

11972.json true Building a wall on the U.S.-Mexico border will take literally years. immigrationrick-perry Governor Texas republican 30  
30 42 23 18 Radio interview

11685.json false Wisconsin is on pace to double the number of layoffs this year. jobs katrina-shanklandState representative Wisconsin democrat 2 1 0 0 0 a news conference

11096.json false Says John McCain has done nothing to help the vets. military,veterans,voting-record donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 comments on ABC's This Week.

5209.json half-true Suzanne Bonamici supports a plan that will cut choice for Medicare Advantage seniors. medicare,message-machine-2012,campaign-advertising rob-cornilles consultant Oregon republican 1 1 3 1 1 a radio show

9524.json pants-fire When asked by a reporter whether hes at the center of a criminal scheme to violate campaign laws, Gov. Scott Walker nodded yes. campaign-finance,legal-issues,campaign-advertising state-democratic-party-wisconsin Wisconsin democrat 5 7 2  
2 7 a web video

5962.json true Over the past five years the federal government has paid out \$601 million in retirement and disability benefits to deceased former federal employees. federal-budget,pensions,retirementbrendan-doherty Rhode Island republican 1 2 1 1 0 a campaign website

7070.json true Says that Tennessee law requires that schools receive half of proceeds -- \$31 million per year -- from a half-cent increase in the Shelby County sales tax. county-budget,county-government,education,taxes stand-children-tennessee Child and education advocacy organization. Tennessee none 0 0 0 0  
0 in a post on Facebook.

1046.json barely-trueSays Vice President Joe Biden "admits that the American people are being scammed" with the economic stimulus package. economy,stimulus john-boehner Speaker of the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 a press release.

12849.json true Donald Trump is against marriage equality. He wants to go back. gays-and-lesbians,marriage sean-patrick-maloney Congressman for NY-18 New York democrat 0 0 0 0  
0 a speech at the Democratic National Convention

13270.json barely-trueWe know that more than half of Hillary Clintons meetings while she was secretary of state were given to major contributors to the Clinton Foundation. foreign-policy mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5 0  
comments on "Meet the Press"

6649.json barely-trueWe know there are more Democrats in Georgia than Republicans. We know that for a fact. elections mike-berlon Georgia democrat 1 0 0 0 0 an article

2508.json barely-truePolitiFact Texas says Congressman Edwards attacks on Bill Flores are false. ethics,message-machine bill-flores BusinessmanTexas republican 2 0 0 0 0 a TV ad.

11269.json pants-fire Denali is the Kenyan word for black power. environmentviral-image none 5 5 0 3 15  
an image shared on Facebook

11200.json false Says 57 percent of federal spending goes to the military and just 1 percent goes to food and agriculture, including food stamps. federal-budget,military,poverity facebook-posts Social media posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a meme on social media

8047.json half-true On residency requirements for public workers  
city-government, county-government, unions chris-abele  
Philanthropist Wisconsin none 3 5 4 4 2 a  
letter

4888.json true Says the unemployment rate for college graduates is 4.4  
percent and over 10 percent for noncollege-educated. education, jobs  
rick-santorum Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13  
7 5 a speech

3331.json pants-fire Unfortunately we have documented instances where  
people defecated in the (Statehouse) building. labor, state-budget  
tom-niehaus President of the Ohio Senate Ohio republican 0 0  
0 0 1 interviews with reporters

9198.json half-true A recent Gallup poll found that 72 percent of  
Americans and 56 percent of Democrats say the biggest threat to our  
nations security is big government. government-efficiency, government-  
regulation, polls marsha-blackburn U.S. Representative Tennessee  
republican 2 2 1 0 0 a speech to the Freedom  
Summit in New Hampshire

73.json true "Each year, 18,000 people die in America because they  
don't have health care." health-care hillary-clinton Presidential  
candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a speech  
in Des Moines, Iowa.

1328.json false "Ronald Reagan faced an even worse recession" than the  
current one. economy, history sarah-palin Alaska republican  
9 19 9 6 6 her book, Going Rogue

12169.json mostly-true There have not been any public safety issues in  
cities that allow transgender people to use the bathroom of the gender  
they identify as. crime, gays-and-lesbians, sexuality chris-sgro Executive  
Director, Equality NC North Carolina activist 0 1 0 1  
0 a speech urging Charlotte's anti-discrimination ordinance be  
left intact

5244.json half-true Says Mitt Romney was one of the first national  
Republican leaders to endorse Marco Rubio. elections marco-rubio U.S.  
Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a prepared  
statement

12996.json pants-fire The number of illegal immigrants could be 3  
million. It could be 30 million. immigration donald-trump President-  
Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a speech in  
Phoenix, Ariz.

8162.json mostly-true Marijuana is less toxic than alcohol.  
drugs, health-care, marijuana marijuana-policy-project  
none 0 0 0 1 0 a TV ad

10064.json false Says Charlie Crist is embroiled in a fraud case for  
steering taxpayer money to a de facto Ponzi scheme. jobs, state-budget  
republican-party-florida republican 10 6 6  
6 4 a TV ad

1084.json true Now, there was a time when someone like Scalia and  
Ginsburg got 95-plus votes. sotomayor-nomination, supreme-court lindsey-  
graham U.S. senator South Carolina republican 2 2 4  
2 0 a Senate hearing

13231.json barely-true I was gone when there was a red line against  
Syria. foreign-policy hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New  
York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 the second presidential  
debate

13089.json half-true Tim Kaine hiked tuition as governor, but now  
claims to champion affordability. education, state-budget republican-  
national-committee-republican republican 6 6 11  
5 2 a blog post.

1051.json true Contends that President Obama literally said (if) his cap-and-trade proposals were to pass, that utility rates, his words now, would, necessarily skyrocket. climate-change,energy mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5 0 MSNBC interview.

4161.json mostly-true Active duty males in the military are twice as likely to develop prostate cancer than their civilian counterparts. health-care,military cliff-stearns U.S. representative Florida republican 0 0 2 1 0 a press release

11966.json false Its been since 1888 that a Senate of a different party than the president in the White House confirmed a Supreme Court nominee. congress,supreme-court cory-gardner U.S. House of Representatives Colorado republican 4 1 0 0 0 a talk show

9800.json false Under Rosemary Lehmberg, the Travis County D.A.s office convened the grand jury that indicted Rick Perry. crime,criminal-justice sarah-palin Alaska republican 9 19 9 6 6 a commentary

816.json half-true On which team hes rooting for in the World Series. baseball,recreation barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9

2646.json half-true Tom Ganley has two Fs from the Better Business Bureau and over 160 complaints in just three years.message-machine,campaign-advertising democratic-congressional-campaign-committee democrat 11 8 5 1 9 an election ad

12381.json true The United States has a low voter turnout rate. elections mamie-locke State senator Virginia democrat 0 0 0 0 0 an interview.

8567.json half-true Says Thomas Jefferson said, You might be able to fool the people for awhile, and they may go astray, but sooner or later the American people are going to wake up and they will correct the course. health-care,history herman-cain Georgia republican 4 11 5 3 3 a video on Cain TV

9092.json barely-true Because of the federal health care law, 300,000 health plans canceled in Florida. health-care rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a television ad from Let's Get to Work

10055.json mostly-true In Massachusetts, Scott Brown pushed for a law to force women considering abortion -- force them -- to look at color photographs of developing fetuses.abortion,legal-issues,women jeanne-shaheen Senator New Hampshire democrat 3 0 4 2 0 an ad

4513.json true The Fed created \$1.2 trillion out of nothing, gave it to banks, and some of them foreign banks, so that they could stabilize their operations.economy,financial-regulation dennis-kucinich U.S. representative Ohio democrat 1 3 4 6 0 a television interview

10340.json true Texas families have kept more than \$10 billion in their family budgets since we successfully fought to restore Texas sales tax deduction a decade ago. states,taxes kevin-brady U.S. House member Texas republican 1 0 0 1 0 a press release

6849.json barely-true Pre-existing conditions are covered under my (health care) plan. debates,health-care mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a presidential debate in Denver

10971.json half-true Greg Abbott activated the state guard to monitor Jade Helm 15 in case the troops try to impose martial law, disarm innocent Texans, and detain them in tunnels beneath closed Walmart

stores. military,states doonesbury none 0 0 2  
4 0 the strip about Greg Abbott and the Jade Helm military exercise

13251.json pants-fire Says he won the second debate with Hillary Clinton in a landslide in every poll. debates,elections,polls donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
a tweet

7545.json barely-true Says bag litter increased after San Francisco banned single-use shopping bags. environment drew-springer republican 1 0 0 0 0 a press release

4929.json mostly-true In 1993, Newt Gingrich first advocated for the individual mandate in health care. And as recently as May of this year, he was still advocating for it. health-care michele-bachmann Congresswoman Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4 16  
a Republican presidential debate in Des Moines, Iowa

6239.json barely-true Says as a result of the national health care reform, the Congressional Budget Office says we save \$250 million over the first 10 years. Over the next 10 years, we save \$1.2 trillion in savings in terms of health care. health-care robert-menendez U.S. Senator New Jersey democrat 1 3 1 3 0 an interview on Richard French Live

266.json half-true "You said you would vote against the Patriot Act, then you came to the Senate, you voted for it." terrorism hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69  
76 7 a debate in Manchester, N.H.

8841.json mostly-true The federal minimum wage is worth about 20 percent less than it was when Ronald Reagan gave his first address to a joint session of Congress. economy,history,income,workers barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 the State of the Union address

6313.json false A proposed tax to fund transportation projects would spend \$90,000 to take a single vehicle off the road during the morning and afternoon commute. transportation steve-brown Fayette County Commissioner Georgia republican 0 1 1 0 0 a forum hosted by The Atlanta Journal-Constitution

9550.json barely-true A salesclerk at Hobby Lobby who needs contraception is not going to get that service through her employers health care plan because her employer doesnt think she should be using contraception. abortion,health-care,legal-issues,women hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 an interview at the Aspen Ideas Festival

9612.json half-true Says Charlie Crist voted against raising the minimum wage. economy,jobs republican-party-florida republican 10 6 6 6 4 a campaign commercial

13272.json barely-true Hillary Clinton said gun confiscation would be worth considering. guns national-rifle-association none 3 5 1 5 3 a flier.

7562.json mostly-true Already, a prototype driverless car has traveled more than 300,000 miles in the crowded maze of California streets without a single accident. consumer-safety,public-safety,technology,transportation jeb-bush Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 a speech at CPAC

3121.json half-true Last year, out of the 500,000 (in) population growth we had in the state of Texas, about 250,000 of the 500,000 came to Texas... from the other 49 states. economy,immigration david-dewhurst Lieutenant governor Texas republican 8 8 10 5 5 his inaugural address.

9578.json false When undocumented children are picked up at the border and told to appear later in court ... 90 percent do not then show up. children,foreign-policy,immigration,legal-issues jeff-flake U.S. Senator Arizona republican 0 1 0 0 0 an interview on the PBS "News Hour"

4553.json half-true Says Gov. Chris Christie cut spending (by) \$1 billion and provided \$850 million in new education funding. education,state-budget committee-our-childrens-future Political advocacy group New Jersey none 0 0 2 1 0 a television ad

2356.json mostly-true Hes the only candidate whos balanced budgets and brought jobs to Providence. candidates-biography,state-budget steven-costantino House Finance Chairman Rhode Island democrat 0 1 0 1 0 a TV commercial

3453.json half-true Studies have shown that in the absence of federal reproductive health funds, we are going to see the level of abortion in Georgia increase by about 44 percent. abortion hank-johnson U.S. Congressman Georgia democrat 3 0 4 3 0 an article published in The Atlanta Journal-Constitution

1066.json pants-fire ACORN will be a paid partner with the Census Bureau and they will be in charge of going door-to-door and collecting data from the American public. census michele-bachmann Congresswoman Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4 16 an interview with the Washington Times.

2092.json pants-fire Sixty percent of the Hispanics support the Arizona immigration law immigration russell-pearce Arizona republican 0 0 0 0 1 a CNN interview

7442.json barely-true If the sequester hits, federal prosecutors will have to let criminals go. crime,criminal-justice,federal-budget,legal-issues barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech in Washington, D.C.

9910.json barely-true Says Dick Cheney de-Baathisized the Iraqi government and created ISIS. foreign-policy,iraq,terrorism chris-matthews Host of MSNBC's Hardball none 1 2 2 1 0 a broadcast on MSNBC

11083.json true Says Bill and Hillary Clinton attended Donald Trumps last wedding. candidates-biography carlos-curbelo Miami-Dade school board member Florida republican 0 1 0 1 0 a radio interview

11443.json false I did not play any role in bringing the company to RI as did others in government. I was tasked with handling the legislation affecting the company by my superiors. bankruptcy,debt steven-costantino House Finance Chairman Rhode Island democrat 0 1 0 1 0 a statement

11539.json half-true Obamacare insurance cooperative failures should be expected because theyre like any business, and when you start businesses in America, at the fifth year, half of the businesses have closed. health-care ezekiel-emanuel Vice Provost for Global Initiatives and chair of the Department of Medical Ethics and Health Policy democrat 1 0 2 0 0 a discussion on MSNBC's "Up with Steve Kornacki"

2966.json false The tax cut deal is giving \$700 billion to millionaires and billionaires. deficit,economy,taxes sherrod-brown U.S. Senator Ohio democrat 3 4 5 8 1 a CNN interview

13367.json mostly-true Says Marco Rubio said Social Security and Medicare haveweakened us as a people. medicare,social-security patrick-murphy Florida democrat 2 1 4 5 0 a Florida Senate debate

1087.json mostly-true "Across the country, \$174 billion of the Recovery Act have been committed in its first 130 days." economy,federal-budget,stimulus joe-biden U.S. senator Delaware democrat 11  
10 21 16 4 a news release.

267.json true As secretary of the Department of Energy under former President Bill Clinton, "I created reserves of home heating oil." energy bill-richardson Governor New Mexico democrat 1  
2 3 8 1 a debate in Manchester, N.H.

4272.json true Twenty-five states have lower unemployment than Texas which is tied with Mississippi for more minimum-wage jobs than anywhere in the United States. job-accomplishments,jobs lloyd-doggett  
Texas congressman in the U.S. House of Representatives Texas democrat 1 0 2 7 0 an interview with ABC TV.

8849.json half-true Of the 20 bills [Rep. David] Cicilline has sponsored in his three years in office, not a single one has advanced past the embryonic committee stage.  
bipartisanship,congress,congressional-rules,job-accomplishments,voting-record ian-prior Northeast regional spokesman, National Republican Congressional Committee Rhode Island republican 0 0 1 0 0 a Providence Journal commentary

12542.json half-true Says Donald Trump has said he loves war, including with nukes. candidates-biography,foreign-policy,military priorities-usa-action democrat 3 1 4 2 1 an ad discussed on "Meet the Press"

8372.json barely-true Any state tax law has to start in the House and the renewal of the state hospital bed tax this year started in the Senate, which is unconstitutional. state-finances,taxes david-pennington  
Mayor of Dalton Georgia none 1 0 0 0 0 a public meeting

3518.json mostly-true Every child born today inherits a \$30,000 share in a national debt that stands at more than \$13 trillion. deficit tim-pawlenty republican 2 3 3 6 1 his book, "Courage to Stand: An American Story"

8340.json false A strong bipartisan majority in the House of Representatives voted to defund Obamacare. congressional-rules,federal-budget,health-care ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 a news release

10218.json half-true Proximity to high-voltage power lines lowers property values by as much as 30 percent.  
energy,environment,housing,recreation friends-india-point-park Rhode Island organization 0 0 1 0 0 a web site

12698.json false What the facts say is ...the best scenario for kids is a loving mom and dad. children,diversity reince-priebus Chairman, Republican National Committee Wisconsin republican 2 12 8  
3 1 comments on "Meet the Press"

2357.json false Says Mark Neumann = Nancy Pelosi federal-budget,infrastructure,message-machine,transportation,voting-record scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 campaign TV and radio ads

7823.json half-true To hear Gov. Christie tell it, everything in New Jersey is going just fine. Well I see another New Jersey with 400,000 unemployed. One of the worst jobless rates in the country. Working and middle class families have seen costs soar, from property taxes to college tuition. education,jobs,taxes barbara-buono State Senator New Jersey democrat 3 1 4 4 1 a gubernatorial campaign television ad

12541.json barely-true Says delegates cant legally change the Republican National Convention rules to prevent Donald Trumps nomination.  
corrections-and-updates,elections,legal-issues donald-trump  
President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
an interview on "Meet the Press"

2854.json pants-fire Rebuilding three high schools will benefit 40 percent of Portland Public School students. education carole-smith  
Portland schools superintendent Oregon none 0 0 0  
0 1 a press briefing

4719.json half-true Proposition 2 on Novembers Texas ballot does not cost state taxpayers any money. elections,water H204TEXAS-PAC  
none 0 0 1 0 0 an email blast.

2072.json true Providence has the lowest crime rate in three decades. crime,job-accomplishments david-cicilline mayor of Providence  
Rhode Island democrat 7 4 5 4 1 a debate

2885.json false On banning earmarks. federal-budget bill-nelson  
Florida democrat 3 1 8 10 0 Senate floor  
votes

13334.json half-true Says hes taken an 8% pay decrease in each of the nine years he has been in office. candidates-biography,county-budget,county-government gerald-daugherty BusinessmanTexas republican  
1 0 1 0 0 his campaign website

4820.json half-true 1 percent of Americans are millionaires. 47 percent of House Reps. are millionaires. 56 percent of Senators are millionaires. occupy-wall-street facebook-posts Social media  
posting none 14 18 15 11 36 Facebook

12309.json barely-trueThe decision for the United States to buy heavy water from Iran will directly subsidize Irans nuclear program. energy,foreign-policy,nuclear paul-ryan U.S. Representative  
Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 a news release

1420.json mostly-trueThe Texas Department of Transportation... misplaced a billion dollars. transportation debra-medina  
Businesswoman Texas republican 0 1 3 1 0 a  
debate.

8761.json false A judges order means theres a Constitution exemption zone if you live within 100 miles of the United States border. civil-rights,immigration,privacy,technology facebook-posts Social media  
posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a Facebook post

2491.json true Pepper ... kicked off a jock tax, imposing a levy on the sports and entertainment industry.message-machine,taxes dave-yost Ohio  
auditor ohio republican 1 0 0 1 0 a campaign video

1075.json barely-trueMitch McConnell opposed "legislation to create and protect Kentucky jobs . . . help for the unemployed. . . health care for Kentucky's children," and "fair pay for women." economy,health-care,workers democratic-national-committee none 8  
2 10 8 0 a television ad

9762.json true Under Mayor Tom Barrett, the number of Milwaukee police officers has not increased. city-budget,crime,job-accomplishments bob-donovan  
Member of Milwaukee Common CouncilWisconsin none 0 0  
0 1 1 an interview

5935.json barely-trueTaxpayers subsidize 80 percent of each MARTA trip transportation brett-bittner Executive Director, Libertarian  
Party of Geo libertarian1 0 0 0 0 an  
interview

2821.json pants-fire President Obama, Sen. Harry Reid and Rep. Nancy Pelosi passed a \$1.2 trillion stimulus bill. stimulus george-allen  
consultant Virginia republican 2 8 3 4 1

6370.json true Says Milken Institute rated San Antonio as nations top-performing local economy. economy julian-castro Mayor, San Antonio Texas democrat 0 0 3 3 0 his speech at the Texas Democratic Party State Convention in Houston

3706.json pants-fire Says people in Africa literally walk two and three hundred miles in order to vote. elections mike-bennett State Senator Florida republican 0 0 0 0 1 comments made on the Senate floor.

10163.json true Before World War II, very few people actually had health insurance. health-care,public-health james-carr manager of business operations at a community hospital Virginia libertarian 0 0 0 0 0 an interview

2796.json false Half of children struck by cars near schools are hit by parents driving children to school. transportation safe-routes-schools safety program Oregon none 0 1 0 0 0 a mailer

6083.json barely-true Citizens Property Insurance has over \$500 billion worth of risk, with less than \$10 billion worth of surplus. state-budget,weather rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 comments to the press

5913.json barely-true Tom Leppert pledged to make Dallas a sanctuary city for illegal immigrants. immigration conservative-renewal-pac Political action committee Texas republican 1 0 0 0 0 a TV ad.

934.json true Putting three Republicans in my Cabinet...is unprecedented. history barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a news conference

2162.json barely-true When Atlanta Police Chief George Turner was interim head of the department, overall crime fell 14 percent and violent crime dropped 22.7 percent. crime kasim-reed democrat 1 0 5 7 1 a press release

3161.json mostly-true From 1980 to 1990, the top 1 percent saw their income go up by roughly 80 percent while the median wage in the country over (the same) 10 years went up 3 percent. economy,history,income,pundits,taxes rachel-maddow MSNBC host none 6 6 4 6 1 HBO's "Real Time with Bill Maher"

2679.json true I am very proud, as governor of Florida, that we signed the first divestment act, as it relates to Iran, divesting any investments in companies that would invest in Iran. florida,foreign-policy charlie-crist Florida democrat 15 9 20 19 2 a U.S. Senate debate on CNN's "State of the Union."

8929.json true As a result of climate change, ice fishermen in Wisconsin are already noticing fewer days they can be out on our ice covered lakes. climate-change,environment mark-pocan State Assembly member, 78th District Wisconsin democrat 1 2 2 3 0 a speech

10040.json half-true Muslim nations did not call out the people who celebrated the 9/11 attacks. islam,terrorism bill-oreilly Fox News Channel host none 4 6 3 5 1 a broadcast of Fox News' "The O'Reilly Factor"

12398.json pants-fire Says Donald Trump said of women, And you can tell them to go f--- themselves. women priorities-usa-action democrat 3 1 4 2 1 a television ad

2690.json pants-fire The Taliban has been there for years and years, I mean, hundreds of thousands of years. afghanistan,terrorism kendrick-meek Florida democrat 2 6 1 4 1 a debate



8667.json true Iran President Hassan Rouhani has more Cabinet members with Ph.D.s from American universities than members of Barack Obamas Cabinet. education,foreign-policy bob-schieffer Host of CBS' Face the Nation Washington, D.C. journalist 0 1 0 0 0  
 comments at a forum at the Center for Strategic and International Studies

8941.json true The words subhuman mongrel, which Ted Nugent called President Barack Obama, were used by the Nazis to justify the genocide of the Jewish community. history wolf-blitzer CNN host none  
 0 0 0 0 0 comments on CNN

6821.json pants-fire (Barack Obama) says hes going to reduce the long-term debt and deficit by \$4 trillion, doesnt say how hes going to do it. debt,deficit chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 an interview on NBC's "Meet The Press"

10631.json false Birth control pioneer Margaret Sanger was an active participant in the Ku Klux Klan. abortion william-obrien Speaker of the House of Representatives New Hampshire republican 1 2 1  
 0 0 a Facebook post

6579.json half-true Says President Obama and his National Labor Relations Board sued Boeing over its decision to open a plant in South Carolina. economy,jobs,market-regulation nikki-haley Governor South Carolina republican 0 0 1 3 0 a speech at the Republican convention

11400.json mostly-true Says U.S. Sen. Ron Johnson led the fight to let polluters release unlimited amounts of carbon pollution and took nearly \$225,000 from polluters. environment,government-regulation league-conservation-voters organization 0 0 0 1  
 0 a television ad

3228.json true Orrin Hatch co-sponsored a 1993 health care bill that had an individual mandate. health-care,pundits cenk-uygur democrat 0 0 0 0 0 MSNBC Live

9746.json half-true More (student-athletes) graduate than the students who arent student-athletes. education,sports mark-emmert NCAA president none 0 0 1 0 0 comments on ABC's "This Week"

1915.json false U.S. Rep. Lloyd Doggett is the most liberal man in the United States Congress. bipartisanship,candidates-biography donna-campbell Physician Texas republican 0 1 0 1  
 0 a speech

12456.json barely-true Its entirely possible that the Democratic nominee, [Hillary Clinton], earned more money giving a single speech on Wall Street than I made the six years that I was there back in the 1980s In fact, its quite likely. income pat-toomey Candidate for U.S. Senate Pennsylvania republican 3 2 2 1 0 an interview with Chris Stigall on Talk Radio 1210 WPHT

4856.json half-true Says Mitt Romney flip-flopped on an assault weapons ban. guns,message-machine-2012 democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0 a campaign advertisement

4698.json false Says state Senate President Stephen Sweeney gave us the nations highest income tax rates, driving out jobs. income,jobs,message-machine-2012,taxes americans-prosperity-new-jersey none  
 0 1 0 0 0 a television ad posted on YouTube

2585.json barely-true Delaware Democratic Senate candidate Chris Coons thought that a 911 call should be taxed. message-machine,public-safety,taxes,technology christine-odonnell Candidate for U.S.

Senate Delaware republican 1 0 0 1 2 a campaign commercial  
6604.json barely-true When Tim Kaine was governor, spending soared, blowing holes in the budget every year. job-accomplishments, message-machine-2012, state-budget, state-finances crossroads-gps  
Conservative advocacy group republican 9 1 4 1  
2 a TV ad.

4495.json pants-fire President Obama has the lowest public approval ratings of any president in modern times. history, polls michele-bachmann Congresswoman Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4  
16 a Republican presidential debate in Orlando

8406.json barely-true Neville Chamberlain told the British people: Accept the Nazis. Yes, they will dominate the continent of Europe, but that is not our problem. Lets appease them. Why? Because it cant be done. We cannot possibly stand against them. health-care, history ted-cruz  
Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 speech  
advocating repeal of Obamacare law

10147.json false On an income cap for recipients of the popular HOPE scholarship education jason-carter State Senator Georgia democrat 1 0 2 1 0 forum

10623.json mostly-true Wisconsin is dead last in the Midwest for job creation. government-regulation, job-accomplishments, jobs, labor, unions, workers mark-pocan State Assembly member, 78th District Wisconsin democrat 1 2 2 3 0  
an interview

2277.json half-true On running a civil and polite campaign. message-machine, campaign-advertising roy-barnes Attorney Georgia democrat 0 0 3 3 1 a television interview

8146.json mostly-true Says President Barack Obama has taken 92 days of vacation since he was sworn in, compared to 367 for President George W. Bush at the same point in his presidency. bush-administration, pundits, recreation al-sharpton New York democrat 2 1 1 1 0 a segment of his MSNBC show, "Politics Nation"

6026.json half-true The federal government reviewed and verified his administrations numbers showing Wisconsin added 23,608 jobs in 2011. economy, job-accomplishments, jobs scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a debate

13056.json true Tom Suozzi raised taxes by hundreds of millions of dollars as Nassau County executive. taxes national-republican-congressional-committee republican 18 9 8 5  
8 a blog post on the NRCC website

1103.json pants-fire John Holdren, director of the White House Office of Science and Technology Policy, has proposed forcing abortions and putting sterilants in the drinking water to control population. abortion, pundits glenn-beck none 5 7 7 2  
6 his TV program

4444.json mostly-true Mitt Romney drove to Canada with the family dog Seamus strapped to the roof of the car. animals, candidates-biography, pundits gail-collins Columnist for the New York Times New York journalist 2 1 1 3 0 a column

9269.json false Many of the founding fathers were very actively involved in cockfighting. animals, history matt-bevin Investment manager Kentucky republican 0 1 0 1 1 a radio interview

4105.json pants-fire Says state Sen. Sheila Harsdorf wants to eliminate Medicare as we know it. medicare, retirement shelly-moore

Teacher Wisconsin democrat 0 0 0 0 1 a  
campaign flier

8533.json barely-true The majority of people travelling to these  
destination resorts are not going for the primary purpose of gambling.  
gambling frank-fahrenkopf Retired president and CEO of the  
American Gaming Association republican 1 0 0 0 0  
an opinion piece in the "Miami Herald"

6950.json mostly-true Says Bill Nelson voted 98 percent of the time with  
Barack Obama. voting-record connie-mack U.S. representative from  
Fort Myers Florida republican 3 3 1 3 1 a U.S.  
Senate debate

13125.json barely-true I did not I did not I do not say that. I do not  
say that climate change is a hoax perpetrated by the Chinese.  
candidates-biography, china, climate-  
change, economy, energy, environment, history, science donald-trump  
President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
a presidential debate

8294.json mostly-true In Florida we have 75,000 on (a) waiting list for  
child care and 23,000 on waiting lists for community care for the  
elderly. children, education, state-budget nan-rich candidate for  
governor Florida democrat 1 0 1 3 0 a "Tampa  
Tribune" blog

9908.json mostly-true Says NFL Commissioner Roger Goodell interviewed  
domestic abuse victim Janay Rice with Ray Rice present and for every  
domestic violence agency, every law enforcement agency, thats a no-no.  
criminal-justice, sports mike-wise Columnist, Washington Post  
none 0 0 0 1 0 comments on CNN's "State of  
the Union"

12424.json false I can tell you that the enhanced interrogation  
techniques that have since been banned by this administration  
specifically waterboarding work. afghanistan, bush-  
administration, candidates-biography, ethics, foreign-policy, homeland-  
security, human-rights, iraq, public-safety, terrorism todd-wilcox  
Florida republican 0 1 1 0 0 a newspaper  
interview

4309.json false Virginia has made no progress on jobs since Bob  
McDonnell took office. jobs, message-machine-2012 democratic-party-  
virginia Virginia democrat 2 1 1 3 0 a  
web video

110.json false "The Iraq Study Group reported that (Saddam Hussein) had  
designs on reviving his nuclear program." iraq fred-thompson  
Actor Tennessee republican 1 4 3 3 0 a debate  
in Dearborn, Mich.

7677.json mostly-true The sex-offender registry has been around for a  
long time, and the research thats out there says that it has no positive  
impact on the public safety. crime ohio-public-defenders-office Ohio  
none 0 0 0 1 0 a newspaper interview

4780.json true Ronald Reagan raised the national debt 18 times.  
deficit jim-webb writer Virginia democrat 1 0  
1 5 0 a TV interview.

715.json false On whether global warming is man-made. climate-  
change, environment sarah-palin Alaska republican 9 19  
9 6 6 Fairbanks, Alaska

3107.json true The number of inmates since 2000 on death row dying of  
natural causes has now surpassed the number of inmates executed.  
crime, legal-issues dean-cannon state House speaker Florida  
republican 1 0 0 0 0 comments to reporters.

