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News Media Retractions and Errors 2017	Outlet		
Claims	Outlet	Comment	Date
Republicans funded Steele Dossier	CNN	GOP donor Paul Singer contracted Fusion GPS to perform oppo research on Trump, unrelated to the Steele Dossier	12/26/2017
Judge dismissed a case of Trump profiting from his office	NY Times	The judge actually found the plaintiffs lacked standing	12/21/2017
Sarah Sanders begged Democrats to work with them on tax reform	The Hill	She actually said the Democrats should have begged the GOP to work with them.	12/19/2017
A deadly Amtrak derailment was due to GOP tax cuts	MSNBC	The derailment happened on brand new tracks built specifically for brand new high speed rail.	12/18/2017
CDC issued a list of banned words under Trump	WaPo	There was no ban, but some bureaucrats suggested not using loaded words to proposals would get funded	12/15/2017
Fox News claims they found 10,000 messages sent by Mueller officials	Fox	They only had the same 375 texts every other news outlet had.	12/12/2017
The Pentagon will allow transgender enlistments despite Trump's opposition	AP	Nope, the Pentagon will not try and overrule Trump's ban.	12/11/2017
Trump appeared before a nearly empty Alabama arena to stump for Moore.	WaPo	The picture was taken well before Trump's appearance, WaPo apologized.	12/8/2017
Trump received advanced notice in 2016 of the Wikileaks Clinton email dump.	CNN	The email "proof" was dated 9/14, not 9/4 as claimed by CNN	12/8/2017
Mueller subpoenaed Trump's bank records	Bloomberg	The subpoenas were for other people, not Trump	12/5/2017
Security advisor K.T. McFarland lied to Congress	NY Times	There is no evidence she lied, these are simply unfounded accusations by Senator Booker.	12/4/2017
Sen. Hatch is uninterested in funding CHIP because he believes sick and lazy children do not deserve aid	MSNBC	Hatch said no such thing. Besides Hatch co-wrote the bill to extend CHIP.	12/3/2017
K.T. McFarland conceded that Russia tipped the 2016 election to Trump.	NY Times	She was wildly misquoted.	12/2/2017

Kushner ordered Flynn to contact the Russians.	The Hill	Kushner ordered Flynn during the transition period to contact Russian officials about a specific U.N. resolution.	12/2/2017
More than 6.000 lobbyists worked on the GOP tax bill	The Hill	The report says there are 11,000 active lobbyists in DC and more than half have worked on taxes in 2017, hardly the same.	12/1/2017
Flynn will testify that, as a candidate, Trump ordered him to contact the Russians	ABC News	The directive was after the election and it was to contact all countries, not just Russia.	12/1/2017
Ivanka Trump plagiarized her own previous speech.	Newsweek	Nonsense, she simply referred to a previous speech.	11/30/2017
Trump is the first President since H.W. Bush to not take questions on his first visit to China.	CNN	Obama took no questions after his first meeting the Chinese President.	11/9/2017
Trump is unaware that Japan builds cars in the U.S.	CNN	He was definitely aware Japan builds cars in the U.S. and said so in the same statement.	11/6/2017
Trump embarrassed himself in Japan by dumping all of his fish food.	CNN	He did exactly what Prime Minister Abe did.	11/6/2017
Trump called for death penalty for Sayfullo Saipov, but not for the white man who did the Las Vegas shooting, ergo he's a racist.	GQ	The Las Vegas shooter is already dead, you can't kill him twice.	11/2/2017
No, the Clintons were not paid millions by Russia.	Newsweek	Sorry, yes they were. Uranium One, alone, paid them \$2.5 million, according to the NY Times.	10/19/2017
Paul Ryan said its on Puerto Rico to get back on its feet.	The Hill	He simply said the hurricane was a humanitarian crisis and the government must help PR get back on its feet.	10/13/2017
The Republicans have made it easier for the mentally ill to buy guns.	WaPo	The Congress simply removed a regulation that allowed bureaucrats to remove the 2nd amendments rights of an individual without due process. This is a very biased mis-statement of the facts.	10/2/2017
The House is voting to lift restrictions on gun suppressors just days after the Clarke, Nevada mass shooting.	CNN	The House had no plans to address that bill that week and it has never considered the bill. Total fabrication.	10/2/2017
Secretary Betsy DeVos uses a private jet for travel.	AP	Yep, its her jet and she pays for it.	9/25/2017

