shootout with Gordon W. Kahl, so-called fugitive tax protestor.

Lee had previously made a similar statement in a deposition taken by Charles Karr, court appointed attorney for the Ginters, in the federal harboring trial, but had been prevented from testifying by Federal Judge H. Franklin Waters in Harrison, Ark. in October. Lee's testimony came after Judge Andrew Ponder had refused to recuse himself from the capital murder case. The Ginters, Leonard and Norma, are being tried for murder, by the State of Arkansas.

Local attorney, Robert Crank, was appointed as temporary circuit judge by the local bar association to sit in on Ponder's behalf in the recusal motion presented by Joe Izen and Mike Minns, attorneys for the Ginters, which asked Ponder to remove himself from the case.

According to government accounts, Kahl and the sheriff shot each other simultaneously on June 3, after a combined federal and local law enforcement contingency descended on the Ginter home. The body identified by the Arkansas state medical examiner, Fahmy Malak, as Kahl's, was removed from the Ginter home, which was missing both feet and one hand.

Lorna Kahl Adkins, daughter of Gordon Kahl, gave testimony that seemed to contradict Malak's testimony, in the harboring trial, when she said that the teeth sent to North Dakota for burial, were not her father's teeth, evidence would seem to indicate there was a case of mistaken identity by law enforcement personnel, both in North Dakota, where Yori Kahl was mistaken for his father, and in Arkansas. Yori is now serving a life sentence in Bastrop, Texas Federal Detention Center on a second degree murder conviction of the two marshals in North Dakota.

In the Arkansas incident, four people have reported to have heard, on their police scanners, that the officials thought they had killed a local farmer by the name of Bill Wade, who resembled Kahl and fit his description, even to the fact they were both bald and about the same age. Anyone who had never seen Kahl could easily have mistaken him for Bill Wade. This apparently is what happened, and was the reason for the massive cover-up and burning of the Ginter home. If the FBI, in fact, ordered this burning, as Lee has testified, it would seem to indicate that both federal and local law enforcement officers have broken the law, and are guilty of arson and destruction of private property.

Three federal officials, who are directly or indirectly involved in this apparent, massive cover-up, have since resigned. U.S. Marshal, Jim Hall, who claimed, in his initial stories to newspaper reporters, that he dragged the sheriff from the kitchen, after Kahl allegedly shot him, and placed him in a garage enclosure approximately 25 feet from the shooting site, has since resigned from the U.S. Marshal's service.

Dero Downing, Special Agent for the FBI, who testified both, in the harboring trial, and the pretrial hearing in Walnut Ridge, has also resigned, from the FBI.

Another FBI agent, we understand, is going into early retirement starting in December. He is Jack Knox, who was in charge of the investigation that led to conspiracy charges against Leonard and Norma Ginter, Ed and Irene Udey and Arthur Russell.

The trial date for the capital murder charge against the Ginters has been set for March 1984.

Judge Ponder will preside at the trial and, according to local sources, the usual procedure in these matters is for the judge to pick the jury, most of whom he knows on a first name basis.

Bail was set for Norma Ginter at $50,000, but Judge Ponder refused to post bail for Leonard Ginter. Friends and neighbors have been successful in raising $25,000 in cash and property bond for Mrs. Ginter as we go to press.

The local press coverage on this case has been fair and open minded. One local news reporter for Channel 8, in Jonesboro, has been reporting in detail, since the incident on June 3rd, and took photographs of the pock marked Ginter home, the severed foot, presumed to be Kahl's, and also the garage, where a man