7565.json mostly-true Quite frankly, it was during the Bush years of spending, multiplied now by the Obama years that we have this mess. bipartisanship,debt,deficit,federal-budget steve-latourette  
Former U.S. representative from Ohio's 11th District Ohio  
republican 0 0 3 1 0 an interview on "Fox News Sunday"

8606.json half-true Republicans have proposed dozens of (health care) solutions designed to help control costs and improve quality. health-care ron-johnson Wisconsin republican 14 6 10 10 1  
the weekly Republican address

3869.json half-true When the union says I want to eliminate tenure, thats not true. education,state-budget,unions chris-christie  
Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19  
8 a speech at the Harvard Graduate School of Education

10948.json false Says Hillary Clinton has donated every cent shes ever earned from speaking fees to charity. candidates-biography occupy-democrats organization 0 4 3 1 4 a  
post on Facebook

12210.json false Charlottes anti-discrimination ordinance would have opened all bathrooms to all sexes at all times if it hadnt been overturned. city-government,gays-and-lesbians,government-regulation,public-safety dan-forest Lieutenant Governor North Carolina republican 0 1 0 0 0 a tweet

4119.json mostly-true Eighty percent of the American people support an approach (to federal budget problems) that includes revenues and includes cuts. federal-budget,polls,taxes barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a press conference

7272.json barely-true Social Security has nothing to do with the federal deficit. federal-budget,social-security hank-johnson U.S. Congressman Georgia democrat 3 0 4 3 0 a twitter post

12236.json half-true About 1 percent of all the gun sellers are responsible for more than half of the guns that are used in crimes. crime,government-regulation,guns hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a forum

4016.json false On pay for fired Milwaukee police officers state-budget alberta-darling State Senator, 8th District Wisconsin republican 1 1 2 1 1 an interview

6765.json true Texas is the state that has now gone the longest without electing a Democrat statewide. elections,historyjoaquin-castro attorney Texas democrat 1 0 1 2 0 a panel at the Texas Tribune Festival.

11867.json false Says CNN reported Ben Carson was taking a break from campaigning and the Cruz campaign forwarded that news to our volunteers. candidates-biography ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 the New Hampshire GOP debate

11777.json true Today, if you were raised poor, youre just as likely to stay poor as you were 50 years ago. families,income,poverity paul-ryan U.S. Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 a column posted on Medium.com

9051.json pants-fire Says President Barack Obama told a room of students, Children, every time I clap my hands together, a child in America dies from gun violence, and then a child told him he could solve the problem by not clapping any more. guns chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain email

4243.json mostly-true The United States has the longest surviving constitution. foreign-policy,history,new-hampshire-2012 jon-

huntsman Utah republican 5 1 5 4 1 a campaign  
 appearance in Milford, N.H.  
 7818.json mostly-true Says, In Oregon in 2010, 49 percent of all  
 pregnancies were unintended. children,families,health-care,women  
 carolyn-tomei democrat 0 0 0 1 0  
 a House floor speech  
 10871.json half-true Austin school district teachers are the lowest  
 paid of any urban Texas district and the lowest paid of any surrounding  
 school district. education,state-budget,state-finances gina-hinojosa  
 President, Austin Independent School District Board of Trustees  
 Texas none 0 0 1 1 0 an interview with Kiah  
 Collier, Austin American-Statesman reporter  
 4710.json half-true Says Clackamas County has more urban renewal debt  
 than all the other Oregon counties combined. county-government john-lee  
 Chair of Clackamas County Republicans Oregon republican 0  
 1 1 0 0 in a press release  
 9507.json pants-fire NASA scientists fudged the numbers to make 1998  
 the hottest year to overstate the extent of global warming. climate-  
 change,environment steve-doocy Co-host of Fox New Channel's "Fox and  
 Friends" New York journalist 0 2 0 0 1 a  
 broadcast of "Fox and Friends."  
 11324.json mostly-true The University of Wisconsin System is larger than  
 any business in the state of Wisconsin. state-budget dale-kooyenga  
 State Representative Wisconsin republican 1 1 2 2  
 0 a radio interview  
 6046.json false There is no record of congresswoman Betty Sutton ...  
 ever holding a single in-person town hall meeting open to the general  
 public. job-accomplishments jim-renacci U.S. representative Ohio  
 republican 5 3 4 1 1 a news release  
 8434.json barely-true Mark Herring voted to allow sex offenders,  
 including rapists, to serve shorter sentences. criminal-justice  
 mark-obenshain State senator Virginia republican 1 0  
 1 2 0 a campaign brochure.  
 3637.json mostly-true Iraq has the second-largest oilfields in the world  
 (behind) Saudi Arabia. energy,foreign-policy donald-trump President-  
 Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 an interview  
 with Sean Hannity of Fox News  
 7744.json mostly-true Says states mandated tests come from an English  
 company. education george-lavender State representative Texas  
 republican 0 0 0 1 0 in Texas House of  
 Representatives debate  
 2897.json barely-true Says he got twice as much money from the sale of  
 County Grounds land than Milwaukee County Executive Scott Walker was  
 willing to accept. job-accomplishments lee-holloway Chairman,  
 Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors Wisconsin none 1 2 0  
 1 1 an interview with a weekly newspaper  
 6060.json barely-true We spend in tax loopholes annually \$1.1 trillion.  
 Thats more than we spend on our defense budget in a year, on Medicare or  
 Medicaid in a year. taxes jeanne-shaheen Senator New Hampshire  
 democrat 3 0 4 2 0 an interview with the  
 editorial board of 'The Telegraph.'  
 603.json false On the Bush tax cuts. taxes john-mccain U.S. senator  
 Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 flip-o-meter  
 11545.json mostly-true Over half of the black workers in this country  
 earn less than \$15 an hour. diversity,economy,jobs bernie-s U.S.  
 Senator Vermont independent 18 12 22 41 0 a  
 Democratic presidential candidates' forum in Rock Hill, S.C.

10448.json half-true Insured Floridians pay about \$2,000 for every hospital stay to cover the cost of the uninsured. health-care,medicaid florida-chamber-commerce Florida none 0 1 1  
2 1 a report on health care costs

5461.json true Sixteen million jobs were created under Ronald Reagans presidency. jobs newt-gingrich Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15 20 10 11 a speech

6684.json pants-fire This would be the largest casino in the United States. gambling its-still-bad-idea Oregon organization 0 0 0 1 1 a campaign press event

450.json barely-true Barack Obama's health care plan "will cost taxpayers \$1,700 more to cover each new person." health-carehillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69  
76 7 in a television ad

769.json true "Barack Obama ... 96 percent of his votes have been solely along party line." candidates-biography sarah-palin Alaska republican 9 19 9 6 6 St. Louis

6425.json half-true President Obama and Nancy Pelosi said Obamacare would save money because they factored in 10 years worth of tax revenue and only six and half years worth of expenses. health-careeric-hovde republican 2 3 3 0 0 a television interview

502.json true John McCain "has not led on nonproliferation issues when he had the chance in the Senate." foreign-policy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a statement by campaign spokesman Bill Burton

11711.json true Says American polling shows Russian President Vladimir Putin has an 80 percent approval rating. polls donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

5470.json true Pasco County schools have graduation rates substantially higher than the state average and dropout rates below the state average. education heather-fiorentino superintendent of Pasco County's public schools Florida republican 0 0 1 0 1 a press release

8869.json mostly-true Eighty-five percent of the states in the United States that had electrocution have now abolished it. criminal-justice,states scott-surovell State delegate Virginia democrat 0 0 1 1 0 a floor debate.

8159.json half-true Says that each year, about 25,000 American women become pregnant through rape or incest. abortion,crime wendy-davis state senator Texas democrat 5 1 8 12 1 an opinion article

6884.json half-true Bill Nelson leased land that he owned for six cows, taking advantage of an agricultural tax loophole to dodge \$43,000 in taxes just last year. agriculture,taxesamerican-crossroads republican 5 5 4 0 0 a TV commercial

10250.json false In rural Virginia, Sen. Warner ran 8-10 points ahead of a traditional Democrat -- ahead of Senator Kaine, ahead of Governor McAuliffe. elections david-hallock Aide Virginia democrat 0 1 0 0 a forum

10757.json false I can tell you with certainty (capandtrade)would have a devastating impact on our economy. cap-and-trade,climate-change marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 an interview on CBS' Face the Nation

8320.json mostly-true Today many Florida teachers are at risk of having their pay impacted by the performance of children who are not even in

their classrooms or subject areas. education charlie-crist  
 Florida democrat 15 9 20 19 2 a Tampa Bay  
 Times op-ed  
 5472.json false Mitt Romney left Massachusetts \$1 billion in debt.  
 deficit,job-accomplishments,message-machine-2012,state-  
 budget,state-finances red-white-and-blue-fund none 0  
 1 0 0 0 a campaign ad  
 5505.json true Says Barack Obama promised he would cut the deficit in  
 half but didnt. federal-budget lenny-curry chairman of the Republican  
 Party of Florida Florida republican 2 1 2 0 0 an  
 interview on "Political Connections"  
 12427.json mostly-true Old City in Philadelphia used to have more than a  
 dozen clubs and thats what we were known for and now were down to two.  
 nightlife job-itkzkowitz Old City District executive director  
 Pennsylvania none 0 0 0 1 0 In the  
 Philadelphia Business Journal  
 11464.json barely-true Says Denmarks suicide rate has been about twice as  
 high as the United States over the past five decades. economy,foreign-  
 policy,public-health viral-image none 5 5 0 3  
 15 a shareable graphic on the Web  
 11778.json barely-true China has total control, just about, of North  
 Korea. foreign-policy,nuclear donald-trump President-Elect New  
 York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a Republican presidential  
 debate in North Charleston, S.C.  
 12961.json false The fact is the Clinton Foundation has got about 80  
 percent in overhead and 20 percent of the money is actually getting into  
 the places it should. candidates-biography reince-priebus Chairman,  
 Republican National Committee Wisconsin republican 2 12 8  
 3 1 comments on "The Mike Gallagher Show"  
 10269.json barely-true The U.S. Constitution owes its notion of democracy  
 to the Iroquois Tribes. diversity,historyfacebook-posts Social  
 media posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a meme  
 2833.json half-true Since the first of the year, 153 businesses at  
 last count had moved out of California to Texas. economy rick-perry  
 Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 on an  
 episode of Fox & Friends  
 6110.json half-true Barack Obama has provided guns to Mexican drug  
 cartels. drugs,guns,legal-issues rick-perry Governor Texas  
 republican 30 30 42 23 18 a speech to the Republican  
 Party of Texas convention in Fort Worth.  
 13400.json barely-true Says Chris Koster fell silent as attorney general  
 in pursuing a case against a free classified service accused of promoting  
 prostitution after accepting over \$12,000 in campaign contributions from  
 people affiliated with the service. campaign-finance,legal-  
 issues,women eric-greitens gubernatorial candidate Missouri  
 republican 1 1 2 1 0 a press release  
 1251.json true Health care premiums for consumers have doubled since  
 2001. health-care jay-rockefeller U.S. Senator West Virginia  
 democrat 0 0 1 0 0 a column in the newspaper  
 Roll Call  
 6112.json mostly-true Says, Less than half of all states have legal  
 protections on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity,  
 despite the fact that LGBT Americans report employment discrimination and  
 unemployment at much higher rates than the U.S. average. civil-  
 rights,diversity,gays-and-lesbians,jobs,workers jeff-merkley U.S.  
 Senator Oregon democrat 0 1 3 6 0 a press  
 release

6431.json false Gov. Romney himself, with 28 other Republican governors, supported policies that would have eliminated the time limits in the welfare reform law and allowed people to stay on welfare forever.

welfare jay-carney White House press secretary District of Columbia none 2 2 1 2 0 a press White House press briefing

2615.json false Under Lt. Gov. Lee Fisher, Ohio is 44th in the country in terms of getting money actually into worker retraining.

economy,government-efficiency,jobsrob-portmanU.S. senator from Ohio Ohio republican 3 5 11 11 1 a debate

3709.json false Im well aware that medical marijuana is a recognized, medical, viable treatment for this sort of [pancreas] pain condition.

candidates-biography,crime,drugs,health-care,legal-issues,marijuana,public-health robert-watson lawyer Rhode Island republican 0 1 0 0 0 a speech on the House floor

2652.json pants-fire Says Rick Perry recently said he wanted another (Texas) business tax. state-budget,taxes kathie-glass lawyer

Texas libertarian 0 0 0 0 2 a debate.

9146.json mostly-trueBy a two-to-one margin, Rhode Islanders want to ban assault weapons and we have a very small percentage of gun owners in this state, less than 13 percent. government-regulation,guns,legal-issues,public-health,public-safety,recreation,market-regulation,states

linda-finn landscape designer Rhode Island democrat 0 0 1 2 0 a speech during a rally at the Rhode Island state house

184.json false "Right now, an employer has more of a chance of getting hit by lightning than be prosecuted for hiring an undocumented worker. That has to change."

immigrationbarack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 Las Vegas

11764.json pants-fire Wisconsin dropped from second in the country to 41st among states where more than half the students took the ACT exam.

children,education,state-budget,states state-democratic-party-wisconsin Wisconsin democrat 5 7 2 2 7 a news release

7692.json mostly-trueSays 315,000 mostly minority Texas students are enrolled in failing schools. education dan-patrickLieutenant governor-elect Texas republican 4 4 3 4 4 a state Senate committee hearing April 9, 2013

7876.json pants-fire Says At age 76 when you most need it, you are not eligible for cancer treatment under Affordable Care Act. health-care,medicare chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105

a chain email

5171.json false Says an Obama administration policy prohibits people who work with at-risk youth from promoting marriage as a way to avoid poverty. marriage,poverty rick-santorum Pennsylvania

republican 12 16 13 7 5 a debate in South Carolina

12950.json barely-true...Secret documents reveal that Iran could obtain a nuclear weapon far sooner than we were told. And Tammy Duckworth voted yes (on the Iran nuclear deal). nuclear independent-voice-illinois-pac N/A Illinois none 1 0 0 0 0 an attack video advertisement of Congresswoman Tammy Duckworth

11185.json barely-trueIf you look at the results of Obamacare, what you see is emergency room visits are up over 50 percent. polls carly-fiorina California republican 5 5 4 3 2 an

interview on CNN's "State of the Union"



2412.json false Loranne Ausley voted six times to tax your savings.  
taxes republican-party-florida republican 10 6  
6 6 4 statements on the party's website.

3215.json pants-fire Four state Assembly Democrats scored a death blow  
to northeast Wisconsin's economy by killing hundreds of jobs at a  
potential Bass Pro Shops near Green Bay. environment,jobs scott-  
suder state Assembly majority leader Wisconsin republican 0 0  
0 0 1 a news release

948.json true "The president campaigned against this type of  
legislation." federal-budget john-boehner Speaker of the House  
of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 a  
speech on the House floor.

11766.json half-true One in every three women has an abortion during  
her lifetime. abortion wendy-davis state senator Texas democrat  
5 1 8 12 1 a legal brief

592.json barely-true Barack Obama "is more to the left of the announced  
Socialist in the United States Senate." candidates-biography john-  
mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37  
8 an interview with the <i>Kansas City Star</i>

5732.json barely-true What president has the worst record on female  
labor force participation? Barack Obama. history,labor,women,workers  
mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32  
58 33 19 a graphic posted on his website

12745.json half-true Two million more Latinos are in poverty today than  
when President Obama took his oath of office less than eight years ago.  
economy,immigration,poverity,welfare donald-trump President-  
Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a speech at the  
Republican National Convention in Cleveland

5017.json barely-true The Social Security trust fund is already facing  
imminent bankruptcy. social-security,taxes john-boehner Speaker of  
the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2  
a news conference

12331.json barely-true Seven hundred thousand. That's how many California  
jobs will be lost thanks to the politicians raising the minimum wage. Now  
Florida is adding one million jobs, not losing them.  
jobs,labor,states enterprise-florida The public-private economic  
development agency Florida organization 1 0 0 0  
0 Enterprise Florida radio ads in California

10424.json mostly-true America is No. 1 in wind power. energy  
barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 the State of the Union address

9091.json false The percentage of black children born without a father  
in the home has risen from 7 percent in 1964 to 73 percent today, due to  
changes from President Lyndon Johnson's Great Society.  
children,families,marriage,poverity facebook-posts Social media  
posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a meme on the  
Internet

2547.json true I said no to these big bank bailouts. economy,message-  
machine,voting-record lloyd-doggett Texas congressman in the U.S.  
Houst of Representatives Texas democrat 1 0 2 7 0  
a TV ad

12571.json mostly-true People have a constitutional right to have  
semiautomatic rifles. guns,legal-issues,supreme-court paul-ryan U.S.  
Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 an  
interview

7810.json mostly-true This budget also reflects the smallest state  
government workforce per 1,000 residents in Florida in this century.

jobs,state-budget,trick-scott Governor Florida republican 28  
 23 38 34 7 a press release  
 10935.json mostly-true The film and TV industry supports more than 24,000  
 direct jobs and pays local workers more than \$1.68 billion in wages in  
 Georgia. jobs motion-picture-association-america none 0  
 0 0 1 0 a press release  
 8433.json mostly-true Property taxes have increased 20 percent under  
 four years of Chris Christie. taxes milly-silva Democratic candidate  
 for lieutenant governor; executive vice president of 1199 SEIU New Jersey  
 democrat 0 0 0 1 0 a speech to an American  
 Legion in Little Ferry  
 7087.json mostly-true When it comes to income taxes, Wisconsin is one of  
 the best places in the country to be poor but top 4 or 5 worst for  
 middle-income earners. state-budget,state-finances,taxes robin-vos  
 Wisconsin Assembly speaker Wisconsin republican 0 3 2  
 5 1 an interview  
 1025.json false ACORN could get up to \$8.5 billion more tax dollars  
 despite being under investigation for voter registration fraud in a dozen  
 states. federal-budget michele-bachmann Congresswoman Minnesota  
 republican 8 22 6 4 16 a press release  
 6386.json barely-true Says Congressman Jon Runyan does not want to cut  
 taxes for the middle class, but only for millionaires. taxes  
 democratic-congressional-campaign-committee democrat  
 11 8 5 1 9 a video posted on YouTube  
 2844.json half-true On his half pay pledge. job-accomplishments  
 jeff-scrima Mayor of Waukesha Wisconsin none 0 0 0 0  
 0 a series of public statements and actions  
 2392.json barely-true Over 10 years, (extending tax cuts for the  
 wealthy) would add less to the deficit than Obama added with the stimulus  
 in one year. federal-budget,pundits,taxes,abc-news-week george-  
 will Columnist Maryland columnist 7 6 3 5 1 a  
 roundtable discussion on ABC's "This Week with Christiane Amanpour"  
 4708.json true The collective net worth of Americans has taken a \$5.5  
 trillion hit ... mainly due to plummeting home values. economy,housing  
 nina-turner State senator Ohio democrat 1 0 0 0  
 0 an opinion column  
 8676.json barely-true Gov. Rick Scott backed the federal shutdown.  
 federal-budget florida-democratic-party Florida  
 democrat 5 4 4 5 3 an online video  
 8809.json true The average Georgia family makes \$6,000 less than the  
 average family did 10 years ago when inflation is factored in.  
 economy,income jason-carter State Senator Georgia  
 democrat 1 0 2 1 0 a speech  
 4095.json mostly-true As we've seen that federal support for states  
 diminish, you've seen the biggest job losses in the public sector --  
 teachers, police officers, firefighters losing their jobs.  
 economy,jobs,stimulus,workers barack-obama President  
 Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a press  
 conference  
 13102.json half-true Says New START, passed while Clinton was secretary  
 of state, is a treaty cutting Russia's nuclear arms. candidates-  
 biography,foreign-policy,nuclear hillary-clinton Presidential  
 candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a  
 television ad  
 12167.json barely-true Says his free public university tuition program is  
 paid for by a tax on Wall Street's speculation. education bernie-s  
 U.S. Senator Vermont independent 18 12 22 41 0  
 a CNN interview

2876.json mostly-true Ohio ranks 46th in the country in putting dollars in the classroom.education,government-efficiency john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 a news conference

4769.json half-true Under a Wisconsin bill, minor offenses such as violating pet leash laws, seat belt laws, parking infractions, etc., would now be arrestable offenses. civil-rights,guns,legal-issues john-birch-society organization 0 0 1 0 0 an article on the group's website

1760.json barely-true Says in 2003 Texas cut \$10 billion out of the entire budget, yet we put \$1.8 billion more into public education. We put \$800 million more into health and human services. state-budget rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 an interview with The Texas Tribune and Newsweek

12943.json half-true Under Hillary Clintons plan illegal immigrants convicted of committing crimes get to stay. immigrationdonald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a TV ad

6513.json false The Obama administration leaked information, deliberately or otherwise, that led to the identification of the Pakistani doctor that helped us in achieving our goals and killing bin Laden. foreign-policy,message-machine-2012,military,terrorism special-operations-opsec-education-fund none 1 1 1 0 0 a web video

7780.json barely-true Over the last several months, there was a review board headed by two distinguished Americans, Mike Mullen and Tom Pickering, who investigated every element of the Benghazi incident. foreign-policy,terrorism barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a press availability

7418.json mostly-true Says, when this governor came to office, he had (an) 11 billion dollar - I call it mismanagement deficit. debt,deficit,state-budget jon-bramnick State AssemblymanNew Jersey republican 1 0 0 1 0 a panel discussion for "On The Record with Michael Aron"

2777.json mostly-true Georgia and other states with weak gun laws have more crime.guns michael-bloomberg New York independent 0 2 2 3 0 an interview

8853.json false Says President Barack Obama spent nearly a trillion dollars on make-work government jobs. economy,federal-budget,jobs,stimulus rand-paul Candidate for U.S. Senate and physician Kentucky republican 7 8 10 12 3 a response to the State of the Union address

7758.json mostly-true Among Hispanics, support for immigration reform is close to universal. immigrationbill-richardson Governor New Mexico democrat 1 2 3 8 1 a web interview with ABC News

11796.json half-true Says a Ted Cruz ad has got me bull-doing down a house.I never bulldozed it down. Its false advertising. housing donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

11573.json half-true Wages adjusted for inflation havent risen since the turn of the last century. economy,jobs,workers hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a Democratic presidential debate in Des Moines, Iowa

9521.json half-true Says 95 percent of people caught crossing the U.S.-Mexico border said in a survey we are coming because weve been promised amnesty.immigrationted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 a press conference

10208.json barely-true There would be tens of thousands of jobs created if President Barack Obama approved the Keystone XL pipeline.  
environment,jobs anna-kooiman Fox News host none 1  
0 0 0 0 a segment on "Fox & Friends"

5756.json half-true Weve brought trade cases against China at nearly twice the rate as the last administration. bush-administration,china,job-accomplishments,trade barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a  
speech at Port of Tampa

1569.json mostly-true When we started this health care debate a year ago, 85 percent of the American people had health insurance, and 95 percent of the 85 percent were happy with it. health-care,pundits  
george-will Columnist Maryland columnist 7 6 3 5  
1 a roundtable segment on ABC's This Week

11805.json true Since John F. Kennedy was assassinated in 1963, more Americans have died by gunfire within our own country than American servicemen and women who were killed in all our wars. guns virginia-center-public-safety Virginia organization 0 0 0  
0 0 a rally flier

805.json mostly-true "Obama said he would unilaterally renegotiate the North American Free Trade Agreement." foreign-policy john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 Hempstead, N.Y.

8030.json barely-true In the 513 days between Trayvon dying, and todays verdict, 11,106 African-Americans have been murdered by other African-Americans. crime tweets none 2 3 1 2 3  
tweets

7678.json false Says If you compare the Portland Metro area to the CDCs statewide cavity rates ... the Portland Metro area would actually rank as having the 15th lowest cavity rate in the U.S. public-health,water  
clean-water-portland organization 0 1 0  
0 0 a campaign flier

139.json mostly-true He received "A" ratings from "every conservative organization that gives ratings." job-accomplishments tom-tancredo  
U.S. representative Colorado republican 2 4 1 1  
0 a Republican debate in Orlando, Fla.

7271.json true It costs \$10,000 a year to keep a child in school; it costs \$30,000 a year to keep someone in prison.  
crime,education,public-safety,state-budget john-kitzhaber  
Governor of Oregon Oregon democrat 1 1 4 4  
0 in State of the State speech

11409.json false Says Republican Rep. Charlie Dent wants to kick the Freedom Caucus out of the Republican conference for voting our conscience. congress,congressional-rules,corrections-and-updates  
dave-brat College professor Virginia republican 2 5 0  
2 0 comments on "Meet the Press"

688.json false "He was offered medical care for his injuries if he would give up military information in return. John McCain said, 'No.' "  
candidates-biography fred-thompson Actor Tennessee republican  
1 4 3 3 0 a speech at the Republican National Convention

3726.json mostly-true Two-thirds of Wisconsin corporations dont pay state income taxes. corporations,income,taxes one-wisconsin-now  
Wisconsin organization 0 2 2 1 1 a news  
release and report

7461.json barely-true There are literally teachers now who are getting pink slips because of sequestration. education,federal-budget

arne-duncan U.S. Secretary of Education Illinois democrat 1  
 2 1 2 0 an appearance on "Face the Nation."  
 5363.json false Obamacare ... will kill jobs across America. health-  
 care,jobs,message-machine-2012 us-chamber-commerce none  
 6 3 3 1 1 a television ad  
 9942.json true Last weeks three most-viewed television programs  
 were Sunday Night Football, Thursday Night Football and Monday Night  
 Football. sports george-will Columnist Maryland columnist 7  
 6 3 5 1 a panel on "Fox News Sunday"  
 3575.json true On federal stimulus money for expanding rail service.  
 federal-budget,state-budget,stimulus,transportation scott-walker  
 Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32  
 40 11 an announcement of an application for federal stimulus  
 money for rail  
 2205.json true About 106,000 soldiers had a prescription of three weeks  
 or more for pain, depression or anxiety medication. health-  
 care,military,abc-news-week gen-peter-chiarelli Vice Chief of Staff,  
 United States Army none 0 0 0 0 0 an  
 interview on "This Week."  
 7552.json mostly-true Georgia loses millions of dollars of revenue  
 because people go out of state to buy fireworks. economy,states  
 jeff-mullis State Senator Georgia republican 0 0 0  
 1 0 a meeting  
 7135.json pants-fire If you and I fail to defund ObamaCare now, some  
 16,000 new IRS agents will be begin prying into our private medical  
 records, eyeing each and every one of our treatments and prescriptions  
 for violations. health-care,retirement association-mature-american-  
 citizens Washington, D.C. organization 0 0 0 0  
 1 a direct mail letter  
 384.json true "John McCain says it's okay with him if the U.S. spends  
 the next thousand years in Iraq." iraq votevetsorg none 0  
 1 1 0 0 a television ad.  
 13007.json true Says that in 2015, illegal immigrants accounted for 75  
 percent of federal drug possession convictions and 5 percent to 30  
 percent of convictions for murder and kidnapping plus two other crimes.  
 crime,criminal-justice,immigration sean-hannity Radio/TV host  
 none 3 5 3 2 1 a slide presented on  
 Hannity's show during an Austin interview of Donald Trump  
 12994.json mostly-true The Clinton Foundation is a charity where  
 President and Secretary Clinton and their daughter, they take no salary,  
 they get no money from it, they take no personal benefit from it.  
 candidates-biography,ethics hilary-rosen democrat  
 0 0 0 2 0 "The Diane Rehm Show"  
 3436.json false Says his bill, HB 97, would prevent the use of taxpayer  
 dollars on abortions. abortion,health-care matt-gaetz State  
 Representative Florida republican 0 1 1 1 0  
 comments before a House subcommittee  
 5810.json mostly-true The average Atlanta resident spends an extra \$924  
 each year in additional gasoline and wasted time. transportation  
 citizens-transportation-mobility Georgia none 1 0  
 2 1 0 a flier  
 6141.json pants-fire Federal health care reforms amounted to the  
 government takeover of health care. health-care tommy-thompson  
 Wisconsin republican 6 8 2 5 3 a television ad  
 6.json half-true "Barack Obama and Hillary Clinton have changed  
 their positions (on the Iraq war withdrawal) to follow Chris Dodd." iraq  
 chris-dodd U.S. senator Connecticut democrat 0 0 3  
 3 0 a TV ad.

9891.json half-true Saturday Night Live executive producer Lorne Michaels could be put in jail under this amendment for making fun of any politician. campaign-finance, legal-issues ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 a Senate floor speech

1971.json false When he worked for ATT, he "was responsible for large parts in a \$5 billion organization." job-accomplishments john-albers republican 0 1 0 1 0

7008.json mostly-true 6,400 Ohioans ... lost manufacturing jobs in the month of September. economy, jobs mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a news release

8963.json pants-fire Mitch McConnell voted with Harry Reid to infringe on our gun rights. congress, guns matt-bevin Investment manager Kentucky republican 0 1 0 1 1 a television ad

13040.json half-true Says Ron Johnson gave himself a \$10 million sweetheart corporate payout small-business russ-feingold Wisconsin democrat 2 4 7 5 1 in a campaign ad

8151.json false Of the roughly 15 percent of Americans who dont have health insurance, half of them made more than \$50,000 a year. health-care, income rand-paul Candidate for U.S. Senate and physician Kentucky republican 7 8 10 12 3 an interview on Comedy Central's "The Daily Show"

6236.json barely-true The United States can immediately tap a domestic energy resource of more than 1.5 trillion barrels of oil, six times more than Saudi Arabia. climate-change, energy, environment, foreign-policy, gas-prices eric-hovde republican 2 3 3 0 0 a news release

6974.json false Says House Democrats voted to use your tax dollars for abortions by voting against bill defunding Planned Parenthood. abortion, health-care, public-health tennessee-republican-party Tennessee republican 1 2 0 0 0 a mailer sent for a state legislative campaign.

6879.json barely-true We need a Senator who shows up to work. Sherrod Brown missed over 350 official votes. job-accomplishments, message-machine-2012, campaign-advertising, voting-record josh-mandel Ohio treasurer Ohio republican 4 5 4 5 6 a campaign commercial

11639.json mostly-true It is already in the law that there is a requirement to screen (refugees) for religion. foreign-policy, religion, terrorism jeb-bush Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 an interview on "Face the Nation"

9343.json barely-true At the mere request from Putin, President Obama withdrew the plans for a missile defense program based in Poland and the Czech Republic. foreign-policy dick-cheney republican 5 4 2 2 1 an interview on "Fox News Sunday"

422.json half-true "I did very well with young people in Ohio, Massachusetts, California." elections hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a news conference in Greensburg, Pa.