Trump removes a 2014 sexual assault report from the WH web site.	HuffPo	Yes, the WH web site is wiped clean when a new President is elected, this happens everytime.	9/1/2017
Mnuchin may scrap plans to replace Jackson on the \$20 bill with Tubman	The Hill	No, the issue is just not on his radar.	8/31/2017
Trump may sue Universities over affirmative action admissions policies that discriminate against white people.	NY Times	They are investigating claims by Asian-American groups that they are being discriminated against. "White people" are not mentioned.	8/1/2017
Comey's memos on conversations with trump have top-secret info.	Fox	Not "Top Secret" although some of the contents may be classified, unknown right now.	7/10/2017
Paul Ryan has imposed a puritan dress code on female reporters.	Yahoo	The Speaker's dress code is decades old, Ryan had nothing to with drafting it.	7/6/2017
Trump is trying to mislead on Russia by criticizing inaccurate reports alleging all 17 intelligence agencies agreed Moscow interfered in the election to get him elected.	NY Times	It was not 17 agencies, it was three. In fact even the partisan DNI head, James Clapper, said explicitly it was 3 of the 17, all three were under him and he is and was very anti-Trump and very partisan.	7/6/2017
North Korea: Imbecilic Americans drunkenly fire missiles in the the East Sea.	NY Times	The North Korean government said no such thing, this was from a parody Twitter account called the DPRK News Service, actual "Fake News."	7/4/2017
Anthony Scaramucci has deep ties to a \$10B Russian investment fund owned by a Kremlin connected bank.	CNN	No evidence ever found. The original source was a solitary anonymous person. It was so thin, CNN dropped it.	6/22/2017
Sarah Palin inspired the 2011 mass shooting in Tucson, Az.	NY Times	No evidence that the shooting or the shooter had any connection to Palin or even knew who she was. Besides the shooter's obsession with gabby Giffords dates back to well before palin was a national figure.	6/14/2017
The Golden State Warriors decided to reject an invitation from the White House	NBC	The warriors had not even received an invitation yet.	6/13/2017

The U.S. Ambassador to Qatar has resigned due to Trump's criticism of Qatar.	NBC	It was at the same time, but she had planned her resignation well ahead of time and had coordinated it with the President. The resignation had nothing to do with Trump's remarks.	6/13/2017
AG Jeff Sessions to Comey to refer to the Russia probe as a "matter" instead of an investigation	NY Times	Not quite, AG Loretta Lynch told him to call the bureau's probe of Clinton's private email server a "matter" rather than an "investigation." The NY Times mixed up Trump and Clinton and Sessions and Lynch.	6/8/2017
AG Sessions did not disclose Russia meetings in security clearance form according to DOJ.	CNN	He was instructed not to disclose Senate-related foreign contacts by the FBI. So it is true, but standard policy.	5/25/2017
Wikileaks collaboratd with slain DNC analyst Seth Rich.	Fox	There was no contact between Seth Rich and Wikileaks	5/16/2017
Russia "hacked" the election	CNN	Numerous organizations have said this, including AP. No hacking was done, no votes changed. Russia did meddle with our election, but did not hack it, there is a differnce.	5/11/2017
Comey was fired after requesting additional resources for the Russia investigation	Politico	Also NYT, CNN and WaPo. Andrew McCabe was unaware of any such request.	5/10/2017
The FCC plans to retaliate against Colbert for making a joke about Trump	The Hill	The FCC received a number of complaints about Colbert's obscene joke and investigated. This is their standard practice, nothing has been done about it.	5/5/2017
Rape and domestic violence will become pre-existing conditions under the GOP health plan.	CNN	No basis in fact.	5/4/2017
By marking May 1 as "loyalty day" Trump is reviving a cold war era holiday or copying an authortatrian holiday.	NBC	Trump did mark the holiday, just like every President since 1955. This is not new folks.	4/30/2017
Trump wants a government shut down.	USA Today	He never said that. He did respond on twitter to Democrats who threatened a shut down.	4/27/2017
Trump doesn't read the text of his executive orders.	NY Times	Trump said this in jest, it was clearly a joke.	4/25/2017

Several New England Patriots snubbed the White House.	NY Times	The number attending in 2017 was very similar to the number in 2015.	4/19/2017
AG Jeff Sessions referred to illegal immigrants as filth.	WSJ	The term clearly referred to crime, not people.	4/11/2017
Neil Gorsuch's book contains material stolen from Indiana lawyer Abigail Kuzma	Politico	Gorsuch's book was properly referenced, all quotes were accredited properly, and this is according to Kuzma.	4/4/2017
Jodey Arrington cited a verse from the Bible to justify stringent SNAP work requirements.	WaPo	The headline was totally misleading and said stuff the article itself didn't say. WaPo had to correct the headline.	3/31/2017
The eggs in the annual Easter egg roll will be gold for the first time.	NY Times	The Obama's had gold Easter eggs. So did other administrations.	3/29/2017
Handguns didn't exist in the 18th Century and don't apply to the 2nd amendment.	Cosmopolitan	Nonsense, handguns existed in the 18th century.	3/21/2017
Trump's budget would eliminate meals on wheels.	Time	2/3 of meals on wheels funding is private.	3/16/2017
Lorretta Lynch recused herself in 2016 from the federal investigation of Clinton	CNN	Lynch never recused herself.	3/2/2017
Trump said repeatedly in the 2016 presidential election that white people built America.	NPR	He never said that. He did say hard-working, law-abiding people built America. He never said white people.	2/21/2017
Trump is considering mobilizing National Guard troops for immigration round ups.	AP	The article is full of errors. It was based on a poorly read memo that floats the idea of using the National Guard to assist in investigating and arresting criminal aliens.	2/17/2017
Michael Flynn said he was a scapegoat.	NY Times	Nope, he didn't even have a twitter account at the time. The tweet the article was based on was fake.	2/14/2017
The Trump camapaign colluded with Russian Intelligence.	NY Times	Not true, refuted by James Comey and others.	2/14/2017
Trump Campaign aids had repeated contacts with Russian Intelligence	NY Times	Buried in the thrid paragraph: The officials interviewed said they have no evidence of cooperation.	2/14/2017
Trump's temporary immigration ban ensnared American-born Olympian Ibthaj Muhammad.	Time	Oops! Turns out she was detained in 2016 when Obama was still President.	2/11/2017