1448.json half-true Health care reform "would bring down the deficit by as much as \$1 trillion over the next two decades." federal-budget, health-care barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a State of the Union speech

737.json false McCain "has opposed stem cell research." health-care barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a radio ad

10516.json mostly-true Austin has more lobbyists working for it than any other municipality in Texas. city-government, ethics dave-claunch

Businessman Texas none 0 0 0 1 0 a meeting of the  
 West Lake Hills City Council  
 4750.json false The EPA wants to hire 230,000 new government regulators  
 that will cost the taxpayer \$21 billion. environment,federal-  
 budget,market-regulation allen-west U.S. representative, Florida  
 District 22 Florida republican 6 9 3 1 4 a TV  
 interview  
 8604.json false If the Trans-Pacific Partnership is fast-tracked through  
 the Senate, it wont receive a committee assignment and the consideration  
 will include no debate. congressional-rules,trade chain-email  
 none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain email  
 729.json half-true On whether the government should bail out  
 insurance giant AIG. corporations,economy john-mccain U.S. senator  
 Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8  
 12702.json pants-fire The Cleveland police has issued a stand down order  
 to officers. public-safety mike-cernovich blogger California  
 none 0 0 0 0 1 his blog  
 8901.json true The Keystone pipeline creates 35 permanent jobs after  
 construction, according to a government report. energy,environment  
 van-jones Co-host of CNN's "Crossfire" Washington, D.C. democrat  
 0 1 2 2 0 a segment on CNN's "Crossfire"  
 11546.json half-true We already pay the highest electricity prices in  
 the country here in New England. energy richard-paglia vice  
 president Spectra Energy none 0 0 1 0 0 a TV  
 interview  
 1353.json barely-true "We're going to have more troops (in Afghanistan)  
 . . . than the Russians had." afghanistan john-murtha  
 democrat 1 0 0 0 0 the show 'Hardball With  
 Chris Matthews'  
 5938.json false Victory! Republicans by 2 to 1 vote to endorse Mark  
 Neumann on first ballot at GOP convention. elections mark-neumann  
 Developer and homebuilder Wisconsin republican 2 4 1  
 2 1 a website alert  
 12158.json barely-true Florida is investing record amounts of funding for  
 HIV/AIDS prevention. public-health,state-budget rick-scott Governor  
 Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a Tampa Bay  
 Times interview  
 656.json mostly-true "There's only four senators senior to me ...  
 there's still 44 older than me." candidates-biography joe-biden U.S.  
 senator Delaware democrat 11 10 21 16 4  
 Springfield, Ill.  
 10085.json false All four on Mount Rushmore, they were all independents  
 at one critical point in their career. elections,history larry-pressler  
 Candidate for U.S. Senate South Dakota independent 0 1  
 0 0 0 a campaign forum  
 5824.json false We didnt go out asking people to join the stand your  
 ground task force. crime,public-safety jennifer-carroll Lieutenant  
 governor Florida republican 0 1 0 0 1 Capitol  
 news conference  
 5753.json true Rhode Islands exports have increased by 53 percent in  
 the last two years. economy,states,trade lisa-tomasso State  
 Representative Rhode Island democrat 0 0 0 0 0  
 a news release.  
 5512.json false Giant companies like Toyota will not locate in a state  
 that has not passed a right-to-work law  
 corporations,economy,jobs,labor,unions stephen-laffey farmer  
 Colorado republican 0 1 0 0 0 a radio  
 interview

125.json mostly-true Mitt Romney boasts that he is "proud to be the only major candidate for president to sign the tax pledge. The others have not." taxes mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a radio ad.

6010.json half-true More than 250 (voter registration) groups, ranging across the entire political spectrum, have filed with the state and are registering voters right now. elections lenny-curry chairman of the Republican Party of Florida Florida republican 2 1 2 0 0 an "Orlando Sentinel" opinion piece

727.json mostly-true Barack Obama got more campaign contributions from Fannie Mae and Freddie Mac "than any other member of Congress, except for the Democratic chairmen of the committee that oversees them." ethics john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 Green Bay, Wis.

42.json barely-true "I brought down crime more than anyone in this country -- maybe in the history of this country -- while I was mayor of New York City." -crime rudy-giuliani Attorney New York republican 9 11 10 7 3 a debate in Orlando, Fla.

8511.json half-true A planning group said that to meet anticipated traffic demands by 2035, Interstate 35 between Austin and Round Rock will need a dozen additional lanes going north and 14 additional southbound lanes. transportation sid-covington Chairman, Lone Star Rail District Texas none 0 0 1 0 0 an opinion column by Sid Covington, the district's chairman of the board

6262.json pants-fire Foreign Chinese prostitution money is allegedly behind the groups funding Congressman Sean Duffys Republican Majority. campaign-finance democratic-congressional-campaign-committee democrat 11 8 5 1 9 a news release

9502.json mostly-true The United States is the only developed country in the world without paid maternity leave. jobs, women, workers barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 an op-ed for Huffington Post

11351.json mostly-true A voucher school that closed after 9 days this year collected \$5.4 million in taxpayer subsidies since first opening. state-budget jennifer-shilling State Assembly member, 95th District Wisconsin democrat 1 1 0 2 0 a tweet

8558.json false Rhode Islands unemployment insurance system is the most expensive such system in the country. economy, government-efficiency, government-regulation, small-business, state-budget, state-finances, states, taxes, workers kenneth-block businessman republican 0 3 2 3 0 an interview on Rhode Island Public Radio

12084.json true Says a YouTube video shows Thomas DiMassimo, the man who rushed Trump at an Ohio rally, dragging the American flag on the ground like it was a piece of garbage. elections donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 Donald Trump on Sunday, March 13th, 2016, in an interview on "Meet the Press"

568.json true Obama worked with "Sen. Dick Lugar, a Republican, to help lock down loose nuclear weapons." military barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a television ad

7537.json half-true The United States spends \$2.2 billion on free cell phones, \$27 million on Moroccan pottery classes and pays for the travel expenses for the watermelon queen in Alabama. agriculture, federal-budget, foreign-policy, poverty sean-duffy Member of the U.S. House Wisconsin republican 5 1 6 1 2 an interview

9708.json pants-fire The United States is at historic record highs of individuals being apprehended on the border from countries with terrorist



ties such as Pakistan or Afghanistan or Syria.  
afghanistan,immigration,terrorism rick-perry Governor Texas  
republican 30 30 42 23 18 comments on CNN's "State of  
the Union"  
7524.json half-true The transportation package passed by the General  
Assembly would impose the largest tax increase in Virginias history.  
taxes jamie-radtke Virginia republican 1 1 1  
2 0 a website post.  
4537.json mostly-trueMy home state since June of 2009 created 40  
percent of the new jobs in America. jobs rick-perry Governor  
Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a speech  
8549.json barely-trueOnion Creeks highest flow rate on a recent night  
of flooding was 120,000 cubic feet per second, which is nearly double the  
average flow rate of Niagara Falls. corrections-and-updates,water  
city-austin Texas none 1 0 0 0 0 a press  
release  
11736.json half-true As governor of Florida, I used a combination of  
strategies to help reduce heroin use among youth in Florida by  
approximately 50 percent. drugs,health-care,public-health jeb-bush  
Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 a column  
posted on Medium  
8062.json half-true Says last year 13 million (health insurance)  
rebates went out, in all 50 states. Another 8.5 (million) rebates are  
being sent out this summer, averaging around 100 bucks each. health-  
care barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 a speech at the White House  
3158.json mostly-trueSays his state budget will provide an increase in  
state funding for the 2011-12 school year. education,state-budget  
john-kitzhaber Governor of Oregon Oregon democrat 1  
1 4 4 0 an e-mail  
10794.json false Says the estate tax, in many cases, forces family  
farmers and small businesses owners to sell their holdings.  
agriculture,families,small-business,taxes robert-hurt U.S.  
Congressman Virginia republican 2 4 1 0 0 a  
statement.  
12461.json true Sayvideo shows massive alligator strolling across  
Florida golf course. animals blog-posting none 7  
19 3 5 44 Internet posts  
8609.json half-true On whether people can keep their insurance under  
the Affordable Care Act. health-care kurt-schrader U.S.  
representative Oregon democrat 0 1 3 0 0 a TV  
interview.  
63.json mostly-true "We're spending \$1.6 billion for all of Latin  
America in terms of aid and assistance, a fraction of what we're spending  
in Iraq, the \$500 billion we've spent there" foreign-policy chris-dodd  
U.S. senator Connecticut democrat 0 0 3 3 0  
a debate in Miami, Fla.  
6560.json true If you look at the number of illegal immigrants coming  
into the country, it is net zero. Its been that way now for almost two  
years. immigration jeb-bush Florida republican 17 5  
17 24 2 an interview on 'Meet the Press.'  
3546.json half-true Weve introduced a bill that includes \$12 billion  
in cuts over the next week. federal-budget john-boehner Speaker of  
the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2  
a public statement  
3036.json false Wisconsins lawsuit rules are so anti-business that the  
states system is one of the most promiscuous in America. legal-

issues,small-business national-federation-independent-business-wisconsin  
 Wisconsin none 0 1 0 0 0 a news release  
 11910.json pants-fire Says Joseph Stalin said if you want to bring  
 America down you, have to undermine three things: our spiritual life, our  
 patriotism and our morality. foreign-policy ben-carson  
 republican 7 12 3 2 4 a GOP debate on CBS  
 4101.json mostly-trueFrom now on, we have to pay the Russians \$50  
 million an astronaut to send Americans to the space station space  
 marco-rubioU.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32  
 35 5 an interview with CBS  
 10175.json mostly-trueThe gender gap in his support is not unique to me  
 and theres not a huge gap from where Republicans have been in  
 presidential, gubernatorial and US Senate elections in recent years.  
 elections,women scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive  
 Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 an interview  
 4593.json false Bryce Reeves chaired a group bankrolled by a New York  
 billionaire who fired hundreds of Virginia workers and sent their jobs to  
 China. china,jobs,message-machine-2012 edd-houck Virginia  
 democrat 0 1 0 0 0 a TV ad.  
 5985.json false In 2011, Alabama and Massachusetts passed legislation  
 allowing non-citizens who are legal residents to vote in state and local  
 elections. elections,legal-issues anastasia-williams State  
 representative in Rhode Island Rhode Island democrat 0 1  
 0 0 0 a House Judiciary Committee hearing  
 1881.json barely-true"Across the country, more than half of the U.S.  
 attorney seats remain without a prosecutor chosen by Obama." legal-  
 issues thomas-melsheimerAttorney Texas democrat 1 0 0  
 0 0 an op-ed article  
 204.json false The Red Sox waited 87 long years to win the World  
 Series. baseball,recreation mitt-romneyFormer governor  
 Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a debate  
 in St. Petersburg  
 10091.json true Almost every state has offered an insurance plan on its  
 health exchange that does not cover abortion. abortion,health-care,women  
 Rhode\_Island\_Catholic Rhode Island none 0 0 0  
 0 0 a newspaper editorial  
 1409.json false The largest tax increase that we have ever had in our  
 state is yours it is the business margins tax that you signed, governor.  
 corporations,economy,small-business,taxes kay-bailey-hutchison  
 U.S. Senator Texas republican 2 4 4 3 0 in a  
 Republican gubernatorial debate  
 2769.json true Georgia has the second-highest rate of childhood obesity  
 in the United States. children childrens-healthcare-atlanta  
 none 0 0 0 0 0 a press release  
 2600.json mostly-trueSays Tom Ganley has been sued over 400 times, for  
 fraud, discrimination and more, and a judge called Tom Ganleys business  
 practices deceptive and unconscionable. job-accomplishments,message-  
 machine betty-sutton U.S. representative from Ohio's 13th  
 District Ohio democrat 0 2 1 2 1 a television  
 campaign ad  
 4822.json half-true A recall election for Wisconsin governor would  
 cost \$7.7 million -- \$7.7 million that may already be allocated to merit  
 raises for teachers or health care for the poor or school books for your  
 kids. education,elections,health-care,state-budget rebecca-kleefisch  
 Candidate for lieutenant governor Wisconsin republican 1 3  
 4 0 1 a video

5536.json half-true Says my plan is a property tax cut. state-  
budget,taxes stephen-sweeney State Senator democrat 1  
2 3 1 0 an interview on NJToday

2911.json false We are giving almost \$2 billion of taxpayer money to the  
junk food and fast food industries every year to make the (childhood  
obesity) epidemic worse. consumer-safety,food-safety,health-  
care,taxes dennis-kucinich U.S. representative Ohio democrat 1  
3 4 6 0 a news release

12787.json half-true Not one American flag on the massive stage at the  
Democratic National Convention until people started complaining- then a  
small one. Pathetic. patriotism donald-trump President-Elect New  
York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a tweet

2442.json pants-fire A bill by Earl Blumenauer would mandate GPS  
tracking devices on all our vehicles. privacy,transportation delia-  
lopez Real estate investor Oregon republican 0 0 0 0  
1 a statement on campaign website

3489.json barely-true As a prosecutor, Wisconsin Supreme Court Justice  
David Prosser did not investigate or file charges in a case involving 30-  
year pedophile priest, then participated in cover-up. legal-issues  
greater-wisconsin-political-fund Wisconsin none 3 3  
3 1 1 a TV ad

12006.json false There is a precedent for not nominating someone to the  
U.S. Supreme Court in the middle of a presidential election.  
congress,history,legal-issues,supreme-court paul-ryan U.S.  
Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 an  
interview

9109.json barely-true Health insurance and medical costs are going down  
because of Obamacare. elections,health-care ed-schultz MSNBC television  
host none 3 1 4 1 2 a broadcast of "The Ed  
Show"

12661.json mostly-true The war on drugs led to a 500 percent increase in  
incarceration in our country, disproportionately affecting poor and  
disproportionately affecting minorities. crime cory-booker U.S.  
senator New Jersey democrat 0 4 2 8 0 an  
interview on "Meet the Press"

6447.json half-true Says Texas GOP platform calls for end to teaching  
critical thinking in public schools. education gail-collins  
Columnist for the New York Times New York journalist 2 1  
1 3 0 in her New York Times column

2983.json true Four out of 10 homicides are committed by gun in this  
city. crime,guns sam-adams Mayor of Portland Oregon democrat 3  
2 5 2 0 a city council meeting

13467.json pants-fire A picture shows former President Bill Clinton  
naked with another woman. fake-news political-insider none  
0 0 0 0 1 a post on their website

921.json false "There is no disagreement that we need action by our  
government, a recovery plan that will help to jump-start the economy."  
economy,stimulus barack-obama President Illinois democrat  
70 71 160 163 9 a news conference

9141.json barely-true If you want out of the individual mandate... all  
you have to do now is tick off the box that says hardship and youre out.  
health-care charles-krauthammer none 1 0 1  
0 0 an interview on "The O'Reilly Factor"

12648.json barely-true Many Nevadans relied on Uber for work, but after  
accepting \$70,000 from taxi companies, Catherine Cortez Masto went after  
Uber ... (driving) them out of town. transportation freedom-  
partners-action-fund organization 1 1 1 0  
0 a television ad

3674.json pants-fire Says it probably costs more than \$300,000 to run for a seat on the Pedernales Electric Cooperative board of directors. elections,energy troy-fraser Businessman, investor Texas republican 0 0 0 0 1 a Texas Senate committee hearing.

6577.json half-true Last month, 44 of the 50 states saw an increase in the unemployment rate. economy,jobs,states scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a speech to the Republican National Convention in Tampa

8240.json false Wind power is the most undependable form of renewable energy. economy,energy,environment,science,technology james-oneil attorney Rhode Island democrat 0 1 0 0 0 an appearance on "10 News Conference."

9405.json mostly-true Charlie Crist allowed college tuition to increase up to 15 percent every year. education,state-budget rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a campaign commercial

1892.json true "The House has never failed to pass a budget in the modern era." federal-budget,abc-news-week john-boehner Speaker of the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 an interview on ABC's "This Week''

2754.json half-true Mr. Renacci was registered as a foreign trade lobbyist in the United States government. campaign-advertising,trade john-boccheri Former member of Congress Ohio democrat 0 0 1 0 0 a debate

31.json true "Tommy Thompson created the first school choice program in the nation, giving thousands of Milwaukee students the choice of where they go to school no matter where they live or how much money their parents make." education tommy-thompson Wisconsin republican 6 8 2 5 3 his campaign Web site.

4711.json mostly-true Says the main Central Texas food bank is delivering 50 percent more food to the poor than three years ago. economy,poverity lloyd-doggett Texas congressman in the U.S. Houst of Representatives Texas democrat 1 0 2 7 0 a speech delivered to U.S. House of Representatives.

664.json false McCain "still thinks it's okay when women don't earn equal pay for equal work." legal-issues hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a speech at the Democratic National Convention.

1199.json true The Baucus bill "contains provisions that would send massive federal subsidies directly to both private insurance plans and government-chartered cooperatives that pay for elective abortion." abortion,health-care national-right-life-committee none 1 2 1 0 0 a press release

11865.json barely-true Gene Green is the NRAs favorite Democrat in Congress. ... Its no wonder the congressman has a lifetime A rating from the NRA. guns adrian-garcia 29th Congressional District candidate Texas democrat 1 0 0 0 0 a campaign news release

87.json true Obama "won health care for 150,000 people." health-care barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9

9312.json mostly-true The CBO says that if you raise the minimum wage to \$10.10 an hour, half a million people would lose their jobs. economy,jobs rick-santorum Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13 7 5 comments on CNN's "State of the Union."

10638.json half-true State lawmakers are spending taxpayer money for parking that billionaire Arthur Blank could build while paying some state employees so little they are on food stamps.

economy,poverty,sports,state-budget,state-finances,transparency  
tyrone-brooks State representative Georgia democrat 0  
0 1 0 0 a statement  
3021.json true State governments have little ability to stimulate job  
growth in the short run. economy david-wyss none 0  
0 0 0 0 a newspaper article  
379.json true "He (Obama) chairs the subcommittee on Europe. ... He's  
held not one substantive hearing to do oversight." foreign-policy  
hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40  
29 69 76 7 a debate in Cleveland  
5272.json half-true Says the U.S. federal income tax rate was 0  
percent until 1913. history,taxes ron-paul U.S. representative  
Texas republican 5 8 8 8 3 a Republican  
presidential debate in South Carolina  
683.json true Sarah Palin "already has more executive experience" than  
Barack Obama and Joe Biden "combined." candidates-biography rudy-  
giuliani Attorney New York republican 9 11 10 7 3  
St. Paul, Minn.  
1781.json true Texas has, now, the highest share of minimum-wage  
workers in the nation. workers linda-chavez-thompson Labor organizer  
Texas democrat 0 0 0 0 0 a speech to the  
Central Texas Democratic Forum  
11687.json mostly-true Two months ago, Donald Trump said that ISIS was  
not our fight. foreign-policy,terrorism jeb-bush Florida  
republican 17 5 17 24 2 a GOP debate on CNN  
2975.json half-true Says that on average, Democratic congressional  
districts received 81 percent more stimulus funds than Republican  
districts. stimulus kay-bailey-hutchison U.S. Senator Texas  
republican 2 4 4 3 0 an op-ed piece.  
771.json barely-true "You had supported John McCain's military  
strategies pretty adamantly until this race." iraq sarah-palin  
Alaska republican 9 19 9 6 6 St. Louis  
3991.json half-true Says critics who say he cut Medicaid are wrong;  
his budget added \$1.2 billion to the program medicaid,state-  
budget,state-finances scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive  
Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a television  
interview  
11923.json half-true Says she will work to raise the federal minimum  
wage back to the highest level its ever been \$12 an hour in todays  
dollars. economy,jobs,workers hillary-clinton Presidential  
candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a column  
posted on Medium.com  
10749.json barely-true \$29 is what families on SNAP (i.e. food stamps)  
have to live on for a week. federal-budget,hunger gwyneth-paltrow  
Actress California democrat 1 0 0 0 0 a  
tweet  
3946.json half-true The Medford Water Commission was fined \$279,000  
for dumping plain drinking water into a stream.  
environment,government-regulation,water doug-whitsett state  
senator Oregon republican 0 1 1 1 0 a  
legislative hearing  
7834.json true Nothing in the Constitution explicitly guarantees our  
right to vote. elections,legal-issues,supreme-court mark-pocan  
State Assembly member, 78th District Wisconsin democrat 1  
2 2 3 0 a speech  
6290.json half-true Sherrod Brown and his special interest allies in  
Washington are plotting to spend over \$13 million to defeat Josh Mandel.

campaign-finance,elections ohio-republican-party Ohio  
 republican 2 2 2 1 0 an emailed statement  
 1477.json false On the new dollar coins, "'In God We Trust' is gone!"  
 patriotism chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105  
 a message circulated to many people.  
 10881.json mostly-true Says Gov. Scott Walkers proposed state budget  
 contained 110 pages of errors -- an unusually high number -- and millions  
 of dollars worth of mistakes that were corrected with a follow-up  
 document. state-budget chris-taylor democrat 1  
 0 0 1 0 a press release  
 4396.json mostly-true Takes credit for substantially reducing the size  
 of the state workforce. job-accomplishments,jobs george-allen  
 consultant Virginia republican 2 8 3 4 1  
 campaign literature.  
 6206.json true If you look at most of the polls, this is a margin-of-  
 error race on Fourth of July between Mitt Romney and the president.  
 elections,polls chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey  
 republican 10 17 27 19 8 an interview on CNBC  
 9970.json true In the last 10 years, Georgias middle class income has  
 dropped \$6,500. census,income jason-carter State Senator  
 Georgia democrat 1 0 2 1 0 television ad  
 4353.json true Rooting for the Red Sox is like rooting for the drug  
 companies. baseball sherrod-brown U.S. Senator Ohio democrat  
 3 4 5 8 1 an appearance on MSNBC  
 1394.json false Says Rick Perrys Pay to Play politics led him to send  
 \$899 million to an offshore call center in Bermuda, driving down  
 enrollment in childrens health insurance health-care,texas-  
 democratic-party Political party Texas democrat 0 1 0 2  
 0 news release  
 7695.json true On allowing a vote on universal gun background checks in  
 the U.S. Senate. guns johnny-isakson U.S. Senator Georgia  
 republican 2 3 3 2 0  
 4770.json barely-true President Barack Obama, Nancy Pelosi and Harry  
 Reid support Rick Perrys decision to give in-state tuition to illegal  
 immigrants. education,immigration mitt-romney Former governor  
 Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a campaign  
 video.  
 1052.json true "Obama has more czars than the Romanovs." pop-  
 culture john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39  
 31 37 8 a Twitter message  
 5249.json false Gov. McDonnells proposed budget is cutting public  
 education. city-budget,county-budget,education,pensions,state-budget  
 donald-mceachin State senator Virginia democrat 0 1  
 0 0 0 a speech.  
 3700.json false A [bank] surveillance camera capturing a criminals face  
 and other identifiable traits would certainly discourage robbery attempts  
 and serve as a deterrent to robbers. crime,criminal-justice stephen-  
 ucci Rhode Island legislator Rhode Island democrat 0 1  
 0 0 0 a news release  
 8683.json true Medicare costs have slowed down dramatically. In fact,  
 the first two months of this fiscal year, Medicare costs were down even  
 in nominal terms relative to the previous year. federal-  
 budget,health-care,medicare peter-orszag Director of the Office of  
 Management and Budget democrat 0 1 0 0 0 an  
 interview on CNN's "State of the Union"  
 12798.json barely-true Says Donald Trump and Mike Pence want to gamble  
 with your retirement benefits in the stock market. retirement,social-

security harry-reid Senate Democratic Leader Nevada democrat  
 4 5 3 7 3 a speech at the DNC  
 4838.json half-true U.S. Rep. Connie Mack voted to raise his own pay  
 several times. congressional-rules,federal-budget,income george-  
 lemieux Florida republican 4 1 6 4 0 a  
 press release  
 7680.json mostly-true No poll done this year ... shows less than a  
 majority to reinstate a federal ban on assault weapons. guns,polls  
 dianne-feinstein U.S. Senator California democrat 1 1  
 0 4 0 a speech on the Senate floor  
 1999.json true "I have spent virtually every weekend since Memorial Day  
 in the Panhandle." oil-spill charlie-crist Florida  
 democrat 15 9 20 19 2 a speech at the Florida  
 Association of Counties conference  
 12873.json pants-fire In the 2012 election, there were more votes cast  
 than registered voters in St. Lucie County, and Palm Beach County had 141  
 percent turnout. elections viral-image none 5 5 0  
 3 15 a viral image  
 9683.json pants-fire Im not a conspiracy theorist and I never allow  
 conspiracy theorists on my program. pundits peter-lavelle  
 Crosstalk host on RT journalist 0 0 0 0 1  
 a segment on RT's "CrossTalk"  
 6660.json mostly-true Says Romney called Russia our No. 1 enemy.  
 foreign-policy barack-obama President Illinois democrat  
 70 71 160 163 9 a convention speech  
 13527.json false Theres been no conclusive or specific report to say  
 Russia was trying to muddy the election. elections,foreign-policy  
 reince-priebus Chairman, Republican National Committee Wisconsin  
 republican 2 12 8 3 1 comments on "Meet the  
 Press"  
 2626.json false Says Christopher Little has a history of working against  
 environmental protection by defending the worst types of corporate  
 polluters candidates-biography,elections,environment,legal-issues  
 edwin-pacheco Democratic party chairman Rhode Island  
 democrat 0 1 0 0 0 a press release from the  
 Rhode Island Democratic Party  
 2814.json half-true John Kasich says he won, despite 12 visits by a  
 president, somewhere between \$45 (million) and \$50 million (spent against  
 him,) 500 paid volunteers in here calling me every name in the book,  
 former presidents, first ladies and God-knows-who-else. elections  
 john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican  
 9 8 10 18 3 a speech to lobbyists  
 7598.json half-true Opponents of Section 5 (of the Voting Rights Act)  
 complain of state expense, yet their only cost is the paper, postage and  
 manpower required to send copies of legislation to the federal government  
 for review. elections,supreme-court john-lewis Congressman Georgia  
 democrat 0 1 2 1 0 newspaper column  
 2746.json barely-true Says Nick Kahl made it harder for many families to  
 cover basic health care expenses. health-care,taxes matt-wand Attorney  
 Oregon republican 2 0 0 0 0 a campaign  
 mailer  
 12448.json barely-true In California, the windmills are killing hundreds  
 and hundreds of eagles. energy,environment donald-trump  
 President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
 a speech on energy policy  
 3232.json true There is nothing in the current state public records law  
 that prohibits sensitive or confidential business information from being  
 just that, confidential. government-efficiency,jobs matt-lundy

State representative Ohio democrat 0 0 0 0 0  
a news release

11226.json mostly-true We did not even have a federal income tax in this country until 1913. history,taxes jim-webb writer Virginia democrat 1 0 1 5 0 a web post.

487.json barely-true "The White House is won in the swing states, and I am winning the swing states." elections hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 a speech in Charleston, W.Va.

6858.json mostly-true Says opponent U.S. Rep. Gwen Moore is Wisconsin's most absent member of Congress, missing nearly 17 percent of the House votes in the second quarter of 2012. voting-record dan-sebring Auto repair shop owner Wisconsin republican 0 0 0 1 0 a radio ad

8701.json false Says Gov. Scott Walker dropped out or was kicked out of college short of a degree not long after he was kicked out of student elections at Marquette University. candidates-biography,education  
state-democratic-party-wisconsin Wisconsin democrat 5  
7 2 2 7 a web posting

10606.json barely-true Eliminating affirmative action in admissions in Florida led to more African American and Hispanic kids attending our university system than before. education jeb-bush Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 a CPAC appearance

9016.json half-true When it comes to transportation funds, Georgians spend more in taxes and on red tape than they get back from the federal government. taxes,transportation tom-graves republican 1  
0 5 0 1 a speech

2371.json barely-true Federal stimulus money went to a Georgia Tech project that will apparently involve the professor jamming with world-renowned musicians to hopefully also create satisfying works of art. stimulus john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31  
39 31 37 8 a report

12065.json true The U.S. doesn't make television sets anymore. technology,trade donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a campaign speech

2362.json mostly-true When these same Republicans - including Mr. Boehner - were in charge, the number of earmarks and pet projects went up, not down. federal-budget barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech in Cleveland, Ohio.

2868.json false Wisconsin's projected state budget shortfall is now as low as \$1.5 billion state-budget jim-doyle Lawyer Wisconsin democrat 1 1 1 1 0 a statutorially required report on the state budget deficit

13305.json true Heroin .. pours across our southern borders. drugs donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114  
51 37 61 the third presidential debate

8503.json true Before the Republican wave in 2010, Democrats had an advantage on the generic ballot in Congress. Even in 1994 with the Gingrich revolution ... Democrats had that advantage. elections jonathan-karl ABC News chief White House correspondent journalist 0 0 0 0 0 a conversation on ABC's "This Week"

2428.json half-true Roy Barnes made Georgia dead last in education and Georgia led the nation in job losses. economy,education,message-machine republican-governors-association Washington, D.C. republican 5 1 6 4 2 a television ad



636.json true "Sen. McCain was already turning his sights to Iraq just days after 9/11, and he became a leading supporter of an invasion and occupation of (Iraq)." iraq barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 Orlando, Fla.

5758.json barely-true In labor negotiations with city employees, Milwaukee Mayor Tom Barrett demanded concessions that went beyond those mandated by Gov. Scott Walkers collective bargaining law city-budget,labor afscme none 3 1 2 3 0 a letter to members

2793.json mostly-true Says hes arrested more criminals, including thousands of child predators and sex offenders, than any previous Texas attorney general.crime,criminal-justice,job-accomplishments,public-safety greg-abbott governor Texas republican 11 3 8 6 5 a campaign television ad

9426.json true Brazil built a \$300 million stadium in the Amazon rainforest that is only going to be used for four World Cup games, and theres no team that can fill it afterwards. sports john-oliver Host, Last Week Tonight none 0 0 2 4 0 a segment on "Last Week Tonight"

5898.json barely-true Sources show (Connie) Mack as a resident of California, living with his wife in Palm Springs. candidates-biography george-lemieux Florida republican 4 1 6 4 0 a Web ad

11218.json mostly-true We have an Army that just cut 40,000 spots. military marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a speech at the Iowa State Fair

12703.json mostly-true In South Sudan, more teenage girls die in childbirth than finish high school. education,foreign-policy,poverty,public-health,womenunicef none 0 0 0 1 0 an article on Medium

5462.json false Says Ohio Rep. Marcy Kaptur actually lives in a fancy condo in the Washington, D.C. suburbs. congress,elections,job-accomplishments,message-machine-2012 campaign-primary-accountability Political action committee Texas none 0 1 0 0 0 a campaign commercial

1955.json pants-fire U.S. Rep. Jim Langevin didn't want a border fence to block illegal immigration "because he is afraid that someone will get hurt trying to go around the fence." homeland-security,human-rights,immigration michael-j-gardiner Lawyer Rhode Island republican 1 1 0 0 1 a posting on his website

11647.json mostly-true Despite attention on global warming, fewer Americans carpool today to work than carpooled in 1980 and SUVs have never been a larger proportion of the vehicles being sold in this country. climate-change,environment,transportation george-will Columnist Maryland columnist 7 6 3 5 1 a TV talk show

11139.json mostly-true Says in 2002, he won more Hispanic votes than Anglo votes, 60 percent in the state. candidates-biography,diversity,elections jeb-bush Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 a Telemundo News interview

1648.json mostly-true "A lot of the ideas in terms of the (health insurance) exchange, just being able to pool and improve the purchasing power of individuals in the insurance market, that originated from the Heritage Foundation." health-care barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 an interview on NBC's Today show

5371.json false Says Mitt Romney supports cap and trade. cap-and-trade,climate-change,corrections-and-updates,message-machine-2012

rick-santorum Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13  
7 5 a video ad airing in Michigan

4425.json barely-true Since the beginning of the year weve created a net  
increase of 45,000 jobs. economy,jobs john-kasich Governor of Ohio  
as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 a  
television interview

2498.json mostly-true Texas has a higher unemployment rate than  
neighboring states. economy bill-white Former mayor of Houston  
Texas democrat 2 3 5 7 3 an e-mail

4131.json true The State Election Board has issued nearly \$275,000 in  
fines to violators of absentee ballot laws. elections brian-kemp  
Secretary of State Georgia republican 0 2 0 0  
0

2341.json mostly-true My supporters arent special interest groups in  
Madison and Milwaukee. campaign-finance mark-neumann Developer and  
homebuilder Wisconsin republican 2 4 1 2 1 a campaign  
radio ad

5551.json half-true While 9,000 state employees were added to the  
states payroll, Oregons revenue forecasts dropped by more than \$4  
billion. state-budget,state-finances dennis-richardson state  
representative Oregon republican 0 4 1 2 0 a  
newsletter

757.json half-true "John McCain fought to rein in Fannie and  
Freddie...but Democrats blocked the reforms." economy john-mccain U.S.  
senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 an  
advertisement

11519.json true Dark money spending in the 2016 election cycle is 10  
times what it was at the same point in the 2012 election cycle, when it  
topped \$308 million. campaign-finance,congress,elections tammy-  
baldwin U.S. Representative Wisconsin democrat 5 5 7  
4 0 a campaign email

5785.json pants-fire Says there is an upcoming vote to preserve  
benefits of Texas homestead exemption for seniors and the disabled.  
elections,taxes chain-email none 11 43 8 5  
105 a chain email forwarded by an Austin American-Statesman  
reader.

2284.json pants-fire The government is trying to now close the Lincoln  
Memorial for any kind of large gatherings. civil-rights,pundits  
glenn-beck none 5 7 7 2 6 comments  
on his radio program

12650.json barely-true You know what (Saddam Hussein) did well? He killed  
terrorists. foreign-policy,terrorism donald-trump President-Elect  
New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a rally in  
Raleigh, N.C.

9480.json barely-true The average age of the minimum wage worker is 35  
years old. corporations,economy,government-  
regulation,income,labor,poverty,states,wealth,workers erin-lynch  
Rhode Island state senator, lawyer Rhode Island democrat 1  
0 0 0 0 a speech on the floor of the Rhode Island  
Senate

643.json half-true Says McCain "supported George Bush's policies 95  
percent of the time." bush-administration joe-biden U.S. senator  
Delaware democrat 11 10 21 16 4 a rally in  
Springfield, Ill.

11242.json true More Americans have died from guns in the United States  
since 1968 than on battlefields of all the wars in American history.  
guns,military nicholas-kristof none 0 1 0  
2 0 his column in the New York Times

7038.json true There is no war on coal. Period. There are more coal jobs and more coal produced in Ohio than there were five years ago, in spite of the talking points and the yard signs.  
economy,energy,environment,jobs sherrod-brown U.S. Senator  
Ohio democrat 3 4 5 8 1 a debate

6772.json pants-fire Says One of the states largest governments made charging this tax one of their top priorities just this year. message-machine-2012,taxes Yes-on-79 Oregon none 0 0 1  
0 1 a state voters' pamphlet argument

7952.json false The immigration bill has a specific provision that says that Secretary Napolitano does not have to build any fence if she chooses not to. immigrationjeff-sessions Alabama republican 2  
2 2 1 0 an interview on CBS' "Face the Nation"

13134.json half-true Says Donald Trump publicly invited Putin to hack into Americans (emails). civil-rights,crime,foreign-policy,homeand-security,technology hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York  
democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a Presidential debate

2181.json half-true The Congressional Budget Office estimates that for every \$1 we spend on unemployment benefits, \$1.90 is put into our economy. economy,federal-budget,stimulus,taxes james-langevin  
CongressmanRhode Island democrat 1 1 2 1 0  
an online forum on ProJo.com

9629.json mostly-trueIn Syria, we struck a deal where we got 100 percent of the chemical weapons out. foreign-policy john-kerry  
Secretary of State Massachusetts democrat 3 2 2  
5 0 comments on NBC's "Meet the Press"

3668.json false On redistricting.redistricting richard-saslaw  
State Senate Minority Leader Virginia democrat 2 3 0  
0 1 an interview.

11327.json mostly-trueWe had a three-hour debate, no discussion about the national debt, very little about the economy. debates,elections  
marco-rubioU.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32  
35 5 an interview on "This Week."

3818.json mostly-trueObama-Nelson economic record: Job creation ... at slowest post-recession rate since Great Depression.economy,jobs  
adam-hasner Florida republican 2 1 4 4 0  
a tweet

2218.json half-true Says Democrat Hank Gilbert has a criminal conviction for theft, has multiple years of unpaid taxes, has multiple tax liens and fines, unsafe driving convictions (and) has recently been accused of taking a bribe and is on record lying to the press this year about his criminal record. candidates-biography,crime todd-staples  
state agriculture commissioner Texas republican 0 1 4  
3 1 a consultant's e-mail to PolitiFact Texas.

11562.json pants-fire The Trans-Pacific Partnership was designed for China to come in, as they always do, through the back door and totally take advantage of everyone. china,trade donald-trump President-Elect  
New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 the fourth GOP  
primary debate.

9622.json true More women are graduating from college now than men. education,women mitch-mcconnell Senate minority leader Kentucky  
republican 7 6 5 7 0 remarks to voters in  
Kentucky

9995.json mostly-trueWe have 41,000 people right now on the waitlist for financial-based assistance for our tech colleges and universities, most of them for tech schools. education,state-budget mary-burke  
Madison school board member Wisconsin democrat 5 5 11  
8 3 an interview

7344.json barely-true Were taxing our small businesses now at rates higher than corporations. corporations,small-business,taxes paul-ryan  
U.S. Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14  
2 an interview

5840.json false Says the stimulus bill sent tax credits overseas, such as half a billion to an electric car company that created hundreds of jobs in Finland. corporations,energy,environment,message-machine-2012,stimulus americans-prosperity none 6 7 2  
1 2 a TV ad

1576.json true "Health insurance companies' costs are only 4 percent of all health care spending." health-care americas-health-insurance-plans  
Trade group representing the health insurance industry  
Washington, D.C. none 0 0 2 0 0 an advertisement

13127.json mostly-true Says Donald Trump once suggested that he would try to negotiate down the national debt. candidates-biography,debt,deficit,economy,federal-budget hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 a Presidential debate

12098.json mostly-true Says Donald Trump got, you know, \$1.8 billion worth of free media. I got, like, none. elections john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

12272.json mostly-true When I withdrew in June of 2008, polls were showing that at least 40 percent of my supporters said, oh, they weren't going to support Sen. Obama. polls hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a town hall on ABC's 'Good Morning America'

5993.json pants-fire Says Larry Taylor gave in-state tuition to illegal immigrants. education,immigration conservative-voters-texas-pac none 0 0 0 0 1 whylarrywhy.com

9285.json false After the attack on a U.S. diplomatic mission in Benghazi, Libya, the ambassadors body was dragged through the street. foreign-policy,terrorism laura-ingraham Political commentator and radio talk show host none 2 5 1 0 1 a broadcast of ABC's "This Week"

7165.json half-true The increase in the current state budget was greater than the inflation rate and the rate of population growth in Georgia. state-budget libertarian-party-georgia libertarian 0 1 1 0 0 a press release

11025.json false Six thousand people have sought addiction treatment through expanded Medicaid. bipartisanship,drugs,medicaid maggie-hassan Candidate for governor New Hampshire democrat 1 2  
2 4 0 her State of the State speech in Nashua

7577.json mostly-true When students leave our high schools and they go to the community college, 70-75 percent of them have to pay to take remedial math. children,education deborah-gist Commissioner of education Rhode Island state-official 0 0 0 1 0  
an appearance on "A Lively Experiment."

2719.json barely-true Of those 850,000 (new Texas) jobs, most were public-sector jobs and minimum-wage jobs. economy,jobs bill-white  
Former mayor of Houston Texas democrat 2 3 5 7  
3 an interview

3631.json barely-true It is a fact that it costs more to run the schools in August. education kathleen-angelucci Cobb County School Board member Georgia republican 1 0 0 0 0 a newspaper article

7211.json false The problem with raising tax rates on the wealthiest Americans is that more than half of them are small business owners.

deficit,federal-budget,taxes john-boehner Speaker of the House  
of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 a  
news conference

1480.json barely-true Franklin Roosevelt never allocated more than 12  
percent of GDP to federal spending, while the percentage for Barack Obama  
is not projected to drop below 22.8 percent. federal-budget,pundits  
glenn-beck none 5 7 7 2 6 a  
commentary on Fox News Channel's 'Glenn Beck Program'

1512.json half-true Fifty-seven of Rubios 100 ideas ultimately became  
law. candidates-biography,florida marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida  
republican 33 24 32 35 5 his campaign Web site

10517.json half-true Ninety-six percent of failing schools are spending  
above \$8,400, the average annual per student expenditure, and 26 percent  
spend considerably more than that. education nathan-deal  
republican 9 5 11 11 0 an interview

5723.json pants-fire About 78 to 81 House Democrats are members of the  
Communist Party. ... Its called the Congressional Progressive Caucus.  
candidates-biography allen-west U.S. representative, Florida  
District 22 Florida republican 6 9 3 1 4 a town  
hall meeting in Jensen Beach, Fla.

7378.json half-true Military spending cuts, known as the sequester,  
were President Barack Obamas idea. federal-budget,military marco-  
rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5  
the Republican response to the State of the Union

531.json mostly-true "George Bush, and a Republican Congress, have  
presided over a 55 percent increase in the size of domestic government  
spending in the last seven years." federal-budget john-mccain U.S.  
senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 a comment  
by McCain campaign adviser Carly Fiorina on MSNBC's "Morning Joe"

474.json barely-true "Clinton aides admit it (a gas tax holiday) won't  
do much for you but would help her politically." energy barack-  
obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 in a  
television ad

2250.json false Bill McCollum backed Jim Greers effort to hide financial  
irregularities. ethics,message-machine,transparency rick-scott  
Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a TV  
ad.

126.json mostly-true "First, he was in favor of my plan, now he's  
attacking it." iraq joe-biden U.S. senator Delaware democrat  
11 10 21 16 4

10646.json pants-fire Creflo Dollar needed a \$65 million Gulfstream G650  
to carry thousands of pounds of food and other supplies -- as well as the  
Word of God -- worldwide. religion,transparency juda-engelmayer New  
York publicist Georgia none 0 0 0 0 1 interviews

1823.json true Halliburton gave Dick Cheney a \$34 million payout when  
he left the company to join the presidential ticket. candidates-  
biography,corporations,energy,environment,oil-spill,pundits chris-  
matthews Host of MSNBC's Hardball none 1 2 2 1  
0 an interview with Jay Leno on NBC's The Tonight Show

9731.json barely-true All Aboard Florida is a 100 percent private  
venture. There is no state money involved. state-budget,transportation  
rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34  
7 a TV interview

9594.json pants-fire Fox News is banned in Canada because it violates a  
law that prevents news channels from lying to their viewers.  
ethics,foreign-policy facebook-posts Social media posting  
none 14 18 15 11 36 posts on Facebook

12026.json half-true On ending stop and frisk public-safety jim-kenney Philadelphia Mayor Pennsylvania democrat 1 0  
1 0 0 Philadelphia Mayor Jim Kenney clarified his stance on stop and frisk to the Al Día editorial board.

5971.json false Says under President Barack Obama theres been the lowest discretionary spending weve had in decades in the United States.  
federal-budget cory-booker U.S. senator New Jersey democrat  
0 4 2 8 0 a roundtable discussion on NBC's "Meet The Press"

6857.json false In one year, (President Obama) provided \$90 billion in breaks to the green energy world into solar and wind, to Solyndra and Fisker and Tesla and Ener1. candidates-biography, corporations, debates, energy, environment, stimulus mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58  
33 19 the first presidential debate in Denver

3112.json half-true Says that 98,184 Texans are now driving with temporary drivers licenses lacking their photos.  
crime, elections, legal-issues mario-gallegos Retired firefighter  
Texas democrat 0 0 1 0 0 a Texas Senate committee meeting.

11832.json pants-fire Youve been tremendously deceived by people who say the Earth is not flat. corrections-and-updates, science, space bob Hip hop artist none 0 0 0 0 1 in a Jan. 25 tweet

2337.json half-true Jennifer Carrolls an outsider. candidates-biography, elections rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28  
23 38 34 7 a press conference.

10853.json false Hedge fund managers pay less in taxes than nurses and truck drivers. economy, income, jobs, taxes hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 an appearance in Mason City, Iowa

9050.json mostly-true Says President Barack Obamas approval rating gained 3 points in the last couple months. polls dan-pfeiffer  
Adviser to President Barack Obama democrat 0 0 0  
1 0 an interview on "Meet the Press"

9427.json mostly-true In the city of Milwaukee, weve still got a mayor and a police chief who are furloughing police officers at a time when we have violence all across the city. city-budget, crime robin-vos Wisconsin Assembly speaker Wisconsin republican 0 3 2 5 1 a radio interview

2830.json half-true A proposal to reduce the deficit involved large tax cuts for the top bracket. federal-budget, taxes, abc-news-week paul-krugman New York Times columnist none 0 2  
3 4 0 "This Week with Christiane Amanpour"

9756.json half-true Says Mitch McConnell voted two times against the Violence Against Women Act. crime, criminal-justice, message-machine-2014, women alison-lundergan-grimes Secretary of State Kentucky democrat 2 2 3 1 0 a campaign ad

6532.json mostly-true His new running mate, Congressman Ryan, put forward a plan that would let Governor Romney pay less than 1 percent in taxes each year. taxes barack-obama President Illinois democrat  
70 71 160 163 9 a speech at Windham High School in New Hampshire

4805.json false Wisconsin law says all recall petition signers must sign in the presence of another person. elections kurt-schuller State treasurer Wisconsin republican 0 1 0 0 0 a tweet

3648.json false In early voting in Miami-Dade County, there is a trickle of two or three people a day at a very high cost to keep those public libraries and polls open. elections, florida miguel-diaz-de-la-portilla

State Senator District 36 Florida republican 0 1 0  
0 0 a Senate Rules Committee meeting

4994.json half-true I never lobbied under any circumstance for Freddie Mac. campaign-finance,ethics newt-gingrich Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15 20 10 11 a debate in Iowa

4715.json half-true Says Mitt Romneys housing policy is, Dont try and stop the foreclosure process. Let it run its course and hit the bottom. housing,message-machine-2012 democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0 a campaign ad

526.json barely-true "In just a few years in office, Sen. Obama has accumulated the most liberal voting record in the Senate." candidates-biography john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 a speech in New Orleans

8673.json true Whether the Amendment passes or not, the medical use of marijuana is a federal criminal offense. criminal-justice,drugs,health-care,marijuana,states pam-bondi Florida republican 2 2 0 4 0 an initial brief to the Florida Supreme Court

9273.json pants-fire Jules Bailey was instrumental in creating the Business Energy Tax Credit that let companies like Wal-Mart profit by \$11 million while costing the Oregon general fund \$33 million. state-finances,taxes brian-wilson Self-employed financial consultant Oregon none 0 0 0 0 1 a campaign email

9973.json half-true Based on current trends, 15.5 million girls will be married in the next 16 years as children. women emma-watson none 0 0 2 0 0 a speech at the UN

3.json mostly-true "New Mexico was 46th in teacher pay (when he was elected), now we're 29th." education bill-richardson Governor New Mexico democrat 1 2 3 8 1 a TV ad.

9197.json false The big Wall Street banks, the big corporations give many times more political donations to Democrats than Republicans. campaign-finance,corporations,elections jim-demint President, Heritage Foundation South Carolina republican 4 4 0 0 1 an interview

9610.json false David Perdue has never voted in a Republican primary until his name was on the ballot. voting-record jack-kingston U.S. Representative Georgia republican 3 1 4 3 0 Friends of Jack Kingston flyer

1150.json half-true If you don't count illegal aliens, people who qualify for other insurance, and people who make more than \$75,000 a year, it leaves about 15 million people who are uninsured. health-care orrin-hatch U.S. Senator Utah republican 2 0 1 0 0 an interview on Fox News

2087.json true The War in Afghanistan is officially the longest war Americans have ever been asked to endure. afghanistan,history,military dennis-kucinich U.S. representative Ohio democrat 1 3 4 6 0 a statement posted to his website

7051.json half-true Says JimRenacci has consistently voted for loopholes that encourage outsourcing of our jobs. financial-regulation,taxes,trade,voting-record betty-sutton U.S. representative from Ohio's 13th District Ohio democrat 0 2 1 2 1 a debate

8035.json false Says in Texas its legal to shoot someone whos committing a public nuisance under the cover of dark. guns,legal-issues robert-reich Economics professor at the University of California (Berkeley) California democrat 0 1 0 1 0 a blog post

1329.json barely-true A small business receiving a federal tax credit "to provide health care for its employees ... would be barred under the Stupak Amendment from allowing their employees to use ... the health care that they offer them for abortion." abortion,health-care ed-rendell Governor Pennsylvania democrat 1 0 0 0 1 the 'Rachel Maddow Show'

1574.json mostly-true Individuals and small businesses will be hit by increases in health insurance premiums as high as 39 percent. health-care americans-united-change none 1 4 4 1 0 a recorded phone message

6745.json mostly-true Says Barack Obamas comments indicate he believes in redistribution of wealth. government-efficiency,message-machine-2012 mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 a speech

4289.json half-true Says of the 2,000 Portland households in the year-long (composting) pilot, 87 percent of participants reported being satisfied with the overall system. polls sam-adams Mayor of Portland Oregon democrat 3 2 5 2 0 an article on his website

4383.json false Says Oregon state employees received a catch-up pay raise in 1981 -- just two years after they agreed not to take a raise in exchange for a retirement benefit. labor,retirement,unions dennis-richardson state representative Oregon republican 0 4 1 2 0 a press briefing

12089.json mostly-true Here in Pennsylvania, the annual cost for infant childcare is over \$10,000 per child, which is more than most families pay in rent and almost the same cost as in-state college tuition. children,families,poverity katie-mcginty Pennsylvania democrat 1 0 0 1 1

12976.json false All of Texas is conservative, except a little bit of Austin. polls,states sean-hannity Radio/TV host none 3 5 3 2 1 while interviewing Donald Trump in Austin

5170.json true Under this tax cut, middle-class families dont save enough for a weeks worth of groceries, while millionaires save enough to go on an exotic vacation. income,taxes lou-greenwald State Assemblyman New Jersey democrat 0 1 1 2 2 a press release

6976.json true The poverty rate amongst women is the worst its been in 17 years and the extreme poverty rate is the worst its ever been. poverty,women george-allen consultant Virginia republican 2 8 3 4 1 a debate.

7838.json pants-fire Says the word Dhimmitude is on page 107 of the health care law and means Muslims are specifically exempted from the government mandate to purchase insurance. health-care,religion chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain email

2643.json false Scientists have shown us (that) the greater possibilities, the real science movement, has been with adult stem cell research. It has not been with embryonic. health-care scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a news conference with reporters

1810.json half-true On the National Animal Identification System. agriculture,candidates-biography todd-staples state agriculture commissioner Texas republican 0 1 4 3 1 a Tea Party rally in El Paso

10097.json pants-fire Elorza wants to teach our public school children about the non-existence of God. candidates-



biography,education,government-regulation,legal-issues,campaign-  
 advertising,pop-culture,religion,science,unions Local-799-  
 international-assoc-fire-fighters Rhode Island none 0 0  
 0 0 1 in a mailer  
 13236.json barely-true Donald Trump says that NATO is obsolete and that  
 we need to get rid of NATO... foreign-policy,military tim-kaine  
 U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0  
 a debate.  
 2568.json false On implementing a sales tax.message-machine,taxes  
 doug-ainge high school teacher Oregon democrat 0 0  
 0 0 0 a television ad  
 12833.json false A few weeks ago, (the) education committee in Congress  
 is deciding whats going to be in your local salad bar.  
 congress,education,food-safety,market-regulation dave-brat  
 College professorVirginia republican 2 5 0 2 0  
 a podcast.  
 1894.json half-true Ninety percent of the people in Arkansas still  
 love Bill Clinton. elections,abc-news-week donna-brazile  
 Political commentator Washington, D.C. democrat 0 1 4  
 7 0 a statement on ABC News' 'This Week.'  
 7881.json mostly-true The problem of unwanted sexual contacts in the  
 military is not just a womans issue. More than half of the victims are  
 men. military kirsten-gillibrand U.S. Senator New York  
 democrat 0 0 1 3 0 an interview on Face the  
 Nation  
 5603.json true Says a study shows that children who live with a  
 biological parent and the parents boyfriend or girlfriend have a 20 times  
 greater chance of being sexually abused.  
 children,crime,families,marriage glenn-grothman State Senator,  
 20th District Wisconsin republican 2 4 1 1 0 an  
 interview  
 5759.json false A proposed regional transportation tax will last a  
 minimum of 10 years, and has been approved to last longer.  
 transportation anonymous-flier none 0 1 0  
 0 0  
 6207.json half-true Says our 12 month job increase was the sixth  
 highest in the nation. jobs chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New  
 Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a speech before the  
 state Legislature  
 2149.json false Warren Buffett called (Jeff) Greenes scheme financial  
 weapons of mass destruction. candidates-biography,financial-  
 regulation,message-machine kendrick-meek Florida democrat  
 2 6 1 4 1 a television ad  
 2445.json false Its not true that since hes been the president,  
 executions in Iran have increased by four times. crime,human-  
 rights,abc-news-week mahmoud-ahmadinejad none 0 2  
 0 0 0 ABC's "This Week"  
 5910.json half-true Says I am happy to decline PERS so that the County  
 can save over \$68,000 over a four year term that would have been paid on  
 my behalf. county-budget,county-government,message-machine-  
 2012,retirement john-ludlow Businessman republican 1 0 1  
 0 0 a Facebook post  
 2596.json half-true Says Chris Dudley thinks Oregons minimum wage is  
 too high. jobs,message-machine john-kitzhaber Governor of Oregon  
 Oregon democrat 1 1 4 4 0 a television ad  
 10399.json false Over half the people on disability are either anxious or  
 their back hurts.disability rand-paul Candidate for U.S. Senate and

physician Kentucky republican 7 8 10 12 3 a speech  
 in New Hampshire  
 792.json half-true "The Democrats in the Senate and some members of  
 Congress defended what Fannie and Freddie were doing. They resisted any  
 change." economy john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican  
 31 39 31 37 8 Nashville, Tenn.  
 12929.json true Today California is kicking our butt, creating more jobs  
 and more economic growth than Texas. economy,jobs,states julian-  
 castro Mayor, San Antonio Texas democrat 0 0 3 3  
 0 comments at Texas Democratic Party convention  
 12791.json barely-true Says Gov. Mike Pence and Rep. Mike Coffman take  
 the same positions on a number of things... Coffman and Pence oppose  
 equal rights for LGBT Americans. gays-and-lesbians democratic-  
 congressional-campaign-committee democrat 11 8 5  
 1 9 a news release  
 9003.json barely-true All of Floridas four-year state colleges now offer  
 bachelors degrees for only \$10,000. education rick-scott Governor  
 Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 his State of the  
 State speech  
 3811.json false One of every two Wisconsin residents are on some kind of  
 government handout. federal-budget,medicare,social-security scott-  
 fitzgerald State Senator, 13th District Wisconsin republican 1 2  
 1 0 0 a speech at the state GOP convention  
 3399.json false A new ruling by the EPA would force dairy farmers to  
 comply with the Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure Program when  
 dealing with spilt milk -- the same regulations oil and natural gas  
 producers must follow. environment morgan-griffith U.S. Congressman  
 Virginia republican 3 2 1 0 0 a newsletter.  
 11229.json true Last year, we had zero percent growth in GDP in Virginia  
 ...The only states that did worse than us were Alaska and Mississippi.  
 economy glen-sturtevant republican 0 1 0  
 0 0 a candidates' forum.  
 3800.json false In the U.S. Constitution, theres a little section in  
 there that talks about life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.  
 history herman-cain Georgia republican 4 11 5  
 3 3 in a speech announcing his presidential run  
 10283.json mostly-true In 1990, the U.S. led the world in the percentage  
 of 25-34 year olds with college degrees. Today we are in 12th place.  
 education bernie-s U.S. Senator Vermont independent 18  
 12 22 41 0 a meme on social media  
 352.json mostly-true "I have something in common with my husband. He  
 never carried caucuses either. He lost all of the ones that I've lost."  
 elections hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York  
 democrat 40 29 69 76 7 an ABC/Politico interview  
 4134.json false Your tax dollars are not being used to sue you, the  
 people. redistricting alan-hays state senator Florida  
 republican 2 1 0 0 0 a public hearing about  
 redistricting  
 5278.json half-true Federal, state and local governments have  
 subsidized the production of the Volt to the tune of estimates between  
 \$50,000 and \$250,000 per vehicle sold. corporations,energy,technology  
 jim-jordan U.S. representative Ohio republican 1 0 3  
 3 0 a congressional hearing  
 2165.json half-true In Cobb County, every meeting opened with a  
 prayer. The ACLU objected. Sued ... [Sam] Olens took on the ACLU and won!  
 legal-issues,religion sam-olens Georgia republican 0  
 1 1 1 0 a campaign ad

7448.json true Felony crimes in the city of Atlanta are the lowest they have been since 1969. crime kasim-reed democrat 1 0  
5 7 1 a speech

12987.json true Both the Democratic and Republican candidates for president in 2016 are quite unpopular. elections jimmy-carter  
Georgia democrat 3 0 2 2 0 interview with  
an AP reporter in Memphis

5132.json half-true Republicans are attempting to remove Barack Obama from Georgias Presidential Ballot in 2012. elections georgia-  
democrats Georgia democrat 0 0 1 0 0 an  
online fundraising bid

13329.json barely-true Says Hillary Clinton takes tens of millions of dollars from countries that hate women, that disrespect women, that throw gays off of buildings. foreign-policy,terrorism kellyanne-conway  
republican 1 1 0 0 0 comments on "Meet the  
Press"

4588.json true Says he came to the Republican Party sooner in age than Ronald Reagan. candidates-biography,new-hampshire-2012 rick-perry  
Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 Republican  
presidential primary debate

6455.json mostly-true Voter turnout for some groups in the 2008 presidential general election in Georgia was far greater than it should have been demographically. elections warren-kampf State  
Representative Pennsylvania republican 0 0 0 1 0  
a town hall meeting

10282.json pants-fire Fluoride in the water, that was originally done by the Nazis! corrections-and-updates,history,public-health,science,water  
jesse-ventura Author Minnesota independent 0 0 0  
1 1 an interview with Salon.com

211.json true "He was a member of the Iraq Study Group and was either fired or quit from a very important commission that was trying to figure out the way forward in Iraq." iraq john-mccain U.S. senator  
Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 Interview on Fox  
News

7676.json barely-true If an individual is determined to commit suicide, the availability of a gun is not a factor because they will find a way. guns,public-health michael-chippendale State Representative  
Rhode Island republican 1 1 0 1 0 a debate  
on WPRI's "Newsmakers program"

1873.json false Presidents Hoover, Truman and Eisenhower collectively ordered the deportation of at least 15 million illegal aliens. history,immigration,legal-issues chain-email none 11  
43 8 5 105 a chain e-mail

2443.json half-true The total number of dollars that passes through the Department of Development is like \$900 million and like \$650 (million) of it has nothing to do with development, which is breathtaking when you think about it. government-efficiency,state-budget john-  
kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9  
8 10 18 3 a statement to reporters

3841.json half-true Medicare only has about 50 percent of it paid for by either premiums or payroll taxes, and the rest is deficit spending ... or debt spending. medicare,abc-news-week tim-pawlenty  
republican 2 3 3 6 1 ABC's "This Week"

12284.json mostly-true In the 2014 election, 80 percent of poor people did not vote. income,voting-record bernie-s U.S. Senator Vermont  
independent 18 12 22 41 0 an interview on NBC's "Meet  
the Press"

7197.json mostly-true Says the Nike bill is not a tax break ... this does not lower the taxes that Nike will pay nor does it prevent the Legislature from raising those taxes in the future. state-budget,taxes john-kitzhaber Governor of Oregon Oregon democrat 1 1 4 4 0 legislative testimony.

12858.json half-true Thanks to the Trans-Pacific Partnership, Vietnam is drafting and presenting unprecedented labor reforms, changing their Constitution to recognize worker organizations in Vietnam for the first time. labor,trade barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a press conference at the White House

2633.json half-true As state treasurer, Alexi Giannoulias lost \$73 million in our kids college savings. economy,education,message-machine mark-kirk U.S. Senator Illinois republican 2 1 2 0 0 a TV ad

6041.json half-true District 22 includes about 80% of the district I have represented since 2010. District 20 includes about 20% of the area I have represented since 2010. redistricting jack-latvala State Senator Florida republican 0 0 1 0 0 a newsletter

3414.json false We now work the longest hours of any people around the world. labor bernie-s U.S. Senator Vermont independent 18 12 22 41 0 a C-SPAN interview

4323.json mostly-true When lenders foreclose on homes, they typically suffer losses that exceed 30 percent of the value of the home. housing thaddeus-mccotter Congressman Michigan republican 0 0 0 1 0 an op-ed in the "National Review"

1679.json half-true "The policy of the Bush administration was also not to add new nuclear capabilities." foreign-policy,military,abc-news-week robert-gates Secretary of Defense none 0 0 1 2 0 ABC's "This Week"

275.json barely-true "We haven't built a refinery, I think, in 30 years." energy rudy-giuliani Attorney New York republican 9 11 10 7 3 a debate in Manchester, N.H.

13208.json mostly-true In the state legislature, I supported Second Amendment rights.guns jason-kander Secretary of State Missouri democrat 1 0 0 1 0 a campaign ad

5911.json half-true Says the health care reform bill was paid for, in part, by taking money from students and the student loan system. education,health-care rob-portman U.S. senator from Ohio Ohio republican 3 5 11 11 1 a conference call with reporters

4277.json false The Republican National Convention is a Super Bowl times four. economy,elections,tourism reince-priebus Chairman, Republican National Committee Wisconsin republican 2 12 8 3 1 comments made to reporters while in Tampa

752.json half-true John McCain "has threatened extinction for North Korea and sung songs about bombing Iran." foreign-policy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 Oxford, Miss.

2601.json false Says more Republicans than Democrats voted for the Wall Street bailouts. economy,financial-regulation kurt-schrader U.S. representative Oregon democrat 0 1 3 0 0 a radio show

1450.json half-true Says a prank phone call caused 400 children to be taken from their parents... without warrant. civil-rights debra-medina Businesswoman Texas republican 0 1 3 1 0 an e-mail.