Yemen withdraws permission for U.S. Antiterror Ground Missions.	NY Times	Yemen continues to cooperate with the United States and to abide by all agreements. Yemeni Foreign Minister.	2/7/2017
Betsy DeVos thinks school administrators should carry guns because you never know when a bear will attack.	WaPo	She thinks the decision on guns should be made locally. Some schools are a long way from the nearest police or other law enforcement. With regard to bears, she was talking specifically about a school in rural Wyoming.	2/7/2017
Voter ID laws disproportionately favor white Republicans.	WaPo	The study is flawed according to reviews by Yale, Stanford and Penn State.	2/4/2017
Confrontation between Steve Bannon and John Kelly over the immigration ban.	WaPo	As WaPo now says, there was no meeting or confrontation. Nothing in the article is true.	2/4/2017
Secret Service personnel fired and escorted from building	Atlantic	The Chief of Information Security was forced to resign.	2/3/2017
Trump eased restrictions on Russia allowing US companies to do business with FSB	NBC	Planned in Obama administration.	2/2/2017
Gorsuch supporte gay and opposed military in college newspaper	NBC	NBC misunderstood the newspaper and credited Gorsuch for an article he didn't write.	2/2/2017
Paul Ryan declined to answer a question about Trump's phone call with the Australian prime minister	NBC	He didn't. He did decline to answer a question about Arnold Schwarzenegger and Trump.	2/2/2017
Trump told Mexican President Enrique Pena he'd invade Mexico if he couldn't get his drug problem under control.	AP	He didn't, he only offered to help Mexico. Both Trump and Pena denied it.	2/1/2017
Melania Trump will remain in New York.	The Hill	She just stayed so Baron could finish school.	2/1/2017
Neil Gorsuch founded a group called Fascism Forever in High School	Daily Mail	This was a joke in High School.	2/1/2017
An ailing woman died in Iraq due to Trymp's executive order on immigration	Fox	This was a lie, the woman died days before the executive order	1/31/2017
To keep Trump's SCOTUS nominee a secret the White House set up two twitter accounts for Gorsuch and Hardiman.	CNN	The referenced accounts were not set up by the White House.	1/31/2017

Trump kept his SCOTUS nominee a secret until he made the announcement	WaPo	False, it was leaked to National Review and a few other sites.	1/31/2017
Trump underestimated the number of people affected by his immigration order	NY Times	False, the Times story uses data unavailable during Trump's announcement and it misquotes what Trump said.	1/31/2017
The DOJ had no input on immigration order.	NBC	False, the order was reviewed and approved as lawful by the DOJ prior to it being issued.	1/28/2017
Trump pressured and ordered the national Park Service to get photos of the presidents inauguration crowds.	WaPo	False, the president requested the photos.	1/26/2017
The U.S. State Department's entire senior administrative team has resigned en masse in protest of Trump.	WaPo	All senior staff submitted resignations, as is customary under a new President, four mid-level State Department officials resignations were accepted.	1/26/2017
Trump silenced scientists at the EPA	AP	All federal agencies were ask to halt all public facing documents temporarily, during the transition, which is standard with a new President.	1/24/2017
Melania is using the White House website to promote her business.	WaPo	The White House website lists her accomplishments. No promotion is detectable.	1/20/2017
Trump removed a bust of MLK from the oval office.	Time	Nope, it is still there.	1/20/2017
The Trump White House removed pages on climate change and LGBT rights from the website.	WaPo	All new Presidents wipe the web site clean and start over. The old web site is archived and accessible.	1/20/2017
Nancy Sinatra is furious that the Trump's plan to dance to "My Way" at inauguration	CNN	Nancy Sinatra: "That's not true. I never said that. Why do you lie, CNN?"	1/20/2017