5653.json pants-fire A bill that could restrict free speech when the president is nearby was signed by President Barack Obama in secret.  
 congressional-rules,legal-issues,transparency andrew-napolitano  
 judge republican 3 0 2 0 3 an interview on  
 Fox News

13046.json barely-true Californias Prop 55 prevents \$4 billion in new cuts to our schools. education,state-finances yes-55  
 California organization 1 0 0 0 0 a  
 television advertisement

3103.json true George Allen voted for budgets that increased the national debt by \$16,400 for every second he served in the U.S. Senate.  
 federal-budget jamie-radtko Virginia republican 1  
 1 1 2 0 a news release

2894.json pants-fire This town (Wilmington, Ohio) hasnt taken any money from the government. They dont want any money from the government.  
 economy,families,jobs,pundits glenn-beck none 5  
 7 7 2 6 his radio broadcast

1012.json false We were not, I repeat, were not told that waterboarding or any of these other enhanced interrogation methods were used.  
 terrorism nancy-pelosi House Minority Leader California  
 democrat 3 7 11 2 3 a news conference.

9112.json false 22 Countries Invaded by the U.S. in 20 Years. foreign-policy,military,terrorism facebook-posts Social media posting  
 none 14 18 15 11 36 viral posts on the Internet

2945.json mostly-true Sixteen [federal] programs exist to fight homelessness and some of them are duplicative. federal-budget  
 jack-kingston U.S. Representative Georgia republican 3  
 1 4 3 0 a presentation

9944.json true The U.S. Constitution is the oldest written constitution still in use today among nations. history bob-goodlatte U.S.  
 Congressman Virginia republican 0 1 4 3 0 a video.

6839.json barely-true Says U.S. Senate opponent Tommy Thompson favors raising taxes on small businesses. health-care,taxestammy-baldwin U.S.  
 Representative Wisconsin democrat 5 5 7 4 0  
 debate comments

3673.json barely-true Republicans offered Wisconsin bar patrons free shots (of alcohol) to sign recall petitions against Democrats.  
 elections,labor,state-budget chris-larson Wisconsin Senate  
 Minority Leader Wisconsin democrat 6 5 0 1 1 a  
 tweet

13058.json true Says Donald Trumps foundation took money other people gave to his charity and then bought a six-foot-tall painting of himself.  
 candidates-biography barack-obama President Illinois  
 democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech in Philadelphia

3941.json half-true The Democrat-led Senate has failed to pass a budget for 750 days ... Senate Democrats have neglected one of their most basic responsibilities. federal-budget,government-efficiency rob-  
 portman U.S. senator from Ohio Ohio republican 3 5 11 11  
 1 a news release

10917.json false On Common Core. education bobby-jindal Governor  
 of Louisiana Louisiana republican 0 1 4 4 0 an  
 op-ed in "USA Today."

13155.json false Says Ron Johnson helped companies ship jobs overseas. foreign-policy,jobs,trade russ-feingold Wisconsin  
 democrat 2 4 7 5 1 a TV ad

9301.json pants-fire Florida Democrats just voted to impose Sharia law on women. islam,legal-issues,religion blog-posting none  
 7 19 3 5 44 in various social media posts

5486.json half-true Says opponent Beto ORourke wants to legalize drugs. drugs,marijuana,message-machine-2012 silvestre-reyes U.S. House member Texas democrat 0 0 2 1 1 a video advertisement.

4579.json false Says Bill Clinton opposes President Barack Obamas plan to raise taxes on wealthy Americans. message-machine,taxes american-crossroads republican 5 5 4 0 0 a television ad airing in Orlando

10943.json true Ninety-seven percent of Americans do not receive subsidies for health care under the Affordable Care Act. congress,government-regulation,guns,public-health,states austin-scott Georgia republican 1 1 0 0 0 press conference

12728.json false Our economy is not growing. economy rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a speech at the Republican convention

92.json half-true "It doesn't make sense to me to send \$1-billion a day out of our country. We can be energy independent and should be." energy mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 Florida.

11230.json half-true Says Scott Walkers plan to replace Obamacare is a new entitlement program for every single American human being from the time they are born right up until they grow old and become eligible for Medicare. federal-budget,health-care,taxes,welfare bobby-jindal Governor of Louisiana Louisiana republican 0 1 4 4 0 a statement

2720.json pants-fire Says state Senate candidate Monk Elmer voted to exceed the (school district property tax) spending caps. education,message-machine,taxes american-federation-children none 1 0 0 0 1 a direct mail campaign piece

582.json true "For at least a year now, I have called for two additional brigades, perhaps three." military barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 Afghanistan

13227.json false Says Hillary Clinton wants to go to a single-payer plan for health care health-care donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a presidential debate

12052.json true Foreign aid is less than 1 percent of our federal budget. corrections-and-updates,federal-budget,foreign-policy marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a GOP debate at the University of Miami

1010.json half-true Pay-as-you-go is the principle that helped transform large deficits into surpluses in the 1990s. federal-budget barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech at the White House.

1333.json true Obama has "visited more countries and met with more world leaders than any president in his first six months in office." foreign-policy chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 a widely circulated e-mail

2603.json false Says Texas has so few gas-pump inspectors in the field, the HEBs of this state, the Brookshires of this state, theyre calibrating their own gas pumps. The (Texas Department of Agriculture) just sends them the stickers and they calibrate them. consumer-safety,energy,job-accomplishments hank-gilbert Cattle raiser Texas democrat 1 1 2 0 0 a speech.

2731.json mostly-true We have empowered state insurance commissioners to review the rate hikes that are taking place in states. And in some states

like North Carolina, they have already used it and rolled back premium increases by 25 percent. children,health-care,job-accomplishments  
barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 an interview on Comedy Central's "Daily Show with Jon Stewart"

3434.json mostly-true Says a rather extraordinary amount of non-classroom employees were added by Texas school districts over the last decade. state-budget,taxes rick-perry Governor Texas republican  
30 30 42 23 18 a comment to reporters.

788.json mostly-true A mortgage buyback plan is "my proposal, it's not Sen. Obama's proposal, it's not President Bush's proposal." economy  
john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31  
37 8 Nashville, Tenn.

1691.json half-true "The permission to engage was given before the word RPG was ever used." ethics,human-rights,military julian-assange  
none 0 0 1 0 0 an interview on  
Comedy Central's "The Colbert Report"

605.json false "Senator Obama has voted 94 times to either increase your taxes or against tax cuts." taxes john-mccain U.S. senator  
Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 comment from  
McCain spokesman Tucker Bounds on Fox News

6195.json false Lorain is the poorest urban school district in the state of Ohio. education,poverty,state-budget dan-ramos State  
representative Ohio democrat 0 1 1 1 0 a speech  
in the Ohio House

1350.json true The Senate health care bill does not contain limits on medical malpractice lawsuits. health-care mitch-mcconnell Senate  
minority leader Kentucky republican 7 6 5 7 0 a  
floor speech

7706.json half-true Narragansett Bay waters are getting warmer -- 4 degrees Fahrenheit warmer in the winter since the 1960s. climate-change,environment,history,science sheldon-whitehouse U.S. Senator  
Rhode Island democrat 2 3 2 7 0 a Senate  
speech published on YouTube

12037.json half-true Says Barack Obama has the legal authority to let in really however many refugees he wants, from whatever country.  
federal-budget,foreign-policy,immigration,terrorism ron-johnson  
Wisconsin republican 14 6 10 10 1 a public forum

8710.json mostly-true Of all cities in the United States with more than 100,000 people, Providence is the 183rd safest. crime brett-smiley  
Rhode Island democrat 0 0 0 1 0 a  
campaign speech

960.json half-true In Japan, executives of failing companies say 'I'm sorry' and then either do one of two things: resign or go commit suicide.  
ethics chuck-grassley U.S. senator Iowa republican 0  
1 2 0 0 a radio interview

10544.json false Says President Barack Obama said that American exceptionalism is no more exceptional than the exceptionalism of any other country. foreign-policy,patriotism rudy-giuliani Attorney  
New York republican 9 11 10 7 3 an op-ed in the  
'Wall Street Journal'

4391.json barely-true Says Barack Obamas favorability rating in Israel once clocked in at 4 percent. israel,polls kinky-friedman  
Author Texas democrat 1 1 1 0 0 an opinion  
column.

13186.json half-true Says Donald Trump proposes to deport 16 million people, 11 million who are here without documents, and both Donald Trump and Mike Pence want to get rid of birthright citizenship.

children,homeland-security,human-rights,immigration tim-kaine U.S.  
Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0 the 2016  
vice presidential debate  
9692.json barely-true Says U.S. House candidate Carlos Curbelo opposes  
the repeal of Obamacare. health-care ed-macdougall Cutler Bay mayor  
Florida republican 1 0 0 0 0 a radio ad  
7401.json mostly-true Says, Statistics indicate that one in eight  
children, and one in 18 adults in Oregon suffers from mental illness.  
health-care,public-health,state-budget peter-courtney Senate  
President in Oregon Legislature democrat 0 0 0 1  
0 a press release  
13405.json half-true One in five American households have nobody under  
the same roof thats got a job. economy,families,jobs,workers  
mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5  
0 remarks in Cocoa Beach, Fla.  
230.json true "George Bush ... used a signing statement (on a FEMA  
bill) to say, 'I don't have to follow that, unless I choose to.' "  
legal-issues hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York  
democrat 40 29 69 76 7 debate in Johnston, Iowa  
3037.json half-true Obamas mid-term approval ratings are similar to  
other presidents who went on to re-election. polls tim-kaine U.S.  
Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0 a TV  
interview.  
207.json true "I saved the taxpayers \$2-billion on a bogus Air Force  
Boeing tanker deal where people went to jail." federal-budget  
john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31  
37 8 St. Petersburg, Fla.  
3608.json false Says the fluoride Austin is putting in its drinking  
water is toxic waste. public-health mike-ford Retiree Texas none  
0 1 0 0 0 a letter.  
3789.json barely-true The new light bulbs will cost roughly six times  
the cost of the light bulbs we now use. energy,market-regulation  
ameripac none 1 0 1 0 1 a  
fundraising letter  
7775.json half-true Only three in 10 young Americans under 30 -- 30  
percent under 30 -- have full-time work. jobs,workers ron-meyer  
Press secretary Virginia republican 0 0 1 0 0  
a TV interview.  
12160.json barely-true Emory University students were provided counseling  
after someone wrote Trump 2016 in chalk on campus. education viral-  
media-reports none Georgia none 1 1 0 0 0  
Newspaper, television and social media  
12870.json barely-true Through the Clinton Foundation, the Clintons are  
now worth in excess of \$100 million. candidates-biography america-  
rising-now pro-Trump super PAC organization 2 0 0  
0 0 an ad played on "Meet the Press"  
10069.json false The U.S. Supreme Court struck down Wisconsin's photo ID  
election law elections debbie-wasserman-schultz U.S.  
Representative, Florida District 23 Florida democrat 7 9  
8 15 3 a news release  
3366.json true A telephone company will no longer have to provide  
landline service to customers if there is an alternative provider,  
including wireless. market-regulation ward-armstrong Minority leader,  
House of Delegates Virginia democrat 0 3 0 0 1  
a House floor speech.  
10806.json true The people of Tiverton have historically supported  
[gambling measures] at a rate higher than the rest of the state.  
economy,gambling,history,polls,recreation,tourism john-taylor-2



chairman of the board, Twin River Rhode Island business-leader  
0 0 0 0 0 an interview on WPRI-TV's "Newsmakers."  
9681.json pants-fire We know how to stop AIDS: persuade men not to have  
sex with men. gays-and-lesbians,health-care bryan-fischer  
Radio host none 0 0 0 0 2 his "Focal  
Point" radio show  
1015.json barely-true Democrats in Congress had control since January of  
2007. They haven't passed a law making waterboarding illegal. They  
haven't gone into any of these things and changed law. human-  
rights,legal-issues,terrorism newt-gingrich Co-host on CNN's  
"Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15 20 10 11 a  
television interview  
13486.json half-true Alexander Hamilton was an immigration hawk.  
history,immigration rush-limbaugh Radio host none 9  
11 5 2 10 "The Rush Limbaugh Show"  
8798.json false And we've constantly been the lowest unemployed county in  
the state. job-accomplishments bob-terry Washington County  
commissioner Oregon none 0 1 0 0 0 an Oregon  
Public Broadcasting interview  
2514.json false The federal government can tell General Motors what to  
charge for its automobiles. bankruptcy,financial-regulation phil-  
gingrey U.S. Congressman Georgia republican 2 5 2 1  
1 a CNN interview  
10633.json false A few weeks ago Obama took Hamas and Iran OFF the terror  
list. foreign-policy,israel,nuclear,terrorism glenn-beck none  
5 7 7 2 6 a Facebook post  
10883.json false Once a woman enters into the sex trade, her average life  
expectancy is seven years. children,crime,public-health,public-  
safety,recreation,sexuality,women,workers rebecca-quigley host,  
"State of the State." Rhode Island none 0 1 0 0 0  
a comment on a "State of the State" TV program.  
13213.json half-true Says Congresswoman Loretta Sanchez has passed one  
bill in her 20 years in Congress, and that was to rename a post office.  
elections kamala-harris Attorney General California democrat  
0 0 2 2 0 a U.S. Senate campaign debate.  
5698.json half-true Under the House Republican budget, if these cuts  
were to be spread out evenly the year after next, nearly 10 million  
college students would see their financial aid cut by an average of more  
than \$1,000 each.education,federal-budget barack-obama President  
Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 remarks to a  
meeting of the Newspaper Association of America  
11701.json false The Electric Reliability Council of Texas (ERCOT) has  
estimated that the Obama administrations Power Plan will cause energy  
costs in Texas to rise as much as 16 percent per year. corrections-and-  
updates,energy,environment lamar-smith Congressman Texas republican 2  
5 1 3 0 Op-ed column in the San Antonio Express-News  
2315.json barely-true John Boozman supports privatizing Social Security  
message-machine,social-security blanche-lincoln U.S. Senator for  
Arkansas Arkansas democrat 1 0 1 0 0 a TV ad  
4626.json mostly-true Slot machines in Miami-Dade and Broward counties  
have generated 20 percent of the promised \$500 million per year for  
schools. education,gambling no-casinos Florida none 0  
0 0 3 0 a statement on their website  
11307.json barely-true Jeb's policies in Florida helped lead to its almost  
total collapse. economy,florida donald-trump President-Elect New  
York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a tweet

11925.json true We are almost halfway to our goal of 1,000 rapes prosecuted! crime tim-mcgintry Cuyahoga County prosecutor Ohio democrat  
0 0 0 1 0 his campaign website

4259.json true One in every five families in the state of New Jersey has a loved one with a mental illness, a serious mental illness, and today, we dont care. health-care, state-budget richard-codey  
State Senator New Jersey democrat 0 0 0 2 0  
a speech on the Senate floor

5061.json pants-fire Says kids who start in the ninth grade in the city of Newark this past September, 23 percent of them will graduate in four years. education chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a radio interview

4141.json half-true Says that, unlike the U.S. Senate, even the Libyan government, in the middle of a civil war, passed a budget on June 15, 2011 federal-budget, foreign-policy, government-efficiency ann-marie-buerkle Candidate for U.S. House New York republican 0 1  
1 0 0 a news release

4175.json half-true The nonpartisan CBO, Congressional Budget Office, has said that the No. 1 policy decision that brought us to the need to prevent the nation from defaulting on our debt for the first time in history were the Bush tax cuts in 2001 and 2003. deficit, federal-budget debbie-wasserman-schultz U.S. Representative, Florida District 23 Florida democrat 7 9 8 15 3 debate on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives

9462.json mostly-true When Rick Scott was deposed in lawsuits about his company, he took the Fifth 75 times. candidates-biography, legal-issues florida-democratic-party Florida democrat 5 4  
4 5 3 a TV ad

3987.json mostly-true Vern Buchanan. His old business was caught illegally funneling over \$60,000 in campaign donations to Buchanan to influence his election. campaign-finance democratic-congressional-campaign-committee democrat 11 8 5 1 9  
in a radio ad

293.json pants-fire Says McCain was a "Hanoi Hilton songbird" who collaborated with the enemy. candidates-biography vietnam-veterans-against-john-mccain none 0 0 0 0 1 a flyer sent to news organizations in South Carolina

7728.json mostly-true Were spending less money today, in upcoming fiscal year 2014 than the Corzine-Buono budget spent in fiscal year 2008. state-budget, state-finances chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 an interview on NJ101.5 FM's "Ask the Governor" program

2117.json half-true In New Mexico, Democratic gubernatorial candidate Diane Denish spent federal stimulus funds on campaign Christmas cards. ethics, message-machine susana-martinez Candidate for governor of New Mexico New Mexico republican 1 0 1 0 0 a campaign commercial

4825.json half-true House Republicans are ramming through legislation ... to classify pizza as a vegetable for the purpose of school lunches. education, public-health democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0 an e-mail message

9516.json barely-true Wendy Davis legal work is currently under FBI investigation. candidates-biography, crime, criminal-justice, ethics greg-abbott governor Texas republican 11 3 8 6 5  
a billboard message

12834.json false On whether hes had a relationship with Vladimir Putin. candidates-biography, foreign-policy donald-trump President-

Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 various interviews and speeches

3980.json false Says Gov. Chris Christies poll ratings have been going up. polls piers-morgan Host of "Piers Morgan Tonight" talk-show-host 0 1 0 0 0 an interview with Gov. Chris Christie on "Piers Morgan Tonight"

3231.json half-true The United States is the only developed country in the world that has not cut its corporate tax rate. corporations,taxes herman-cain Georgia republican 4 11 5 3 3 an interview

386.json mostly-true "I committed to public financing; (Obama) committed to public financing." ethics john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 a news conference in Columbus, Ohio

11288.json half-true Says Donald Trump wants to replace Obamacare with a single-payer system. health-care,public-health reid-ribble Candidate for 8th District U.S. House seat Wisconsin republican 0 1 1 0 1 an interview

660.json half-true The U.S. energy policy is to "borrow money from China to buy oil from countries that don't like us." energy mark-warner U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 3 1 6 3 0 Denver

1106.json true All private healthcare plans must conform to government rules to participate in a Healthcare Exchange. health-care,market-regulation chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain e-mail

2105.json false On debating. elections rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a press release

446.json barely-true Obama supports "teaching schoolchildren in 2nd grade, no less about homosexual relationships." education,gays-and-lesbians focus-family-action none 1 2 0 0 0 a Web article

10271.json mostly-true Atlanta Mayor Kasim Reed became a city resident in the last annexation, opening the door to his candidacy. elections keisha-lance-bottoms democrat 0 0 0 0 1 an Atlanta Journal-Constitution story

4866.json half-true In Pennsylvania, President Barack Obamas policies have increased unemployment 19 percent, led to the loss of 37,900 manufacturing jobs, and left 189,000 more people in poverty. economy,job-accomplishments,jobs,message-machine-poverty,states republican-national-committee-republican republican 6 6 11 5 2 a Web video

8419.json false Virtually every person across this country has seen premiums going up and up and up due to Obamacare. health-care ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 a conversation with reporters

3136.json half-true Secure Communities has a proven track record of enhancing public safety by focusing on violent offenders and those that pose a threat to our communities and our national security. crime,immigration peter-kilmartin state representative Rhode Island democrat 0 0 2 1 1 a news release

12093.json barely-true Every (U.S. Supreme Court) nominee since 1875 has received a nomination hearing. supreme-court mark-herring State senator Virginia democrat 1 0 0 1 0 a letter

317.json true "The 1990s were a time of prosperity. We created more than 22-million new jobs, moved 8-million people out of poverty, and

turned our economy around." economy bill-clinton former president  
Arkansas democrat 4 2 12 11 3

6295.json pants-fire The Affordable Care Act will likely go down as the  
biggest tax increase in history. financial-regulation,health-care,taxes  
josh-mandel Ohio treasurer Ohio republican 4 5 4 5  
6 a news release

6610.json mostly-true The unemployment rate is declining faster in Tampa  
than almost anywhere else. economy,jobs bob-buckhorn  
Florida none 2 1 2 1 0 a speech at the RNC

5597.json true New Jersey loses net, that is minus those who come into  
the state, 30,000 students a year. education susan-cole Montclair State  
University President none 0 0 0 0 0 an  
interview on NJTV

1234.json false All the talk about socialism during the campaign made  
young people more interested in it by Election Day. economy michael-  
moore Documentary filmmaker none 2 5 1 6 0 the  
movie Capitalism: A Love Story

4995.json true Ive done more impeachments than anybody else in the  
history of the country. congressional-rules,criminal-  
justice,history,job-accomplishments jim-sensenbrenner Member of  
Congress Wisconsin republican 2 4 1 0 0 a House  
Judiciary Committee hearing

9095.json pants-fire Says Marco Rubio believes the earth is 9,000 years  
old and that humans hunted dinosaurs to extinction; says Rand Paul  
believes the earth is 10,000 years old and God removed dinosaurs to make  
space for humans. religion,science facebook-posts Social media posting  
none 14 18 15 11 36 a post from Being Liberal

10451.json half-true The Affordable Care Act basically puts a penalty  
or a tax on employers for every new job they create. economy,health-  
care,jobs,taxes john-boehner Speaker of the House of Representatives  
Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 an interview on CBS'  
"60 Minutes"

4679.json half-true In Texas, we created over 1 million new jobs while  
the rest of the nation lost over 2 million. job-  
accomplishments,jobs,message-machine-2012 rick-perry Governor  
Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a television ad

6011.json mostly-true Women have come through the recession worse off  
than men the numbers bear that out. We went from a 7 percent unemployment  
rate for women when he (President Barack Obama) was elected to an 8.1  
percent now. economy,jobs caroline-casagrande Assemblywoman  
New Jersey republican 0 0 0 2 0 an interview on  
My9TV.com's "New Jersey Now" program

255.json mostly-true "The fact of the matter is that my colleague from  
New York, Senator Clinton, there are 50 percent of the American public  
that say they're not going to vote for her." elections chris-dodd U.S.  
senator Connecticut democrat 0 0 3 3 0 a debate  
in Philadelphia

3664.json false A \$250 fine if youre caught with a plastic bag coming  
out of a store. Plastic bag police anyone? environment victoria-taft  
radio talk show host Oregon none 0 2 0 0 1  
a tweet

11262.json false In countries where there are higher, more strict gun  
laws, there is more gun violence. guns eric-bolling Co-host on Fox  
News Channel's "The Five" none 2 1 1 1 0 a  
broadcast of "The Five" on Fox News

9388.json barely-true Says he never wanted to raise the debt ceiling.  
debt,federal-budget mike-collins co-owner, Collins  
Industries Georgia republican 1 0 1 1 0 a flier

12596.json barely-true Thanks to (North Carolinas) governor and the legislature, the average teachers salary can barely support a family. education,families,state-budget,workers hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a speech in Raleigh, NC

8689.json half-true There never really was a Hastert Rule. congressional-rules dennis-hastert republican 0 0 1 0 0 a broadcast of MSNBC's "The Cycle"

13420.json true Says Donald Trump wants to undo marriage equality. gays-and-lesbians,marriage hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a campaign speech

11911.json barely-true It has been over 80 years since a lame-duck president appointed a Supreme Court justice. supreme-court marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a debate in Greenville, S.C.

5450.json half-true Says Rick Santorum opposes right-to-work labor,workers ron-paul U.S. representative Texas republican 5 8 8 8 3 a campaign commercial

2993.json mostly-true In 1981, Matagorda, Brazoria, and Galveston Counties all opted out of the Social Security program for their employees. Today, their program is very, very well-funded and there is no question about whether its going to be funded in years to come. social-security rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 an interview.

3740.json half-true Virginia ranked near the bottom of the nation 50 years ago in per capita income but is in the top 10 today. It had a very low rate of higher education attainment but is now above the national average. education tim-kaine U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0 a TV interview.

12720.json half-true Says (Clinton) called President Assad a reformer. She called Assad a different kind of leader. foreign-policy chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a speech at the Republican National Convention

1653.json half-true "As a state rep, I was considered the fourth-most conservative in the Legislature. states rick-green republican 0 1 1 0 0 a speech

2552.json mostly-true Rand Paul wants us to pay \$2,000 just to get Medicare. health-care,medicare,message-machine jack-conway Kentucky Attorney General Kentucky democrat 0 1 0 2 0 a campaign commercial

9353.json mostly-true Says Hillary Clinton opposed an individual mandate and favored an employer mandate back in 1993. health-care,public-health bobby-jindal Governor of Louisiana Louisiana republican 0 1 4 4 0 an op-ed for Politico Magazine

9577.json mostly-true There are more than 46 million Americans living in poverty today -- the largest number in 54 years. medicaid,poverity kirk-cox House majority leader Virginia republican 0 0 0 1 0 a speech.

4318.json half-true Since I introduced my budget -- first budget -- in March of 2010, weve created 50,000 new private-sector jobs for the people of this state. jobs,state-budget chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a news conference in Belmar

9864.json mostly-true Scott Walker cut school funding more per student than any governor in America. children,education,message-machine- 2014,state-budget,states,taxes greater-wisconsin-political-fund Wisconsin none 3 3 3 1 1 a TV ad

8243.json true Says he would be first CPA to serve as Texas comptroller. state-finances raul-torres Accountant, politician Texas republican 0 0 0 0 0 a campaign video

13500.json mostly-true On Donald Trumps plan to cut federal funding to sanctuary cities, because of a decision by the Supreme Court, no presidents in a position to cut off funding across the board. It has to be very specific to the matter at hand. city-budget, county-budget, federal-budget, homeland-security, immigration, state-budget bill-de-blasio New York City Mayor New York democrat 1 0 0 1 0 a WNYC interview

9854.json false Thomas Jefferson said, That government is best which governs the least, because its people discipline themselves. elections jody-hice republican 0 1 0 0 0 a Facebook post

7737.json barely-true Proposed gun control legislation will outlaw practically every firearm, make you pay \$100 per firearm, put you into a police database and make it nearly impossible to get a permit to carry a concealed weapon. crime, criminal-justice, government-regulation, guns, market-regulation ed-doyle administrator, Rhode Island chapter, Gun Rights Across America. Rhode Island activist 1 0 0 0 0 a news release and Facebook post

12293.json barely-true Says Donald Trump thinks a grown man pretending to be a woman (should) be allowed to use the womens restroom. candidates-biography, corrections-and-updates, gays-and-lesbians, campaign-advertising ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 an attack ad

457.json half-true "McCain has voted repeatedly at least six times against funding for global HIV/AIDS, malaria and TB fund, once as one of only 14 senators." foreign-policy democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0 a news release.

3731.json true The Border Patrol has 20,000 agents more than twice as many as there were in 2004. immigration barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech in El Paso

8103.json half-true The fact is that red light cameras change driver behavior and cut down on the most dangerous types of accidents. public-safety rick-kriseman State Representative Florida democrat 0 2 1 1 0 a Tampa Bay Times questionnaire

1439.json half-true Under (Rick Perrys) watch as governor, over six million Texans have no health care coverage, including one million children, homeowners suffer from the highest insurance rates in the country, and college tuition has skyrocketed 136 percent. children, economy, education, health-care democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0 a press release

5779.json half-true Georgias HOPE scholarship is still the richest scholarship program in America. education michael-adams President of the University of Georgia none 0 0 1 0 0 a newspaper article

10567.json false Abortions account for 94 percent of the services provided for pregnant women by Planned Parenthood. abortion, health-care, human-rights, religion, women thomas-tobin Bishop of the Diocese of Providence none 0 2 0 0 0 a newspaper column

10111.json false While (Charlie Crist) was governor, utility costs went up 30 percent and went from below the national average to above the national average. Since I got elected, utility rates have come down 11 percent and now we are below the average. debates, energy, message-

machine-2014 rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23  
 38 34 7 a debate  
 11256.json mostly-true Bernie Sanders oppose the Trans-Pacific Partnership, and Hillary Clinton supports it. trade viral-image  
 none 5 5 0 3 15 a viral Internet chart  
 10543.json false On supporting right to work legislation in 2015  
 corporations, economy, labor, small-business, unions, workers scott-walker  
 Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41  
 32 40 11 a statement  
 7904.json barely-true Says the success of his economic agenda is supported by the fact we went from unemployment at 9.2 percent when I decided to run for governor four years ago to two points lower.  
 economy, job-accomplishments, jobs scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a television interview  
 4709.json barely-true In the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, it was the Democrats who cut \$500 billion from Medicare. And they also put in place the Independent Payment Advisory Board, 15 unelected bureaucrats, which will be making decisions about health care for our seniors and for all Americans. health-care, medicare allen-west U.S. representative, Florida District 22 Florida republican 6 9  
 3 1 4 a Fox News interview  
 8854.json half-true Were trailing every other state in the Midwest in terms of job creation since January of 2011. state-budget, state-finances, states, taxes mary-burke Madison school board member Wisconsin democrat 5 5 11 8 3 an interview  
 4116.json false POTUS economists: Stimulus Has Cost \$278,000 per job. stimulus john-boehner Speaker of the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 a tweet on Twitter  
 5131.json mostly-true The education tax burden for Shelby County -- and Tennessee -- is one of the lowest in the country. education, taxes kriner-cash Superintendent, Memphis City Schools none 0  
 0 0 1 0 a presentation to Shelby County's schools merger Transition Planning Commission  
 11861.json false Says Donald Trump's conversion to pro-life beliefs are akin to Justin Bieber's, who said in the past that abortion was no big deal to him. abortion sarah-palin Alaska republican 9  
 19 9 6 6 an interview on CNN  
 9435.json mostly-true By the time I left the State Department, economic growth was up and opium production was down in Afghanistan, while infant mortality declined and school enrollment rose by more than sevenfold.  
 drugs, economy, education, foreign-policy, health-care, public-health, women hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 her book, "Hard Choices"  
 12805.json mostly-true We have the most productive workers in the world. economy, workers joe-biden U.S. senator Delaware democrat 11 10 21 16 4 a speech at the Democratic National Convention  
 9801.json true Before I was state treasurer, my Rhode Island business helped create over 1,000 jobs. candidates-biography, economy, job-accomplishments, jobs, message-machine-2014 gina-raimondo venture capital company founder Rhode Island democrat 2 1 2  
 5 1 a campaign ad  
 2195.json false Says Bill White profited in the aftermath of Hurricane Rita. ethics, infrastructure, transparency rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a Perry website  
 11370.json mostly-true Alabama's Crimson Tide will be the underdog in Saturdays game against the Georgia Bulldogs, the first time in 72

consecutive games that Alabama has not been favored by oddsmakers to win.  
gambling,sports espn news Georgia none 0 0 0 1  
0 in an article

9771.json half-true Says Rick Scott took \$200,000 in campaign  
contributions from a company that profited off pollution.climate-  
change,energy,environment,message-machine-2014 nextgen-climate  
organization 0 0 3 0 0 TV ad

3676.json mostly-true In a lawsuit between private citizens, a Florida  
judge announced the decision was going to be based on Islamic Law.  
florida,legal-issues,religion adam-hasner Florida  
republican 2 1 4 4 0 a speech before  
conservative activists

4615.json half-true Says Democrats raised taxes over 115 times in the  
past 10 years, making New Jersey increasingly unaffordable and chasing  
jobs to neighboring states. economy,jobs,taxes tom-kean-jr New Jersey  
Senate Minority Leader republican 0 2 1 0 0 a  
news release

7742.json false Metro on whether it could use bond money for  
restoration. taxes metro none 0 0 0 0 0  
voters pamphlet

2394.json half-true Roy Barnes is like Barack Obama because theyre  
both doing a lot of apologizing. message-machine republican-governors-  
association Washington, D.C. republican 5 1 6 4 2  
a TV commercial

817.json pants-fire "Barack Obama thinks terrorists just need a good  
talking to." terrorism republican-national-committee-republican  
republican 6 6 11 5 2 a direct mail  
piece

13051.json barely-true The Germans, the French, countries that opposed us  
in the (Iraq) war, all believed (Saddam Hussein) had weapons of mass  
destruction. iraq paul-wolfowitz visiting scholar at the American  
Enterprise Institute New York none 1 0 0 0 0 an  
interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

11345.json half-true The pope and Donald Trump and Tammy Baldwin all  
agree on eliminating the carried-interest tax break. financial-  
regulation,income,religion,taxes tammy-baldwin U.S. Representative  
Wisconsin democrat 5 5 7 4 0 an interview

7387.json barely-true Agriculture has always required a significant  
workforce from abroad. agriculture,history,immigration,workers marco-  
rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5  
a blog post on RedState.com

4400.json half-true Says Jon Huntsman supports changes in Medicare  
that would deny guaranteed benefits to 980,000 New Hampshire residents.  
medicare,new-hampshire-2012 new-hampshire-democratic-party  
New Hampshire democrat 4 0 3 3 0 a  
statement on the state Democratic website.

3541.json half-true Across the United States, 25 percent of voting age  
African Americans do not have the photo ID that this bill would require.  
elections armond-budish Minority leader in the Ohio House of  
Representatives Ohio democrat 0 1 2 3 0

12187.json half-true Says Rick Scott stripped women of access to public  
health care. abortion rick-scotts-starbucks-heckler Activist,  
stay-at-home mom Florida activist 0 0 2 0 0 a  
confrontation with Rick Scott at Starbucks

7340.json true A majority of Americans agree with a ban on assault  
weapons. And by the way, so did Ronald Reagan. guns barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 in a  
speech



10355.json true Only 42 percent of young Georgians have a college certificate or degree, but soon 60 percent of jobs will require some college credential. education,jobs hank-huckaby University System chancellorGeorgia none 0 0 0 0 0 civic club speech

10467.json half-true Texas has the lowest crime rate in this state since 1968 because of changes in law regarding nonviolent drug offenders. crime,criminal-justice,drugs rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 valedictory speech as governor to the Texas Legislature

8089.json false Says HJM 20 was the only bill not assigned to a House committee. government-efficiency oregon-catalyst organization 0 1 0 0 0 a blog post.

12526.json mostly-true Says if you try to hide marijuana in a hemp field, it becomes worthless. The THC goes away. drugs,government-regulation,marijuana,market-regulation,science larry-yarborough N.C. Representative North Carolina republican 0 0 0 1 0 a meeting in the legislature about hemp regulations

10898.json barely-true The Texas Senate approved a bill to put a special label on the insurance cards of anyone who bought a plan through Obamacare that includes the letter S for subsidy. health-careal-sharpton New York democrat 2 1 1 1 0 a broadcast of MSNBC's "PoliticsNation"

7541.json half-true Said the year before he took office, the state lost 119,000 private-sector jobs, labeling them Corzine jobs losses of 2009. jobs chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a keynote speech to a commercial real estate group

7136.json barely-true Says the state is required pick up 70 percent of the cost of K-12 education. education,state-budget john-kitzhaber Governor of Oregon Oregon democrat 1 1 4 4 0 a speech.

6325.json half-true Theres a loophole where you can sell guns without a background check 40 percent of guns are sold that way at gun shows and over the Internet. criminal-justice,guns michael-bloomberg New York independent 0 2 2 3 0 an interview on "Face the Nation"

12855.json true Illinois suffered 1,652 overdose deaths in 2014 ... of which 40 percent were associated with heroin. Illinois is ranked number one in the nation for a decline in treatment capacity between 2007 and 2012, and is now ranked the third worst in the country for state-funded treatment capacity. drugs richard-durbin Senator Illinois democrat 0 2 1 0 1 a press release

10512.json false The minimum wage has risen \$2.35 in the last two years. Thats 31 percent.economy,families,government-regulation,income,poverity,small-business,workers leonidas-raptakis State Senator Rhode Island democrat 0 1 1 0 0 testimony before the House Committee on Labor

12336.json mostly-true ColoradoCare would have higher revenues than McDonalds. elections,health-care colorado-health-institute none 0 0 0 1 0 an analysis report

11726.json barely-true Everywhere that we have more citizens carrying guns, crime is less. Theres a study showing that where states have open carry or concealed carry, but particularly open carry, the crime is down 25 percent. crime,guns dan-patrick Lieutenant governor-elect Texas republican 4 4 3 4 4 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

3904.json half-true Weve seen 115,000 jobs created in the American auto industry since GM and Chrysler emerged from bankruptcy.  
economy,jobs brian-deese deputy director of the White House  
National Economic Council democrat 0 0 1 0 0  
a telephone news conference

6774.json mostly-true Bill Nelson voted to confirm Sonia Sotomayor, who signed a Supreme Court opinion saying Americans do not have an individual right to own firearms. guns,supreme-court national-rifle-association  
none 3 5 1 5 3 an anti-Nelson mailer

1324.json barely-true The Stupak Amendment doesnt just say you cant use your federal insurance subsidy to pay for an abortion, it says, if youre getting a federal subsidy of any kind, youre not allowed to buy an insurance plan that covers abortion even with your own money.  
abortion,health-care,pundits rachel-maddow MSNBC host none  
6 6 4 6 1 her show on MSNBC

6813.json barely-true Says President Barack Obama already passed all these Obamacare taxes. About a dozen of them hit middle-income taxpayers.  
health-care,taxes,paul-ryan U.S. Representative Wisconsin  
republican 19 6 16 14 2 an interview on "Fox News Sunday"

9737.json false The music industry is the biggest export from Africa after oil and gas. ebola,economy,foreign-policy,pop-culture  
dbanj Musician none 0 1 0 0 0 comments  
on ABC's "This Week"

6366.json barely-true The presidents health care law raids Medicare by more than \$500 billion and creates a Medicare rationing board a group of 15 unelected bureaucrats to slow the growth of Medicare spending.  
health-care,medicare scott-garrett Congressman New Jersey  
republican 1 0 0 0 0 an op-ed on NorthJersey.com

9316.json mostly-true Congress used earmarks for more than 200 years.  
congress,corrections-and-updates,federal-budget harry-reid  
Senate Democratic Leader Nevada democrat 4 5 3  
7 3 a news conference

992.json mostly-true Venezuela is a country whose defense budget is probably 1/600th of the United States. military barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a  
news conference.

699.json half-true "Senator Obama thinks we can achieve energy independence without more drilling and without more nuclear power."  
energy john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31  
39 31 37 8

9033.json true The average family (is) now bringing home \$4,000 less than they did just five years ago. economy,families rob-portman U.S.  
senator from Ohio Ohio republican 3 5 11 11 1 a  
Republican weekly address

5950.json true On the Troubled Asset Relief Program (TARP) financial-regulation mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34  
32 58 33 19 statements to the media

10041.json half-true Leticia Van de Putte opposed putting National Guard troops on the border, would send millions to Central American governments instead and wrote the law giving in-state tuition to illegal immigrants. immigration,dan-patrick Lieutenant governor-elect Texas  
republican 4 4 3 4 4 a TV ad

5528.json true Says there are four super PACs on the Republican side of the Texas U.S. Senate race. campaign-finance paul-sadler Lawyer  
Texas democrat 1 0 1 2 1 a Travis County  
Democratic Party candidate forum

8414.json false Unfortunately, since Mr. Fosters been mayor ... there are less people employed in the city of St. Petersburg than there were prior to his taking office. jobs rick-kriseman State Representative Florida democrat 0 2 1 1 0 a Tampa Bay Times/mayoral debate

4189.json false Says U.S. Rep. Ron Kinds stimulus cost taxpayers \$278,000 per job.jobs,stimulus,taxes national-republican-congressional-committee republican 18 9 8 5 8 a news release

9333.json half-true When you read the Koran, it talks about dont take Christians and Jews as your friends. islam sean-hannity Radio/TV host none 3 5 3 2 1 a segment on "Hannity"

9052.json mostly-true Dan Patrick called for increasing the gas tax and the state sales tax. state-budget,state-finances,taxes david-dewhurst Lieutenant governor Texas republican 8 8 10 5 5

12478.json barely-true Congressman Joe Heck has (voted) 62% of the time with Nancy Pelosi and the Democrats on a variety of important issues. voting-record sharron-angle Republican nominee for Nevada U.S. Senate seat Nevada republican 3 1 1 0 0 in a television ad

1405.json barely-true Chile ranks third internationally in economic freedom, while the U.S. ranks 17th. economy,foreign-policy,pundits glenn-beck none 5 7 7 2 6 a video blog post

3235.json false Under the White Houses budget proposal, we will not be adding more to the national debt by the middle of the decade. deficit,federal-budget barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a press conference

1514.json barely-true "Bill McCollum said tax cuts don't work." taxes alex-sink Florida democrat 1 2 2 4 0 a comment on her Facebook page.

6919.json barely-true The tax burden on Virginia families was lower under Tim Kaine than under George Allen. families,taxes tim-kaine U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0 a news release.

9774.json false Says CharlieCrist made it easier for Duke to take your money. energy,florida republican-party-florida republican 10 6 6 6 4 a campaign commercial

5640.json barely-true Says a Barack Obama black imposter joke got a standing ovation at San Angelo rodeo. polls chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain email.

9444.json barely-true Already in Wisconsin we have seen fewer people pursuing education as a career due to the Act 10 collective bargaining law. education,state-budget,state-finances,workers mary-burke Madison school board member Wisconsin democrat 5 5 11 8 3 an interview

12449.json mostly-true SaysMaggie Hassan was out of state on 30 days over the last three months. job-accomplishments,public-service kelly-ayotte U.S. Senator New Hampshire republican 2 1 1 4 0 a press release

4432.json mostly-true Gov. Kasich and the Republican-dominated legislature have foregone the popular option of closing tax loopholes that amount to \$7 billion annually in this state. state-budget,state-finances,taxes dan-ramos State representative Ohio democrat 0 1 1 1 0 a newspaper column

5749.json half-true Says his Texas election fraud investigations have resulted in 50 convictions. crime,elections,legal-issues greg-abbott

governor Texas republican 11 3 8 6 5 a press  
release  
8192.json barely-true Miami-Dade County is the No. 1 donor county in the  
state. state-budget,taxes rene-garcia state senator Florida  
republican 1 0 0 0 0 a Florida Cabinet meeting  
7886.json mostly-true We havent had a Republican senator in Washington  
for ... why, I think Clifford Case was our last Republican senator.  
congress,history christine-whitman President, The Whitman Strategy  
Group New Jersey republican 0 0 0 2 0 an interview on  
The John Gambling radio show  
9431.json barely-true Judging by a recent vote, Rep. Debbie Wasserman  
Schultz thinks its okay for medical marijuana patients to go to federal  
prison. crime,criminal-justice,drugs,marijuana americans-safe-access  
Washington D.C. organization 1 0 0 0 0  
a TV ad  
7721.json half-true Federal prosecutions for lying on background  
checks to buy guns are down 40 percent under President Barack Obama.  
guns,legal-issues bob-goodlatte U.S. Congressman Virginia  
republican 0 1 4 3 0 a TV appearance.  
2616.json pants-fire We havent yet taken out a negative ad. campaign-  
finance,elections,abc-news-week christine-odonnell Candidate for  
U.S. Senate Delaware republican 1 0 0 1 2 a debate  
2122.json half-true Jane Norton supported the largest tax hike in  
Colorado history.message-machine,state-budget,states,taxes americans-  
job-security none 0 0 3 0 0 an issue  
advocacy ad  
1280.json barely-true "Here in Florida, Ive slashed government by 10  
percent. That's \$7 billion." state-budget charlie-crist  
Florida democrat 15 9 20 19 2 radio  
advertisement for U.S. Senate campaign  
2477.json false Over the past year ... our 16 counties have hemorrhaged  
more than 6,000 jobs with no apparent end in sight.economy,stimulus  
steve-southerland U.S. Representative, Florida District 2 Florida  
republican 1 2 1 1 0 a press release.  
6123.json false Since President Barack Obama took office, you have 1,700  
employees just at the Department of Transportation earning over \$170,000.  
bush-administration,federal-budget,income,transportation eric-hovde  
republican 2 3 3 0 0 an interview  
7814.json mostly-true New Jerseys governor cut \$1.6 billion from public  
education while handing out \$2.1 billion in corporate tax breaks, more  
than the entire previous decade. corporations,education,state-  
budget,state-finances new-jersey-state-afl-cio New Jersey  
organization 0 0 0 1 0 a Facebook page post  
901.json false "Even with recent changes, the average hourly wage at  
General Motors is still \$75 an hour." transportation spencer-bachus  
U.S. Representative Alabama republican 0 1 0 0  
0  
6720.json false U.S. House opponent Paul Ryan supports cutting funding  
for veterans by 24 percent. disability,federal-budget,health-  
care,housing,veterans rob-zerban democrat 0 1 0  
0 1 an interview  
4628.json mostly-true Since 1970, the Clean Air Act has reduced toxic  
and health-threatening air pollution by 60 percent while our economy has  
grown more than 200 percent. environment hank-johnson U.S. Congressman  
Georgia democrat 3 0 4 3 0 a web post  
11303.json mostly-true Missouri is #1 in the nation for holding down  
tuition increases at public universities. federal-budget,state-budget

jay-nixon Governor Missouri democrat 2 0 0 1  
 0 a post on Twitter  
 2986.json true The Milwaukee business community did not speak about the  
 facts -- and in support of train manufacturer Talgo -- as the Milwaukee-  
 Madison rail link was being killed. state-budget,transportation  
 talgo-inc Spanish-owned manufacturer of trains none 0  
 0 0 0 0 a statement from the company  
 10783.json mostly-true The U.S. representatives that voted to keep  
 militarizing the police received 73 percent more campaign money from the  
 defense industry than the representatives who voted to stop it.  
 campaign-finance,corrections-and-updates,criminal-justice,federal-  
 budget,military representus Activist group focusing on campaign finance,  
 corruption Massachusetts none 0 0 0 1 0 a meme on  
 social media  
 13350.json half-true We have never done business with Donald Trump.  
 candidates-biography patrick-murphy Florida democrat  
 2 1 4 5 0 a TV interview on WFLA  
 258.json true "Sen. McCain says it was not a mistake to vote against  
 the Bush tax cuts ... but now says the tax cuts need to be made  
 permanent." taxes mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican  
 34 32 58 33 19 a press release  
 1248.json mostly-true During the Reagan era, while productivity  
 increased, "wages for working people remained frozen." economy  
 michael-moore Documentary filmmaker none 2 5 1  
 6 0 his movie "Capitalism: A Love Story"  
 10450.json half-true When you look at the earned income tax credit, it  
 has about a 25 percent fraud rate. Were looking at \$20 billion to \$30  
 billion. taxes,welfare rand-paul Candidate for U.S. Senate and  
 physician Kentucky republican 7 8 10 12 3 a forum at  
 the Freedom Partners 2015 California retreat  
 8758.json half-true Unemployment insurance kept more than 620,000  
 children out of poverty in 2012. children,poverity,workers barack-  
 obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a  
 Facebook post  
 4442.json half-true 170,000 of the jobs created in Texas under Gov.  
 Rick Perry were government jobs. economy,jobs,state-budget,state-  
 finances,states,workers ron-paul U.S. representative Texas  
 republican 5 8 8 8 3 a Republican presidential  
 debate in Tampa  
 7930.json true Says 97 percent of food stamp benefits are paid in the  
 proper amounts to people who are really eligible. agriculture,poverity  
 pete-gallego Former legislator and U.S. House member Texas  
 democrat 1 1 2 2 0 a U.S. House committee  
 meeting.  
 12122.json mostly-true To this day, (the Cuban government) is a regime  
 that provides safe harbor to terrorists and fugitives. foreign-  
 policy,terrorism paul-ryan U.S. Representative Wisconsin republican  
 19 6 16 14 2 a news conference  
 6678.json true The Senate has not passed a budget in more than three  
 years, not a good budget, not a bad budget, no budget. federal-budget  
 leonard-lance republican 0 0 1 2 0  
 an interview on NJToday  
 9957.json pants-fire Congress includes 36 people accused of spousal  
 abuse, 84 arrested for drunk driving in the past year, 71 with terrible  
 credit and more. congress,crime,ethics facebook-posts Social media  
 posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a Facebook meme  
 7111.json barely-true Says the initial Portland plastic bag ban  
 represented only a modest share of total single-use checkout bag use.

city-government sam-adams Mayor of PortlandOregon democrat  
3 2 5 2 0 a proposed ordinance.

9235.json pants-fire The Bundy Ranch deal is all about Nevada Sen.  
Harry Reid using federal violence to take peoples land in his state so he  
can package it to re-sell it to the Chinese.

china,environment,government-regulation blog-posting  
none 7 19 3 5 44 multiple blog and video posts

1243.json false "There's no evidence anywhere that offshore drilling has  
hurt tourism in any area where it has been allowed."

energy,environment barney-bishop president, Associated  
Industries of Florida Florida none 0 1 0 0 0 a  
press release

5693.json false Says Wisconsin women facing pay discrimination cant do  
something about it under bill passed by Republicans. civil-  
rights,legal-issues,women,workers kathleen-falk democrat  
1 3 3 1 0 a speech

2305.json true Under the new health care law, if a landscaper wants to  
buy a new lawnmower, or a restaurant needs a new ice-maker, they have to  
report that to the feds. health-care,taxesjohn-boehner Speaker of  
the House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2  
a speech at the City Club of Cleveland

2040.json barely-trueSays that President Obama said if Congress passed  
the economic stimulus bill, we would have unemployment at 8 percent and  
no higher. And it went higher. pundits,stimulus,abc-news-week  
george-willColumnist Maryland columnist 7 6 3 5  
1 ABC's "This Week"

9192.json true Says Charlie Crist implemented Jeb Bushs A+ Plan.  
education progressive-choice organization 1  
0 0 0 0 a campaign mailer

11375.json true We have 650 people who move to Texas every day.  
corrections-and-updates,economy,population,states glenn-hegar  
Farmer Texas republican 0 1 1 1 0 a speech  
in Georgetown, Texas

9674.json mostly-trueBy some estimates, as few as 2 percent of the  
50,000 (Central American) children who have crossed the border illegally  
this year have been sent home. immigrationjeb-bush Florida  
republican 17 5 17 24 2 an op-ed in the "Wall  
Street Journal"

3369.json half-true Says city of Portland has a one-time \$22 million  
surplus government-efficiency sam-adams Mayor of PortlandOregon  
democrat 3 2 5 2 0 his blog

8855.json mostly-trueI never gave up custody of my children. I never  
lost custody of my children. candidates-biography,corrections-and-  
updates,families,marriage wendy-davisstate senator Texas democrat  
5 1 8 12 1 a speech

1641.json false "The New England Journal of Medicine released a survey  
the week that President Obama signed Obamacare stating that over 30  
percent of American physicians would leave the profession if the  
government took over health care."health-caremichele-bachmann  
Congresswoman Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4 16  
on CBS's "Face the Nation"

9080.json true You can buy lobster with food stamps. government-  
regulation,state-budget greg-morris republican 0 0  
0 0 0 an article

4233.json mostly-trueI cut more as a percentage out of government than  
any state in the country this past decade. And where is Michigan in terms  
of its economic growth? Cutting did not result in economic growth.  
deficit,economy,states jennifer-granholmFormer governor of Michigan

Michigan democrat 1 0 3 2 0 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

12952.json barely-true The Obama administration gave Iran \$400 million in ransom payment cash. foreign-policy,nuclear,terrorism donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 remarks in Michigan

2135.json false I remember one of [Curt Schillings] teammates said he painted his sock, the bloody sock. baseball,economy,pop-culture lincoln-chafee Rhode Island democrat 3 5 3 4 0 in a comment on the John DePetro Show

7696.json barely-true Not one dime gets added to the deficit because of Social Security. deficit,disability,retirement,social-security mark-pocan State Assembly member, 78th District Wisconsin democrat 1 2 2 3 0 an interview

11751.json mostly-true The United States of America, right now, has the strongest, most durable economy in the world. economy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 the State of the Union address

2187.json false Canada sets aside 36 percent of their visas for people with skills they think their country needs. We set aside 6 percent. immigration michael-bloomberg New York independent 0 2 2 3 0 an interview on "Meet the Press."

3196.json false The federal health care law is probably the biggest tax increase ever in the history of our country. health-care,taxes rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 comments during a tour of a manufacturing plant.

6263.json half-true There are 60,000 fewer jobs today in this state than we had in 2008. jobs ovide-lamontagne Attorney New Hampshire republican 0 0 2 0 0 a Republican gubernatorial debate at Franklin Pierce University in Rindge, N.H.

2774.json half-true On toll roads. state-budget,transportation scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 an interview on toll roads as an option for state highways

6555.json true Says Republicans supported legislation on early voting and in-person voting in 2005. elections,government-regulation,voting-record teresa-fedor State representative Ohio democrat 1 0 0 0 0 a news conference

8961.json half-true Chained CPI would save \$1 trillion in the second decade off the federal budget debt, a report shows. economy,federal-budget,medicare,social-security david-brooks none 0 0 2 0 0 comments on NBC's "Meet the Press"

8011.json true Says Austin is the largest city in America without a congressional district anchored in it. redistricting elliot-naishat Attorney Texas democrat 0 0 1 0 0 a Texas House floor debate.

1290.json barely-true A president must "obtain Congress' consent before formally accepting the Nobel Prize." foreign-policy,legal-issues ginny-brown-waite Congresswoman Florida republican 2 0 2 0 0 a letter to President Obama

9151.json true When people enter the service, theres not a mental health evaluation. health-care,military michael-mccaul congressman Texas republican 1 0 1 4 0 comments on "Fox News Sunday"

11625.json mostly-true Road congestion costs rush hour drivers in Austin and Dallas more than \$1,000 a year. And in Houston, its even more -- almost \$1,500 a year. transportation greg-abbott governor Texas

republican 11 3 8 6 5 op-ed in Austin American-  
Statesman  
7426.json pants-fire Theres more murders with hammers last year  
than...shotguns and pistols and AK-47s. guns bill-jackson State  
Senator Georgia republican 0 0 0 0 1 a meeting  
1462.json mostly-true Uses headlines to portray Gov. Rick Perry as  
beholden to special interests. ethics kay-bailey-hutchison U.S.  
Senator Texas republican 2 4 4 3 0 A TV  
advertisement  
1777.json true Ms. Kagan has spent her entire professional career in  
Harvard Square, Hyde Park and the D.C. Beltway. kagan-  
nomination,supreme-court john-cornyn Senator Texas republican 5  
3 6 2 1 a press release  
12982.json half-true Her campaign and her supporters in her campaign  
were the ones that borne out the birther movement. obama-birth-  
certificate reince-priebus Chairman, Republican National Committee  
Wisconsin republican 2 12 8 3 1 an interview on  
NBC's Meet the Press  
6015.json false Because of voter fraud, Republican candidates need to do  
a point or two better to win statewide elections in Wisconsin. city-  
government,crime,elections reince-priebus Chairman, Republican  
National Committee Wisconsin republican 2 12 8 3 1  
an interview  
12520.json true Nine million people have lower-cost HIV/AIDS medicine  
because of the work of the Clinton Foundation and my husband. foreign-  
policy,public-health hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York  
democrat 40 29 69 76 7 an interview on CNN  
8944.json mostly-true Chris Christie helped funnel \$6 million in federal  
Hurricane Sandy money to a senior center in Belleville, N.J., a place  
that suffered no damage. housing,weather lawrence-odonnell  
none 2 2 0 3 0 a segment on MSNBC's "The Last  
Word with Lawrence O'Donnell"  
6035.json half-true Massachusetts under Gov. Mitt Romney initially  
ranked last among states in job growth, but by the end of his  
governorship, we were in the middle of the pack.  
economy,history,jobs,states eric-fehrnstrom Senior adviser to  
Mitt Romney's presidential campaign Massachusetts republican 0  
0 1 0 0 an interview on ABC's "This Week with George  
Stephanopoulos"  
10309.json mostly-true The federal budget bill reauthorizes the Overseas  
Private Investment Corporation, which provides taxpayer dollars so that  
the Four Seasons hotel can build a resort in Turkey. federal-budget  
michael-needham CEO, Heritage Action republican 1 0  
0 1 0 comments on "Fox News Sunday"  
7336.json barely-true Says that 9 million to 50 million undocumented  
immigrants live in the United States. immigration,population texas-  
federation-republican-women republican 1 0 0 0  
0 an approved resolution.  
7726.json false Ohioans want an end to pay-to-play politics.  
crime,criminal-justice,ethics ed-fitzgerald Cuyahoga County  
executive Ohio democrat 1 1 0 1 0 an email  
announcing his gubernatorial campaign kickoff  
12768.json mostly-true We are the only industrialized nation that doesnt  
guarantee workers paid family leave. families,jobs,women kirsten-  
gillibrand U.S. Senator New York democrat 0 0 1 3  
0 a speech at the Democratic National Convention  
12012.json mostly-true A single mother of two cant qualify for basic  
healthcare through Medicaid if she makes more than \$3,504 dollars a year.



health-care chris-koster Attorney general of Missouri Missouri  
democrat 0 0 2 3 0 a tweet  
5710.json false General Motors is the largest corporation in the world  
again. corporations,economy joe-biden U.S. senator Delaware  
democrat 11 10 21 16 4 a "Face the Nation"  
interview  
376.json half-true A mailer from the Obama campaign "accurately  
indicates" that Hillary Clinton would "force uninsured people to buy  
insurance, even if they can't afford it." health-care barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9  
Cleveland, Ohio  
4198.json pants-fire Says Ohio Treasurer Josh Mandel supports allowing  
the United States to default on its obligations. deficit,federal-  
budget ohio-democratic-party Ohio democrat 4 1 2  
2 2 a news release  
4901.json barely-true Says Mitt Romney belittled middle-class tax cuts  
as nothing more than little Band-Aids. taxes florida-democratic-party  
Florida democrat 5 4 4 5 3 a news  
release  
7806.json false A referendum gives the people the chance to decide on  
cutting the Milwaukee County Board budget by two-thirds county-  
budget,county-government leah-vukmir Member of state Assembly  
Wisconsin republican 0 2 0 1 0 a news release  
12537.json false Even among second and third generation Muslims in the  
United States, theres no real assimilation.  
diversity,immigration,religion donald-trump President-Elect  
New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 an interview  
with Fox News' Sean Hannity  
3593.json mostly-true Hackers broke into Virginias prescription-drug  
database (and) ... obtained more than 8.2 million patient records and a  
total of nearly 36 million prescriptions. drugs rick-scott Governor  
Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 testimony before  
Congress.  
9779.json pants-fire Says Ted Cruz was just bribed by the Kochs to  
introduce a bill that would give them and their allies Americas national  
forests, parks, and other public lands and open them for mining,  
drilling, fracking and logging. campaign-finance,candidates-  
biography,crime,environment occupy-democrats organization  
0 4 3 1 4 a Facebook photo post  
8990.json mostly-true The (Russian) ruble is already going down.  
economy,foreign-policy john-kerry Secretary of State  
Massachusetts democrat 3 2 2 5 0 comments  
on CBS' "Face the Nation"  
3979.json false On subsidies for ethanol production.  
agriculture,environment,federal-budget george-allen consultant  
Virginia republican 2 8 3 4 1 a blog post.  
10897.json true One out of five of our children live in a family thats  
on food stamps. agriculture,children,federal-budget,hunger rick-perry  
Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a speech  
in Iowa  
4841.json mostly-true Says she brought together business, labor and  
hospitals to give 94,000 Oregon children health care. health-care  
eileen-brady democrat 0 2 0 1 0  
in a campaign ad  
2570.json half-true According to independent analysis, unfair trade  
deals have resulted in the loss of over 64,000 jobs in Wisconsin ... But  
Ron Johnson favors those deals. jobs,message-machine,trade russ-

feingold	Wisconsin	democrat	2	4	7	5	1
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campaign TV and radio ads

4068.json mostly-true Ohio currently ranks 50th out of all states in income growth. economy, income lisa-hamler-fugitt Executive director of the Ohio Association of Second Harvest Foodbanks Ohio none

0	0	0	1	0	testimony before a House subcommittee
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12301.json mostly-true We knew Strom Thurmond had proposed the amendment that blocked Puerto Ricans use of Chapter 9 bankruptcy protection. bankruptcy, corrections-and-updates john-oliver Host, Last Week

Tonight none 0 0 2 4 0 a broadcast of HBO's "Last Week Tonight"

7236.json half-true In the four years before I became governor, we increased state debt \$5.2 billion. We've paid it down \$2 billion. debt rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34

7	a TV interview
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6571.json half-true Says they said it was impossible to balance a budget at the same time, with an \$11 billion deficit and we did it. state-budget, state-finances chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a speech at the Republican National Convention in Tampa

2640.json false Says Bruce Starr broke the law by letting lobbyists wine and dine him in Maui. ethics, message-machine chuck-riley State representative Oregon democrat 0 1 0 0 0 a television ad

13512.json pants-fire Latina who enthusiastically supported Donald Trump on stage in Las Vegas in October 2015 has been deported. immigration blog-posting none 7 19 3 5 44

social media posts, blogs

166.json half-true "John McCain is right on that one. The line-item veto is the best tool the president has to rein in excessive spending." federal-budget mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32 58 33 19 an interview on CNBC.

7329.json half-true In 2009, the FBI referred more than 71,000 cases of people failing background checks when trying to buy a gun to another federal agency, but U.S. attorneys ultimately prosecuted only 77 of them. crime, criminal-justice, government-regulation, guns mayors-against-illegal-guns organization 0 0 3 0 0

a website post

13385.json mostly-true Says Barack Obama is the first president in modern history not to have a single year of 3 percent growth. economy donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114

51	37	61	a campaign speech
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7827.json barely-true Half of all hospitalized seniors are suffering from malnutrition so severe that it either caused their illness or it prevents them from getting better. health-care, hunger, poverty meals-wheels-rhode-island Rhode Island organization 1 0

0	0	0	a fundraising letter
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11670.json barely-true Under conservative leadership, Congress has reduced the federal deficit by 60 percent nearly \$800 billion. congress, deficit, economy, federal-budget american-action-network republican 1 0 0 0 1 a newspaper ad

13029.json barely-true Says Patrick Murphy never worked as a CPA and was never a small business owner. candidates-biography national-republican-senatorial-committee republican 11 5 7

2	5	a TV ad
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9937.json mostly-true In 2012, Wall Street gave Scott Brown more campaign contributions than any other candidate -- \$5.3 million. campaign-finance, financial-regulation, message-machine-2014

jeanne-shaheen Senator New Hampshire democrat 3 0  
4 2 0 a radio ad  
2811.json mostly-true \$65 billion would be added to the deficit if we  
keep the cuts for people on the highest incomes. federal-budget,taxes  
mark-warner U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 3 1 6  
3 0 n Op/Ed in The Financial Times  
6333.json false What I look at every month is how many more New  
Jerseyans are back to work. You have another 9,900 last month that are  
back to work and over almost 90,000 that are back to work now since I  
became governor. jobs chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey  
republican 10 17 27 19 8 a news conference  
5124.json pants-fire Says Newt Gingrich co-sponsored a bill with Nancy  
Pelosi that would have given \$60 million a year to a U.N. program  
supporting Chinas brutal one-child policy.  
abortion,bipartisanship,candidates-  
biography,children,china,environment,federal-budget,message-machine-2012  
restore-our-future super PAC republican 1 0 3  
1 2 a television ad  
66.json true Poor people go to a "payday lender...and they pay 300,  
400, 500 percent interest." poverty john-edwards former senator  
North Carolina democrat 0 2 4 4 1 a speech  
in Americus, Ga.  
5403.json mostly-true Other states have considered or have sunset  
advisory commissions; the federal government has the ability, too.  
state-budget,state-finances bruce-starr State senator Oregon  
republican 0 1 0 1 0 a floor speech  
9437.json half-true Under Wisconsin law, anyone who knows anything  
about a John Doe secret criminal investigation cant talk about it.  
campaign-finance,county-government,crime,criminal-justice,elections  
scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican  
26 41 32 40 11 a TV interview  
235.json true " ... following World War II war crime trials were  
convened. The Japanese were tried and convicted and hung for war crimes  
committed against American POWs. Among those charges for which they were  
convicted was waterboarding." history john-mccain U.S. senator  
Arizona republican 31 39 31 37 8 a campaign event  
in St. Petersburg  
793.json half-true On the economic crisis, "the biggest problem in  
this whole process was the deregulation of the financial system."  
economy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70  
71 160 163 9 Nashville, Tenn.  
11080.json barely-true Texas high school graduation rate went from 27th  
in the country in 2002, to second highest in the country in 2013.  
education,states rick-perry Governor Texas republican 30 30  
42 23 18 a speech at the National Press Club  
9489.json false Says the secret John Doe criminal investigation of his  
campaign has been resolved and two judges have said it is over.  
campaign-finance,legal-issues scott-walker Milwaukee County  
Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a TV  
interview  
1444.json mostly-true Obama came into office "with a \$1.3 trillion  
deficit before I had passed any law. ... We came in with \$8 trillion  
worth of debt over the next decade." economy,federal-budget barack-  
obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a  
Republican retreat in Baltimore  
2484.json half-true Says Daniel Webster wants to make divorce illegal,  
even for abused wives. marriage,message-machine,religion,women alan-

grayson U.S. House of Representatives Florida democrat 6  
5 4 11 1 a TV ad.

5836.json half-true Says Amanda Fritz publicly claimed to be endorsed  
by NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon, both on her website and in the voters guide.  
city-government,message-machine-2012,women mary-nolan Represents  
Southwest Portland in Oregon HouseOregon democrat 0 0 3  
0 0 a campaign press release

12.json false "I'll tell you what I can tell this country: If they  
want a president who doesn't believe in God, there's probably plenty of  
choices." religion mike-huckabee author Arkansas republican  
12 5 9 3 4 Manchester, N.H.

11588.json false Drinking champagne could help prevent Alzheimers and  
other forms of dementia. Alcohol,health-care,medicare viral-media-  
reports none Georgia none 1 1 0 0 0 social  
media and in print

6264.json barely-trueBecause of the health care act, The people who  
have health care and like it in this county are not going to be able to  
keep what they have. health-careeric-cantorHouse Majority Leader  
Virginia republican 9 6 4 4 4 a TV interview.

13324.json mostly-trueFord is moving all of their small-car production  
to Mexico. corporations,trade,workers donald-trump President-Elect  
New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a rally in  
Delaware, Ohio

5230.json true Right now in Georgia, nearly one in three leaving our  
prisons are re-convicted within three years. criminal-justice nathan-  
deal republican 9 5 11 11 0 a speech

8519.json false Says Kay Hagan supports waivers for friends of Obama and  
special treatment for Congress and their staffs. health-careamericans-  
prosperity none 6 7 2 1 2 a YouTube ad

6900.json half-true Says shes never said dont build Texas 45  
Southwest. transportation karen-huberTravis County commissioner,  
Precinct 3 Texas democrat 0 0 1 0 0 an Austin  
American-Statesman news stor

10524.json true The Department of Homeland Security is the only federal  
department not funded for this entire fiscal year by Congress.  
congress,federal-budget,homeland-security,terrorismllloyd-doggett  
Texas congressman in the U.S. Houst of Representatives Texas  
democrat 1 0 2 7 0 oped commentary

12599.json true If you are a member of union, your median weekly income  
is roughly \$200 more than if you are a nonunion member, and that doesnt  
include benefits.unions,workers thomas-perez Secretary of Labor  
Maryland democrat 1 0 1 1 0 an interview.

917.json false "For every dollar (in the stimulus package) that is  
spent to help small businesses, \$4 is being spent to help upkeep the  
grass on the lawns of Washington."economy,stimulus eric-cantorHouse  
Majority Leader Virginia republican 9 6 4 4 4 an  
interview on the Fox News Channel.

8336.json true If sea levels rise six feet due to climate change,  
Waterplace Park in Providence and Wickford village would be swamped  
environment,science grover-fugate Executive director of the  
Rhode Island Coastal Resources Management Council Rhode Island  
state-official 0 0 0 0 0 a TV interview

6811.json mostly-trueChinese tire imports threatened 1,000 American  
jobs, so President Obama stood up to China and protected American  
workers. Mitt Romney attacked Obamas decision. china,message-  
machine-2012,trade barack-obama President Illinois democrat  
70 71 160 163 9 a television ad

7084.json true Says the state of Texas rates as unacceptable almost 500 of the states 8,000 public schools. education dan-patrickLieutenant governor-elect Texas republican 4 4 3 4 4 a Texas Tribune interview.

7900.json half-true The Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation is a proven job creator. jobs john-nygrenState Assembly, 89th District Wisconsin republican 0 0 1 0 0 a press conference

9323.json true Says Dan Patrick proposed Arizona-style show-me-your-papers legislation. crime,criminal-justice,immigrationjulian-castro Mayor, San Antonio Texas democrat 0 0 3 3 0 Univision debate on immigration

1460.json true Our (Texas) graduation rate ranks 43rd out of 50 states. education bill-white Former mayor of Houston Texas democrat 2 3 5 7 3 in a TV ad

7607.json pants-fire Says that his transportation budget and Ohio Turnpike plan would make sure we have lower tolls than weve had through the history of the turnpike. transportation john-kasichGovernor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 an interview televised March 22 on "State of Ohio"

1061.json barely-trueThe war spending bill actually spends more money on the International Monetary Fund than on the war.military lynn-westmoreland republican 1 1 3 0 0 a press release on the House GOP's blog.

12321.json true North Carolina has one of the fastest growing populations as well as the fastest growing economy in the country. economy,income,population,states pat-mccroryGovernor of North Carolina North Carolina republican 5 2 3 0 1 an official announcement

6473.json true Says Paul Ryans budget relies on the same \$700 billion in savings from Medicare that Mitt Romney and other Republicans have been attacking Democrats about. federal-budget,health-care,medicare,retirement stephanie-cutter Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire"Massachusetts democrat 1 1 0 1 0 an interview on "Face the Nation"

12546.json false Says Hillary Clintons State Department blocked investigation into Orlando killers mosque. terrorism blog-posting none 7 19 3 5 44 an article

2877.json false The Madison-Milwaukee (high-speed) train line is dead. job-accomplishments,transportationscott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a statement issued by a transition team leader

9432.json mostly-trueIn February, John McCain suggested the Bergdahl-Taliban swap that he now calls outrageous and dangerous. afghanistan,foreign-policy rachel-maddow MSNBC host none 6 6 4 6 1 a broadcast of the "Rachel Maddow Show"

7145.json true Says that in 2011, Oregon had the second fastest growing economy in the nation. economy,jobs john-kitzhaber Governor of Oregon Oregon democrat 1 1 4 4 0 a speech.

2760.json barely-trueRobert Hurt supported a bill that helped the uranium industry after taking contributions from the industry and because his father had a stake in it. energy,campaign-advertising sierra-club none 2 1 0 1 0 a TV ad

6945.json barely-trueSherrod Brown supported President Obamas \$453 billion tax increase. economy,jobs,message-machine-2012,taxes crossroads-gps Conservative advocacy group republican 9 1 4 1 2 a television ad

4899.json false I never favored cap and trade. cap-and-trade,climate-change,environment newt-gingrich Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15 20 10 11 a Republican presidential candidate forum

10906.json pants-fire The runnerup to Caitlyn Jenner for ESPN's Arthur Ashe Courage Award was Army veteran Noah Galloway, who lost an arm and leg to a roadside bomb in Iraq. pop-culture,sports facebook-posts Social media posting none 14 18 15 11 36 in posts on Facebook

3885.json half-true Every year the state loses 8,000-10,000 acres of land in bear country. environment new-jersey-sierra-club none 0 0 2 0 0 a press release

11150.json true Caution: Kissing and cuddling chickens can be hazardous to your health. agriculture,animals,food-safety,public-health,urban centers-disease-control federal agency Georgia none 0 0 0 1 0 radio interview

6953.json half-true Says Connie Mack is protecting Chevron oil from a multi-billion dollar lawsuit over pollution of rivers and rainforests. congress,oil-spill bill-nelson Florida democrat 3 1 8 10 0 a TV attack ad

5510.json mostly-true They're paying a less rate of tax -- these richest people in America -- than they have in the last 80 years. taxes,wealth steve-rothman democrat 1 2 0 1 1 a campaign video posted on YouTube

3455.json true The coalition of Arab states against Libyas Moammar Gadhafi is the biggest coalition against a fellow Arab leader since the Persian Gulf War in 1990-1991. foreign-policy,military,abc-news-week robin-wright Senior fellow, U.S. Institute of Peace Washington, D.C. none 0 0 0 0 0 an interview on ABC's "This Week with Christiane Amanpour"

10061.json half-true The CBO says if we raise the minimum wage the way Charlie (Crist) wants to do it, it would lose 500,000 jobs. economy,jobs,workers rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a gubernatorial debate

9927.json mostly-true The Obama administration is using as its legal justification for these airstrikes (on the Islamic State), an authorization for military force that the president himself has called for repeal of. iraq,terrorism julie-pace White House reporter, Associated Press Washington journalist 0 0 0 2 0 a question to White House Press Secretary Josh Earnest

2316.json mostly-true Florida is enjoying its lowest crime rate in 39 years. crime charlie-crist Florida democrat 15 9 20 19 2 a campaign website

11276.json mostly-true There has never been a panther attack in the history of Florida. environment ron-bergeron state-official 0 0 0 1 0 a Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission meeting

1497.json false In this judicial race, special interest groups have demanded money from me, in exchange for endorsement and support. elections,ethics eve-schatelowitz-alcantar Attorney Texas democrat 0 1 0 0 0 a response to League of Women Voters of Texas.

4337.json half-true Before Medicare, only 51 percent of Americans 65 and older had health care coverage and nearly 30 percent lived below the poverty line. Today, thanks to Medicare ... nearly all seniors have coverage and 75 percent fewer struggle in poverty. medicare,povertry ron-kind U.S. representative Wisconsin democrat 0 0 2 0 0 a news release

4543.json barely-true Says the federal government hosted a conference and ordered 250 muffins at 16 bucks a piece. federal-budget,pundits bill-oreilly Fox News Channel host none 4 6 3 5 1 an interview on "The Daily Show"

5091.json false Says the Simpson-Bowles deficit reduction proposal went from President Barack Obamas desk to the garbage can. deficit,federal-budget,new-hampshire-2012 jon-huntsman Utah republican 5 1 5 4 1 an NBC-Facebook debate in Concord, N.H.

40.json true "Fifty-six percent decline in overall crime. A 73 percent decline in motor-vehicle theft. A 67 percent decline in robbery. A 66 percent decline in murder. This is way beyond what happened in the nation during this period of time.crime rudy-giuliani Attorney New York republican 9 11 10 7 3 New York, N.Y.

5122.json mostly-true In 1958, there were 16 states in this country that prohibited -- prohibited -- an African-American and a Caucasian from being married. civil-rights,gays-and-lesbians,marriage sheila-oliver Assemblywoman New Jersey democrat 0 1 1 3 0 a news conference

11191.json true Says Donald Trump has changed his mind on abortion. abortion carly-fiorina California republican 5 5 4 3 2 the first Republican presidential debate

10315.json mostly-true It has been many years, if ever, since an inmate has completed his or her high school diploma while incarcerated in a state correctional facility for adults. corrections-and-updates,criminal-justice,public-safety lc-buster-evans Assistant Commissioner Georgia none 0 0 0 1 0 in a press release

1964.json mostly-true Says U.S. Rep. Michael McCaul is the sixth-richest person in Congress. candidates-biography ted-ankrum Retired Texas democrat 0 1 0 1 0 a speech

624.json true McCain is "raising campaign cash with one of (Jack) Abramoff's closest business partners: scandal-plagued conservative activist Ralph Reed." ethics democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10 8 0

2852.json mostly-true More than 10 years of free trade has brought a \$2 billion per day trade deficit. economy,trade sherrod-brown U.S. Senator Ohio democrat 3 4 5 8 1 a news release

2506.json barely-true Says Kurt Schrader voted to cut \$500 billion from Medicare, threatening thousands of Oregon seniors and their access to their current coverage. health-care,medicare,message-machine scott-bruun State representative Oregon republican 2 1 0 0 0 a television ad

4212.json true Believe it or not, consumer spending is up over the last eight months. economy john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 an appearance on "Meet the Press"

10474.json half-true Under Common Core standards, it takes more than a minute to teach a student how to add nine plus six. education greg-abbott governor Texas republican 11 3 8 6 5 interview on Fox News Sunday

10117.json half-true Rick Scott says he supported in-state tuition for Dreamers while Charlie Crist was against it. education,immigration rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a CNN debate

7877.json mostly-true Black children constitute 18 percent of the nations public school population but 40 percent of the children who are suspended or expelled. civil-rights,education john-lewis Congressman Georgia democrat 0 1 2 1 0 an op-ed

12051.json mostly-true I opposed TPP (Trans-Pacific Partnership) and have always opposed TPP. trade ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36  
33 15 19 8 the Republican debate in Miami

3957.json false President Obama and liberal former DNC Chairman Tim Kaines \$787 billion stimulus failed to create jobs.  
deficit,economy,stimulus national-republican-senatorial-committee republican 11 5 7 2 5 a press release.

10893.json mostly-true Says that during his eight years as Florida governor, we created 1.3 million net new jobs -- more jobs created than Texas. economy,jobs jeb-bush Florida republican 17  
5 17 24 2 a speech at Gov. Rick Scott's economic summit in Orlando

1623.json true Marco Rubio's "income skyrocketed while his power increased." candidates-biography charlie-crist Florida democrat 15 9 20 19 2 a TV advertisement

6428.json half-true This ban will only apply to Oregon commercial fishermen. Washington commercial fishermen would still be allowed to use gillnets on the Columbia River. elections,environment,government-regulation salmon-all organization 0 0 1 0  
0 a guest column

4287.json half-true Says Republican recall challenger Jonathan Steitz failed to pay his taxes. candidates-biography,taxes greater-wisconsin-political-fund Wisconsin none 3 3 3 1  
1 campaign mailer

9793.json barely-true In six years, (U.S. Rep. Gary) Peters introduced zero bills that became law. congress,corrections-and-updates,voting-record ending-spending-action-fund independent 4 0  
0 2 0 a campaign ad

2910.json mostly-true Measures taken by my administration have saved taxpayers \$1 billion. state-budget donald-carciere Governor Rhode Island republican 0 0 1 1 0 a commentary in The Providence Journal

4653.json true Says his proposed payroll tax cut will mean an extra \$1,500 in your pocket compared to if we do nothing. economy,jobs,taxes barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 a speech.

12279.json mostly-true In last weeks debate, Bernie questioned Hillarys commitment to fighting climate change because a whopping 0.2 percent of the money given to our campaign has come from employees of oil and gas companies. Not even 2 percent, mind you: 0.2 percent. campaign-finance,energy,environment robby-mook Campaign manager for Hillary Clinton New York democrat 0 0 0 2 0 a Medium post

6982.json half-true A few months ago when you were asked whats the biggest geopolitical threat facing America, you said Russia. corrections-and-updates,debates,foreign-policy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a presidential debate

11802.json mostly-true Says his views on reparations for slavery are the same as Barack Obamas and Hillary Clintons. diversity,income,poverity bernie-s U.S. Senator Vermont independent 18 12 22  
41 0 comments on "Meet the Press."

4609.json false Says the National Labor Relations Board told Boeing that it cant build a factory in a non-union state. labor,new-hampshire-2012 mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts republican 34 32  
58 33 19 a Republican presidential primary debate



8115.json true Says by rejecting an expansion of Medicaid under the new law, Georgia was depriving 25,000 veterans of health care coverage.  
health-care,veterans michelle-nunn Chief Executive Officer,  
Points of Light Foundation Georgia democrat 3 0 1 2  
0 an interview

11296.json false Says the case of a Texas judge who refused to perform heterosexual weddings exposes a double standard in the case against Kentucky clerk Kim Davis. gays-and-lesbians,legal-issues,religion  
viral-image none 5 5 0 3 15 a Facebook  
post

9093.json barely-trueObamacare will drive 2.5 million Americans out of the workforce. health-care,jobs rick-scott Governor Florida  
republican 28 23 38 34 7 a television ad from Let's  
Get to Work

10799.json half-true After laying off 30,000 people,Carly Fiorina said that in retrospect, I would have done them all faster. candidates-  
biography,corporations,jobs anonymous-cyber-squatter Unknown  
Unknown none 0 0 1 0 0 a website

9383.json barely-truePeter Kilmartin voted for the 38 Studios loan guarantee and his State House job was to twist [legislators] arms to vote for deals like this. bankruptcy,baseball,economy,history,jobs,message-  
machine-2014,campaign-advertising,state-budget,state-finances dawson-  
hodgson State Senator Rhode Island republican 1 1 0  
0 0 a radio commercial

12009.json false On Donald Trumps track record in business  
candidates-biography mitt-romneyFormer governor Massachusetts  
republican 34 32 58 33 19 an interview with NBC's  
"Meet the Press"

7223.json mostly-trueEleven states complete their [legislative] sessions within three calendar months, and another five only meet biennially. elections,government-efficiency kenneth-block  
businessman republican 0 3 2 3 0 a  
newspaper commentary

11118.json true With the exception of baby formula, the federal government does not require any food to carry an expiration date, and state laws vary widely. corrections-and-updates,food-safety  
john-oliverHost, Last Week Tonight none 0 0 2  
4 0 a segment on "Last Week Tonight"

3381.json mostly-trueOn my first day in office, I ordered a review of every regulation in the pipeline and every contract exceeding \$1 million. state-budget rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28  
23 38 34 7 his State of the State speech.

7244.json false The amount of money that we put into running our own state legislature is nearly as much as we put into the University of Rhode Island. economy,education,government-efficiency,state-budget  
dawson-hodgson State Senator Rhode Island republican 1  
1 0 0 0 a radio interview

2581.json barely-trueSays Sean Duffy was a no-show as Ashland County District Attorney while he was on the campaign trail job-  
accomplishments,message-machine julie-lassaState Senator, 24th  
District Wisconsin democrat 1 0 2 0 0 a campaign  
TV ad

2958.json false Beaverton enjoys the most diverse population (by percentage of population) among Oregon cities. diversity city-  
beaverton city Oregon none 0 2 0 0 0 a press  
release

12179.json pants-fire Evidence shows Zika virus turns fetus brains to liquid. public-health blog-posting none 7 19  
3 5 44 a informal news website

11373.json barely-true Says after leaving the White House, Hillary Clinton was forced to return an estimated \$200,000 in White House china, furniture and artwork that she had stolen. ethics viral-image  
none 5 5 0 3 15 a post shared on Facebook

2114.json barely-true Georgia is the Saudi Arabia of pine trees. energy georgia-politicians none 1 0 0  
0 0 political campaign

9588.json half-true U.S. Senate candidate Jack Kingston voted for the Cash for Clunkers program. federal-budget david-perdue U.S.  
Senate candidate Georgia republican 5 1 4 5 1  
television ad

3430.json half-true Put simply, less government spending equals more private sector jobs. economy,federal-budget,jobs,stimulus eric-cantor House Majority Leader Virginia republican 9 6 4  
4 4 a press release.

9364.json barely-true I turned a \$110 million deficit into a \$1.6 million surplus for our city. candidates-biography,city-budget,city-government,debt,deficit,economy,history,taxes,unions angel-taveras  
Mayor of Providence Rhode Island democrat 2 1 2  
2 0 a fundraising letter

10695.json true Seventy percent of Americans dont have a college degree. corrections-and-updates,education rick-santorum  
Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13 7 5 an  
interview on "Face the Nation."

1158.json barely-true Under the plan, for the first five years your employer not only has to keep the coverage, but you can't migrate to the public plan. health-care anthony-weiner New York democrat  
2 1 2 0 0 an interview on "Fox and Friends"

5848.json false Says the oil industry subsidies that President Barack Obama is attacking dont exist energy,taxes bill-johnson U.S.  
representative Ohio republican 2 1 0 0 0 a news  
conference

10561.json half-true President Barack Obamas veto of the Keystone XL pipeline killed 42,000 jobs. energy,jobs tom-graves republican  
1 0 5 0 1 a press release

512.json true "John McCain decided to stand with George Bush 95 percent of the time (last year)." bush-administration barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 St.  
Paul, Minn.

5815.json barely-true Says Bill Pascrell voted to eliminate all estate taxes for billionaires, and I voted no. message-machine-2012,taxes  
steve-rothman democrat 1 2 0 1 1  
a video posted on YouTube

12906.json half-true In Hillary Clintons tax returns, you saw a lot of income coming from donors to the Clinton Foundation and people who benefitted from her State Department term as well. candidates-biography,income paul-manafort republican 0 2 1  
0 1 an interview on "State of the Union"

7909.json true Says that when the Rolling Stones performed in an Austin park, they paid \$25,000 to the nearby city of Rollingwood for one night of inconvenience. city-government,recreation barry-bone Businessman  
Texas none 0 0 0 0 0 an opinion column in the  
Westlake Picayune.

7044.json barely-true Says the NAACPs Ohio chapter has endorsed Issue 2.  
elections,redistricting voters-first-ohio Ohio none 1  
0 0 0 0 a news story

11284.json half-true Florida led the nation in job creation while Bush  
was governor. candidates-biography,economy,florida jeb-bush  
Florida republican 17 5 17 24 2 a campaign video

11761.json true Says Marco Rubio knows full well I voted for his  
amendment to increase military spending to \$697 billion. federal-  
budget,military,voting-record ted-cruz Senator Texas republican  
36 33 15 19 8 a Republican presidential debate in  
North Charleston, S.C.

13291.json half-true Says Joe Heck voted to shut down the government.  
voting-record catherine-cortez-masto Nevada democrat  
0 1 1 1 0 a Nevada U.S. Senate debate.

6933.json half-true Oil production is down 14 percent this year on  
federal land. energy mitt-romneyFormer governor Massachusetts  
republican 34 32 58 33 19 the second presidential  
debate

9916.json mostly-trueOf the 98 top oxycodone-dispensing doctors who  
used to live in Florida, today, there are none. criminal-  
justice,drugs,florida,public-safety pam-bondi Florida  
republican 2 2 0 4 0 a campaign commercial

9248.json true A white family is likely to have about six times as much  
wealth than a black or Hispanic family coming out of the recession.  
income,jobsalicia-menendez none 0 0 0 0  
0 comments on ABC's "This Week"

544.json barely-trueJohn McCain has changed position on invading Iraq.  
iraq joe-biden U.S. senator Delaware democrat 11 10  
21 16 4 a television interview

3679.json false State employees are actually going to get a pay raise.  
state-budget john-kasichGovernor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011  
Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 a news conference

11825.json half-true A Texas law requires every high school to have a  
voter registrar and part of their responsibility is to make sure that  
when children become 18 and become eligible to vote, that they vote.  
education,elections paul-saldana Community advocate, member  
and vice presidentof Austin Independent School District Board of Trustees  
Texas democrat 0 0 1 0 0 a civic summit hosted  
by Austin's KLRU-TV

7420.json mostly-trueFederal spending on entitlements is projected to  
consume all revenue by 2045. federal-budget,health-  
care,medicaid,medicare,social-security josh-mandelOhio treasurer Ohio  
republican 4 5 4 5 6 a letter to Ohio lawmakers

2723.json pants-fire Congressman Kasich wants to use our tax dollars to  
give secret bonuses to his corporate friends. economy,jobs,message-  
machine,state-budget,transparency ted-strickland Former Ohio governor  
Ohio democrat 2 6 7 4 1 a campaign video

5530.json barely-trueThe Democrat majority in the Senate has failed to  
submit [a] budget in the past 1,000 days. federal-budget johnny-  
isakson U.S. Senator Georgia republican 2 3 3 2  
0 a press release

4617.json half-true Says Rick Perry increased spending in Texas by  
more than 50 percent. state-budget,state-finances michele-bachmann  
Congresswoman Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4 16  
the Bloomberg/Washington Post Republican presidential debate.

4498.json true Says as a share of the US economy, the governments  
support for research and development (RD) has fallen by nearly two-thirds

since the 1960s. federal-budget, science rush-holt democrat  
 0 1 2 1 0 an opinion article  
 2994.json barely-true Says Texas Republican leaders have proposed laying  
 off thousands of teachers. education, jobs boyd-richie Texas Democratic  
 Party chair Texas democrat 2 1 0 0 1 a press release.  
 1184.json barely-true The Democratic health care bill in the House would  
 create 53 new government bureaucracies. health-care charles-boustany  
 Louisiana republican 1 0 0 1 0 response to  
 President Obama's health care address to Congress  
 11169.json mostly-true Says that Donald Trump supported Charlie Crist.  
 campaign-finance, candidates-biography marco-rubio U.S. Senator  
 Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 comments at a  
 GOP debate in Cleveland  
 8924.json mostly-true Dollar General added 2,500 stores and 20,000 jobs  
 during his four-year tenure as CEO. candidates-biography david-  
 perdue U.S. Senate candidate Georgia republican 5 1 4  
 5 1 a video  
 3194.json false Property tax exemptions can be granted to small  
 businesses that move into Milwaukee County. jobs, small-business, taxes  
 chris-abele Philanthropist Wisconsin none 3 5 4 4  
 2 a campaign news release  
 985.json false Gov. Sarah Palin got precisely zero support for her call  
 for Alaskas Democratic Senator Mark Begich to resign because Ted Stevens  
 corruption conviction was overturned. elections, pundits rachel-maddow  
 MSNBC host none 6 6 4 6 1 an episode of  
 her MSNBC show  
 7379.json mostly-true Says overwhelming majorities of Americans support  
 gun legislation like background checks. civil-rights, crime, guns  
 barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
 163 9 the State of the Union Address  
 2926.json barely-true Under the DREAM Act, after two years of higher  
 education or military service you are eligible for citizenship. Once a  
 citizen, this paves the way to bring the rest of (your) extended family  
 to the United States. immigration ted-poe U.S. House Representative  
 Texas republican 1 1 1 0 0 an opinion piece  
 5283.json half-true Since President Barack Obama took office, 2  
 million more Americans are out of work. economy phil-gingrey U.S.  
 Congressman Georgia republican 2 5 2 1 1 a press  
 statement  
 4204.json false Says opponent David Dewhurst is a career politician.  
 candidates-biography tom-leppert Businessman Texas republican 0  
 1 0 1 0 a campaign statement.  
 7288.json false Says Virginia economic development officials decided  
 they didnt want to bid on his companys electric automobile plant.  
 candidates-biography, china, economy, energy terry-mcauliffe  
 Governor Virginia democrat 12 6 2 2 3 a  
 news conference.  
 10223.json false The State Department says the 42,000 jobs created by the  
 Keystone XL pipeline are ongoing, enduring jobs. energy, jobs russ-  
 girling CEO TransCanada none 0 1 0 0 0  
 comments on ABC's "This Week"  
 4526.json false Wisconsin's new state budget includes a 15 percent  
 increase for road construction and yet weve got local towns tearing up  
 paved roads and replacing them with gravel. campaign-finance, state-  
 budget, transportation mike-mccabe none 0 1 0 0  
 0 a speech  
 10493.json mostly-true The Obama administration is refusing to directly  
 arm the Kurds. foreign-policy, iraq, terrorism ted-cruz Senator

Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 comments on CNN's "State of the Union"

6812.json barely-true The Obama administrations green stimulus program funneled close to \$2 billion dollars to overseas firms, creating thousands of jobs in China. china,jobs,message-machine-2012,stimulus americans-tax-reform none 4 0 1 1 1 a mailer to voters

13214.json mostly-true The worlds 62 richest people own the same wealth as the 3.6 billion poorest. poverty oxfam-america none 0 0 0 1 0 a tweet

12662.json mostly-true There are approximately 18,000 (police) departments in the United States. crime,criminal-justice charles-ramsey none 0 0 0 1 0 an interview on "Meet the Press"

3933.json false The cost-of-living increase in Social Security is tied to wage inflation. social-security rick-santorum Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13 7 5 an interview on NBC's "Meet the Press"

7268.json mostly-true Nearly a quarter of all adults in this state have some college credit without a degree. economy,education,jobs scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a speech

2717.json half-true Of the more than 1.3 million temporary mortgage modifications, over half have defaulted. housing marco-rubio U.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a debate

2252.json half-true Republicans tried to block the deficit commission. federal-budget tim-kaine U.S. Senator Virginia democrat 8 3 15 15 0 a segment of CBS' "'Face The Nation.'" 3029.json mostly-true The state is able to sharply curtail contract bargaining rights for state employee unions. jobs,labor,state-budget scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a luncheon speech at the Milwaukee Press Club

3471.json half-true On his support for sharply limiting collective bargaining by public employees. labor,state-budget jeff-stone Member of State Assembly, 82nd District Wisconsin republican 1 0 0 1 0 various votes and public statements

3710.json true Georgia is one of only about seven states in the country that has a AAA bond rating. state-finances nathan-deal republican 9 5 11 11 0 a speech before the Atlanta Press Club

1855.json mostly-true Rick Perry attempted to fast-track unnecessary coal-fired power plants, which degrade air quality and would cost billions. Fortunately, a court stopped him. environment bill-white Former mayor of Houston Texas democrat 2 3 5 7 3 an e-mail

7771.json half-true Two years ago Providence alone spent \$50,000 a year notifying the school department about residents in the states sex offender registry. children,crime,criminal-justice joe-lindbeck special assistant attorney general Rhode Island state-official 0 0 1 0 0 a House Finance Committee hearing

13409.json barely-true In many instances, (peoples) health care costs are more than their mortgage costs or their rent, which, by the way, is a first in American history. economy,government-regulation,health-care,history,market-regulation donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 a speech

5101.json half-true Since the passage of Obamas stimulus package, over 1 million additional jobs were lost and nearly 25 million Americans are

out of work, are stuck in part-time work, or have given up looking.  
 jobs,stimulus mitt-romney Former governor Massachusetts  
 republican 34 32 58 33 19 a campaign mailer  
 7356.json true Three in four low-income workers dont have any paid sick  
 days available. health-care,income,labor,public-health,workers  
 sherrod-brown U.S. Senator Ohio democrat 3 4 5  
 8 1 a news release  
 4568.json barely-true Says Vince Polistina is collecting nearly \$70,000  
 in taxpayer-funded salaries -- plus a government pension.income,pensions  
 new-jersey-democratic-state-committee New Jersey democrat  
 2 2 1 0 0 a political mailer  
 2099.json false The Department of Health and Human Services is providing  
 \$160 million to the state of Pennsylvania to set up a new high-risk  
 insurance pool program that would cover any abortion legal in the state.  
 abortion,health-care john-boehner Speaker of the House of  
 Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2 a news  
 release  
 1849.json half-true "We have SAT scores lower than that of Alabama."  
 education,message-machine john-oxendine Georgia  
 republican 0 0 2 0 0 in a video on his Web site.  
 7790.json pants-fire Boston Marathon bombing suspect Tamerlan Tsarnaev  
 is buried not far from President Kennedys grave.  
 crime,history,islam,pundits,religion,terrorism john-depetro  
 Talk-show host Rhode Island talk-show-host 0 3 0  
 0 3 a comment on WPRO radio.  
 6320.json mostly-true Gov. Romneys plan would cut taxes for the folks at  
 the very top. message-machine-2012,taxes barack-obama President  
 Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 an advertisement  
 3500.json half-true Says David Prosser = Scott Walker.candidates-  
 biography,job-accomplishments,labor,state-budget greater-wisconsin-  
 political-fund Wisconsin none 3 3 3 1 1 a  
 television ad  
 2460.json pants-fire Politician Reid Ribble wants to phase out Social  
 Security, forcing Wisconsin seniors to fend for themselves. message-  
 machine,social-security steve-kagen U.S. House member -- 8th District  
 Wisconsin democrat 0 0 0 0 2 a campaign TV ad  
 1948.json false Says Houstons 18th congressional district has been  
 gentrified and is home to more Anglos than African Americans.  
 candidates-biography,census,diversity,elections john-faulk  
 Accountant Texas republican 0 1 0 0 0 a speech  
 10739.json mostly-true The Hyde Amendment language was in the (human  
 trafficking) bill. The Democratic sponsor admits it was in the bill, and  
 she voted for it.abortion,bipartisanship karl-rove Texas  
 republican 2 5 2 8 0 comments on "Fox News  
 Sunday"  
 13020.json mostly-true Says Joe Heck voted 10 times to defund Planned  
 Parenthood ... and Heck opposes a womans right to choose, even when her  
 health is at risk. abortion catherine-cortez-masto Nevada  
 democrat 0 1 1 1 0 a television ad  
 1119.json false Stimulus tax cuts "began showing up in paychecks of 4.8  
 million Indiana households about three months ago." stimulus,taxes  
 barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
 163 9 a speech in Wakarusa, Ind.  
 13128.json mostly-true Says Hillary Clinton called the Trans-Pacific  
 Partnership the gold standard. You called it the gold standard of trade  
 deals. You said its the finest deal youve ever seen. candidates-  
 biography,economy,foreign-policy,history,trade donald-trump

President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
 a Presidential debate  
 11050.json mostly-true Bernie Sanders voted against the Brady Bill --  
 background checks and waiting periods. guns,voting-record  
 generation-forward-pac democrat 0 0 0 1  
 0 an attack ad.  
 7195.json barely-true Says Charlie Crist and Missouri Rep. Todd Akin  
 hold same abortion views. No exception except the life of the mother.  
 abortion,candidates-biography lenny-curry chairman of the  
 Republican Party of Florida Florida republican 2 1 2 0  
 0 a tweet  
 13047.json half-true Barack Obama has doubled our national debt.  
 Doubled it. Its going to be close to \$20 trillion when he leaves.  
 debt,economy donald-trump President-Elect New York  
 republican 63 114 51 37 61 a rally.  
 2560.json pants-fire Say Matt Wand cut Troutdale police, created a  
 slush fund for himself. crime,ethics,public-safety future-pac-  
 oregon-house-democrats campaign committee Oregon democrat 3  
 0 0 0 1 a campaign mailer  
 8463.json false Were second only to Boston in college students per  
 capita. education chris-abele Philanthropist Wisconsin none 3  
 5 4 4 2 a speech  
 3458.json barely-true Not even expensive bottled water, like Perrier and  
 Evian, are of good enough quality to pump out of mines in Southwest  
 Virginia, according to the EPA regulation. environment morgan-griffith  
 U.S. Congressman Virginia republican 3 2 1 0 0  
 an e-mail newsletter and House floor speech.  
 8352.json pants-fire Obama Declares November National Muslim  
 Appreciation Month. islam,religion blog-posting none  
 7 19 3 5 44 blog posts  
 11847.json barely-true Says Catherine Cortez Masto was happy to line her  
 own pockets with taxpayer dollars when state employees were slammed with  
 frozen salaries. candidates-biography national-republican-senatorial-  
 committee republican 11 5 7 2 5 a blog  
 post  
 8170.json pants-fire Under Obamacare, The IRS will have access to the  
 American peoples protected health care information. health-care,taxes  
 eric-cantor House Majority Leader Virginia republican 9 6  
 4 4 4 a floor speech.  
 10293.json mostly-true Mike Martinez has voted to raise taxes and utility  
 rates while ending free bus service for seniors.  
 taxes,transportation,voting-record steve-adler Mayor of Austin  
 Texas democrat 1 1 1 2 1 a TV ad  
 5314.json true Ohio has one of the highest provisional ballot rates in  
 the country, and many of them go uncounted each election. elections  
 kathleen-clyde State representative Ohio democrat 0 0  
 0 0 0 a news conference  
 2625.json mostly-true Rand Paul wants to end all federal faith-based  
 initiatives, and even end the deduction for religious charities.  
 message-machine,religion,taxes jack-conway Kentucky Attorney  
 General Kentucky democrat 0 1 0 2 0 a campaign  
 commercial  
 12749.json half-true Homicides last year increased by 17 percent in  
 Americas 50 largest cities. Thats the largest increase in 25 years.  
 crime,criminal-justice donald-trump President-Elect New York  
 republican 63 114 51 37 61 his acceptance speech at  
 the Republican National Convention in Cleveland

6905.json mostly-true The Canadians they (dropped) their tax rates to 15 percent. The average tax rate on businesses in the industrialized world is 25 percent. taxes paul-ryan U.S. Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 the vice presidential debate in Danville, Ky.

10672.json false White men account for 69 percent of those arrested for violent crimes. crime sally-kohn columnist 0 1 1  
1 0 an opinion piece on CNN.com

2217.json half-true We know that tax cuts are remarkably un-stimulative when you compare them with different kinds of government spending. economy,pundits,stimulus,taxes rachel-maddow MSNBC host none 6 6 4 6 1 the "Rachel Maddow Show"

10232.json barely-true The climate-change agreement between the United States and China requires the Chinese to do nothing at all for 16 years. china,climate-change,environment,foreign-policy mitch-mcconnell Senate minority leader Kentucky republican 7 6 5 7  
0 a media availability

7230.json half-true Says in fiscal year 2011, the state had a projected \$11 billion deficit. deficit,state-budget,state-finances chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a State of the State address

4993.json barely-true Wisconsin election officials to accept Mickey Mouse, Hitler signatures on recall petitions. elections,legal-issues maciver-institute Think tank Wisconsin independent 1 0 0  
1 1 a video

794.json half-true "I wrote to Secretary Paulson, I wrote to Federal Reserve Chairman Bernanke [in March 2007], and told them this is something we have to deal with, and nobody did anything about it." economy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a debate in Nashville, Tenn.

12011.json half-true The Great Wall of China, built 2,000 years ago, is 13,000 miles (long). history donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61 remarks after the Super Tuesday balloting

8946.json true When the Dallas/Fort Worth Airport needed to stop its earthquake spike a few years ago, they temporarily shut down the wells that were injecting fracking fluid into the ground ... (and) those earthquakes stopped. energy,environment rachel-maddow MSNBC host none 6 6 4 6 1 a broadcast of MSNBC's "The Rachel Maddow Show"

3508.json pants-fire Says Supreme Court candidate JoAnne Kloppenburgs record as a state Justice Department lawyer consists only of the prosecution of cases regarding regulation of docks. candidates-biography,environment,legal-issues david-prosser Wisconsin Supreme Court justice Wisconsin none 0 0 0 0 1 statement during a candidate forum

3306.json half-true One half of federal spending goes to Social Security, Medicare and Medicaid while the other half goes to other programs funded with money borrowed from a foreign land. federal-budget rob-woodall U.S. Representative Georgia republican 0 0 2 0 0 a town hall meeting

1189.json mostly-true "Medicare began as a public option and now holds 97 percent of the market share." health-care,medicare tom-price Congressman Georgia republican 1 2 5 3 0 a fundraising letter

9107.json true Says Sen. Mitch McConnell is the No. 1 recipient of contributions from lobbyists this cycle. campaign-finance,congress,campaign-advertising alison-lundergan-grimes



Secretary of State Kentucky democrat 2 2 3 1  
0 a campaign email to supporters  
809.json true "98 percent of small businesses make less than \$250,000" and would not see a tax increase under Barack Obama's plan. taxes  
barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 Hempstead, N.Y.  
171.json false "The leading Democratic candidate once said that the unfettered free market is the most destructive force in modern America." economy rudy-giuliani Attorney New York republican 9  
11 10 7 3 Dearborn, Mich.  
1739.json half-true Says the American public overwhelmingly opposed Democratic-steered health care plan. health-care kay-bailey-hutchison  
U.S. Senator Texas republican 2 4 4 3 0 a  
radio address  
9047.json mostly-true Says Dan Patrick supported giving a \$5,000 taxpayer-funded voucher to every family to buy a car.  
families,federal-budget,transportation david-dewhurst Lieutenant governor Texas republican 8 8 10 5 5 a TV ad  
7685.json half-true Right now, if Rhode Island police come across a young person with a gun, they really dont legally have the right to take it away from them. crime,criminal-justice,guns,legal-issues  
linda-finn landscape designer Rhode Island democrat 0  
0 1 2 0 a TV interview  
13490.json false We have trade agreements with 20 countries, and we have trade surpluses with each one of those 20. trade don-beyer 8th District congressional candidate Virginia democrat 1 2 1  
3 0 an interview.  
10962.json true This March, for the first time in human history, the monthly average carbon dioxide in our atmosphere exceeded 400 parts per million. The range had been 170-300 parts per million for hundreds of thousands of years. climate-change,congress sheldon-whitehouse  
U.S. Senator Rhode Island democrat 2 3 2 7  
0 U.S. Senate  
7845.json half-true Jon Corzine, elected governor. Teams up with Barbara Buono. \$1.2 billion sales tax increase? Passed. Most spending in state history? Passed. After Buono named budget chair, taxes and fees increase 23 times in just two years. State debt? Up \$13.4 billion. Unemployment? Doubled. debt,jobs,state-budget,state-finances,taxes  
chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10  
17 27 19 8 A gubernatorial campaign television ad  
10388.json barely-true The Obama administration supported Muslim allies trying to establish a new international blasphemy standard. civil-rights,foreign-policy,religion,terrorism jonathan-turley  
none 1 0 0 0 0 a "Washington Post" op-ed  
180.json false "Congress' approval rating is 11 percent. You know who's higher? Dick Cheney and HMOs." job-accomplishments bill-richardson  
Governor New Mexico democrat 1 2 3 8 1 Las Vegas  
781.json false "Oil companies ...currently have 68-million acres that they're not using." energy barack-obama President Illinois  
democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a debate in Nashville, Tenn.  
12627.json true Says Donald Trumps proposed tax treatment of hedge fund managers makes the current loophole even worse. taxes hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 a speech  
2594.json true John Raeses wife is registered to vote in Florida so she cant even vote for him. candidates-biography,elections,message-

machine joe-manchin Senator from West Virginia West Virginia  
 democrat 0 0 1 1 0 a campaign ad  
 7543.json pants-fire Scientists tell us that we could have a cure in 10  
 years for Alzheimers were it not for overzealous regulators, excessive  
 taxation and greedy litigators. government-regulation,health-  
 care,market-regulation,science michele-bachmann Congresswoman  
 Minnesota republican 8 22 6 4 16 a speech at CPAC  
 7073.json barely-true Mitt Romney made over a hundred million dollars by  
 shutting down (a Marion, Ind. paper) plant. candidates-  
 biography,corporations,message-machine-2012 priorities-usa-action  
 democrat 3 1 4 2 1 in a TV ad  
 12195.json true More people are struck by lightning than commit in-  
 person voter fraud by impersonation. civil-  
 rights,crime,elections,government-regulation mark-pocan State Assembly  
 member, 78th District Wisconsin democrat 1 2 2 3 0  
 a blog post  
 13190.json barely-true Says Hillary Clinton and Tim Kaine want to expand  
 (Obamacare) into a single-payer program. drugs,health-care,history  
 mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5  
 0 the 2016 Vice Presidential debate  
 7447.json true Says the last non-partisan commission to improve the  
 voting experience in America concluded that #VoterID was necessary.  
 elections greg-abbott governor Texas republican 11 3 8  
 6 5 a Twitter post.  
 9472.json half-true Oregon school districts are directing 24 percent  
 of their food budgets to purchase local foods. Thats the highest  
 percentage in the country. agriculture oregon-department-agriculture  
 Oregon government-body 0 0 1 0 0 a  
 news release  
 12368.json barely-true Germany is crime-riddled right now because of  
 migration to Europe. crime,criminal-justice,human-  
 rights,immigration,public-safety donald-trump President-Elect New  
 York republican 63 114 51 37 61 an interview with NBC News  
 5788.json true Says the Congressional Budget Office has estimated every  
 penny of the federal budget will go to interest on the debt and  
 entitlement spending by 2025. deficit,federal-budget frank-wolf U.S.  
 Representative Virginia republican 1 0 0 0 0 a  
 floor speech.  
 6665.json half-true Mitt Romney said it was tragic to end the war in  
 Iraq. iraq barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71  
 160 163 9 a speech at the Democratic National Convention in  
 Charlotte, N.C.  
 10858.json pants-fire During Obamas first five years as president, black  
 unemployment increased 42 percent. During Reagans presidency, black  
 unemployment dropped 20 percent. diversity,economy,history,jobs  
 facebook-posts Social media posting none 14 18 15  
 11 36 a meme on social media  
 3522.json false Milwaukee lost the headquarters for MillerCoors because  
 the area lacks good transit. jobs,transportation jason-haas Milwaukee  
 County supervisor Wisconsin none 0 1 0 0 0 a  
 newspaper interview  
 6469.json false Says President Obama said of the national debt, If I  
 dont have this done in three years, then theres going to be a one-term  
 proposition. deficit,message-machine-2012 americans-prosperity  
 none 6 7 2 1 2 an Americans for Prosperity  
 attack ad  
 13502.json barely-true Black Lives Matter, who are attacking law  
 enforcement officers -- Barack Obama had them to the White House.

civil-rights,crime,criminal-justice sean-duffy Member of the  
U.S. House Wisconsin republican 5 1 6 1 2 an  
interview

9834.json mostly-true In 2012, there were nearly 12.2 million arrests  
and only 410 uses of deadly force by police in the United States.  
civil-rights,criminal-justice,guns,public-safety edward-flynn  
none 1 0 3 2 0 an interview

7991.json half-true Every major religion is opposed to same-sex  
marriage. gays-and-lesbians,religion phil-burress President,  
Citizens for Community Values Ohio republican 0 0 1 0  
0 news story

7994.json barely-true Says Texas has more than 80,000 abortions each  
year. abortion jonathan-stickland State representative Texas  
republican 1 0 0 0 1 a tweet

10846.json false Says Thomas Jefferson said that government is best which  
governs least. government-regulation,history scott-walker  
Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32  
40 11 a tweet

8830.json half-true The \$18.8 billion in funding for K-12 education  
funding is the highest in Florida history and includes a record \$10.6  
billion in state funds. education rick-scott Governor Florida  
republican 28 23 38 34 7 a press release about his  
education budget proposal

6033.json true In the 2000 Florida election, at least 1,100 eligible  
voters were wrongly dropped from voting rolls in an attempt to purge a  
list of felons. Many of those who were dropped showed up to vote and were  
told they could not. elections bill-nelson Florida democrat  
3 1 8 10 0 letter to Gov. Rick Scott

700.json true "My grandfather came home from ... (World War II)  
exhausted from the burdens he had borne, and died the next day."  
candidates-biography john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona  
republican 31 39 31 37 8 St. Paul, Minn.

12214.json mostly-true The largest U.S. companies would owe \$620 billion  
in U.S. taxes on the cash they store in tax havens. corporations,taxes  
bernie-s U.S. Senator Vermont independent 18 12 22  
41 0 a tweet

11661.json false If Trump had just put his fathers money in a mutual fund  
... hed have \$8 billion. wealth occupy-democrats  
organization 0 4 3 1 4 a Facebook post

8986.json mostly-true Fewer black and Latino men participate in the  
labor force, compared to young white men. diversity,economy,jobs  
barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160  
163 9 an event at the White House

6922.json barely-true Says Adam Hasner gives the wealthy tax breaks  
worth \$250,000 a year but hikes middle class taxes \$2,000. message-  
machine-2012,taxes lois-frankel Florida democrat 2  
0 0 0 1 a television ad

2738.json false State House incumbent Jill Chambers, R-Atlanta,  
personally profits from taxpayer money. ethics georgia-house-  
democratic-caucus-behalf-elena-paren democrat 0 1  
0 0 0 a campaign mailer

7416.json barely-true The group that supported the presidents health  
care bill the most? Latinos. health-care david-plouffe Senior Adviser  
to the President democrat 1 0 0 2 0 an  
interview

9101.json half-true Women take birth control, more than half of them,  
as a medication for other conditions. abortion,health-care,sexuality

barbara-boxer U.S. Senator California democrat 2 0  
 3 4 1 an interview on MSNBC's "Jansing & Co."  
 2494.json pants-fire Says the Feingold garage ad is a fake: Hes not  
 standing in front of his house. job-accomplishments,message-machine  
 mark-belling Talk show host for WISN-AM Wisconsin talk-show-  
 host 0 0 0 0 1 a website posting and statement during  
 his radio show  
 553.json false McCain "hasn't held executive responsibility."  
 candidates-biography wesley-clark Arkansas democrat  
 0 1 1 0 0 an interview on CBS' "Face the Nation"  
 574.json true "McCain got more money from Airbus' U.S. executives than  
 any other politician." ethics,military campaign-money-watch  
 none 1 0 0 0 0 a TV ad  
 1262.json false Forty-five percent of doctors say theyll quit if health  
 care reform passes. health-care,pundits glenn-beck none  
 5 7 7 2 6 a statement on his Fox News Channel  
 program  
 9900.json mostly-true Says Glenn Grothman pushed through state tax  
 credits that when phased in, someone that owns a factory that produces  
 millions in income will pay less tax than their nephew would if he worked  
 full time at Taco Bell for minimum wage. income,small-  
 business,state-budget,taxes mark-harris Winnebago County Executive  
 Wisconsin democrat 0 0 0 2 0 an interview  
 1677.json true Says that under a new program jail "time for non-  
 violent, mentally ill offenders has been reduced by 50 percent."  
 crime,government-efficiency,job-accomplishments karen-sage  
 Attorney Texas democrat 0 0 0 0 0 a mailer  
 575.json barely-true "John McCain intervened, which helped Airbus get  
 that Pentagon contract." ethics,military campaign-money-watch  
 none 1 0 0 0 0 a TV ad  
 447.json false "I have never said that I don't wear flag pins or refuse  
 to wear flag pins." patriotism barack-obama President Illinois  
 democrat 70 71 160 163 9 Philadelphia  
 13049.json false Say 71 percent of doctors say Hillarys health concerns  
 are serious and could be disqualifying. candidates-biography,pundits  
 blog-posting none 7 19 3 5 44  
 internet postings  
 12168.json half-true Expanding the sale of full-strength beer and wine  
 to grocery stores is good for everybody. Alcohol your-choice-colorado  
 Colorado organization 0 0 1 0 0 a TV  
 ad  
 11308.json half-true Says history suggests sports will quickly subsume  
 a lot of the attention span of the country in the presidential primary.  
 elections,sports hugh-hewitt republican 1 0 1  
 0 0 a panel discussion on CNN's "State of the Union"  
 11212.json mostly-true The U.S. has now spent more on reconstructing  
 Afghanistan than was spent on the Marshall Plan and the reconstruction of  
 Europe. afghanistan matt-wuerker Politico editorial cartoonist  
 none 0 0 0 1 0 a political cartoon on  
 Politico  
 3697.json mostly-true The federal debt is more than \$14 trillion, almost  
 equal to the size of our entire economy, and every child born today  
 inherits a \$45,000 share of the national debt before they take their  
 first breath. deficit,federal-budget jim-renacci U.S. representative  
 Ohio republican 5 3 4 1 1 a video posted to  
 YouTube  
 12770.json true I wake up every morning in a house (the White House)  
 that was built by slaves. diversity,history michelle-obama

Illinois democrat 0 2 1 4 0 a speech at the Democratic National Convention in Philadelphia

11955.json false Says Milwaukee County Executive Chris Abele spent \$100,000 of taxpayer money on a new luxury SUV. county-budget wisconsin-working-families-party none 0 1 0  
0 0 a direct mail flier

13423.json false The media never show crowds. elections donald-trump President-Elect New York republican 63 114 51 37 61  
a rally in Pensacola, Fla.

3087.json pants-fire The governor has made a commitment to billions of dollars in debt and new spending without any explanation of how he plans to pay that money back. transportation brian-moran State Democratic chairman Virginia democrat 0 0 1 0 1 a news release.

3046.json mostly-true Says he had to impose tougher cost controls on state employees than any previous Wisconsin governor. job-accomplishments, state-budget jim-doyle Lawyer Wisconsin democrat 1 1 1 1 0 a television interview

12203.json half-true Says the Congressional Budget Office is expecting a protracted economic malaise for at least the next decade under current policies. economy tom-price Congressman Georgia republican 1 2 5 3 0 a post on Medium

12734.json barely-true It was Hillary Clinton who left Americans in harms way in Benghazi and after four Americans fell said, What difference at this point does it make? candidates-biography mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5 0 the Republican national convention

1515.json half-true "Congresswoman Bachmann actually said we should be 'weaned' off our Social Security and Medicare. She wants to privatize Social Security and replace Medicare with some kind of voucher system." medicare, social-security americans-united-change none 1 4 4 1 0 a radio ad

9553.json false Says children are coming into the U.S. in staggering numbers because President Barack Obama has been promising amnesty. immigration ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8 a press conference at Lackland Air Force Base

8557.json true The United States has never been richer, if you look at per capita GDP. economy, federal-budget, taxes jan-schakowsky Representative of 9th District of Illinois Illinois democrat 0 0 0 1 0 an interview on MSNBC

4194.json mostly-true Michele Bachmanns legislative record is offering failed amendments. candidates-biography, voting-record tim-pawlenty republican 2 3 3 6 1 a statement from the campaign

13487.json barely-true Says that when San Francisco banned plastic grocery bags, you saw the number of instances of people going to the ER with things like salmonella and other related illnesses spike. environment, health-care, public-health james-quintero Director, Center for Local Governance, Texas Public Policy Foundation Texas none 1 0 0 0 0 a panel discussion at SXSW Eco

11184.json false Scott Walker had a 2.3 GPA when he was asked to leave Marquette University for cheating. candidates-biography, education, elections facebook-posts Social media posting none 14 18 15 11 36 a meme

12221.json mostly-true Says a company that got tax breaks from the state later laid off 100 Ohioans, even as its CEO cut a half-million-dollar check to Kasichs super PAC. campaign-finance, candidates-biography, ethics

ted-cruz Senator Texas republican 36 33 15 19 8  
ad paid for by campaign for Ted Cruz

3460.json half-true Ohio Director of Job Creation Mark Kvanme just  
clawed back about \$900,000 from companies that made promises and they  
didn't keep them. government-efficiency,state-budgetjohn-kasich Governor  
of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3  
his State of the State speech

7529.json false There is no clinical evidence that vaccinating  
healthcare workers protects patients. health-care,labor,public-  
health,unions service-employees-international-union-committee-po  
Washington, D.C. newsmaker 1 1 2 0 0 a lawsuit

10717.json half-true On in-state tuition for unauthorized immigrants.  
education,immigration,state-budget,state-finances rick-perry  
Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 an  
interview with the Texas Tribune

4714.json false I made a bunch of these promises during the campaign.  
... We've got about 60 percent done in three years. job-  
accomplishments,politifactst-top-promises barack-obama President  
Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a speech at a  
fundraiser

4017.json mostly-trueOn the day of the New Hampshire primary in 1980,  
the top 13 people of Ronald Reagan's staff quit. history newt-  
gingrich Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15  
20 10 11 a speech before the Atlanta Press Club

9256.json false Some of the wealthiest Americans are African-American  
now. wealth rush-limbaugh Radio host none 9 11 5  
2 10 comments on his radio show

6006.json false There's 400 more people working in health care today in  
New Hampshire than when we passed the budget. health-care,state-  
budget,state-finances william-obrien Speaker of the House of  
Representatives New Hampshire republican 1 2 1 0 0  
an interview with the Telegraph editorial board

6197.json barely-truePresident Barack Obama's health care reform slashed  
\$500 billion from Medicare. health-care,medicare,public-healthsean-duffy  
Member of the U.S. House Wisconsin republican 5 1 6  
1 2 a news release

1187.json mostly-trueThe U.S. ranks 37th in the world for health care.  
health-carepaul-hipp singer and actor New York none 0 0  
0 1 0 a YouTube video

8104.json mostly-trueA high school dropout makes on average \$19,000 a  
year, a high school graduate makes \$28,000 a year, a college graduate  
makes \$51,000 a year. education,punditsdon-lemon CNN anchor Georgia  
journalist 0 1 0 1 0 a commentary on CNN

1556.json true There's almost 1 million Texans who are unemployed and  
that's an all-time record number in our state. economy bill-white  
Former mayor of Houston Texas democrat 2 3 5 7  
3 a speech

7970.json false Nearly 70 percent of all federal spending will go  
towards Social Security, Medicare, and Medicaid in fiscal year 2014.  
federal-budget,medicaid,medicare,social-security todd-young  
Republican congressional candidateIndiana republican 0 1  
0 0 0 a letter to a constituent

12487.json barely-trueIn Ohio, each year an estimated 1,000 children  
become victims of human trafficking, and over 3,000 more are at risk.  
children,trade joyce-beatty Member of Congress Ohio  
democrat 1 0 0 1 0 in a press conference

1310.json false Claims that Obama said, "For those who oppose our  
policies, you should just shut up and go away." elections,floridacw-

bill-young U.S. Representative, Florida District 10 Florida  
 republican 0 1 1 0 1 a meeting of Florida  
 Republicans  
 6163.json false Says, Yet in Salem they have traditionally waited until  
 the money is almost gone to pay for the most important things in our  
 states budget. education,state-budget shawn-lindsay state  
 representative Oregon republican 1 1 0 0 0 a  
 campaign press release  
 7819.json true 18 percent of our land in our state right now is either  
 federally, state or county owned for conservation purposes.  
 animals,environment,recreation,state-finances alberta-darling  
 State Senator, 8th District Wisconsin republican 1 1 2  
 1 1 a legislative meeting  
 814.json mostly-true "The race will tighten, just because that's what  
 happens at the end of campaigns. They always have." elections barack-  
 obama President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a TV  
 interview  
 8486.json true Even after Obamacare is fully implemented, there still  
 will be tens of millions of people not covered. health-care suzanne-  
 somers Actress California none 0 0 0 0 0 a  
 column in the "Wall Street Journal"  
 12141.json barely-true The [Obama] administrations regulatory assault on  
 coal-fired energy has put thousands of Americans out of work  
 energy,environment,jobs roy-blunt Senator Missouri  
 republican 2 1 0 1 1 a news release  
 3257.json true We have 80,000 abortions in Texas every year.  
 abortion,corrections-and-updates dan-patrick Lieutenant governor-  
 elect Texas republican 4 4 3 4 4 remarks on the Senate  
 floor  
 3330.json barely-true Says Tri-Rail shows the potential problems with  
 investing in high-speed rail. state-budget,stimulus,transportation  
 rick-scott Governor Florida republican 28 23 38 34  
 7 an interview with CNN.  
 6436.json half-true Says U.S. Senate rival Tommy Thompson is a big  
 corporate lobbyist and has been lobbying during the middle of the  
 campaign. congressional-rules eric-hovde republican 2  
 3 3 0 0 a radio appearance  
 70.json mostly-true "Congressman Paul introduces numerous pieces of  
 substantive legislation each year, probably more than any single member  
 of Congress." job-accomplishments ron-paul U.S. representative  
 Texas republican 5 8 8 8 3 a statement on his  
 campaign Web site.  
 10140.json false Four members of the Rhode Island General Assembly went  
 to vote in 2010 and were told they had already voted.  
 debates,elections,legal-issues john-carlevale co-founder,  
 State of the State Rhode Island republican 0 1 1 0  
 0 a TV debate  
 1120.json false The Democrat-backed health care reform plan "will  
 require (Americans) to subsidize abortion with their hard-earned tax  
 dollars." abortion,health-care,taxes john-boehner Speaker of the  
 House of Representatives Ohio republican 13 22 11 4 2  
 an op-ed for National Review  
 8595.json barely-true Mark Warner cast the tiebreaking vote to pass  
 Obamacare. health-care,voting-record ken-cuccinelli Attorney General  
 Virginia republican 1 10 3 2 1 an interview.  
 4885.json mostly-true In Iraq, violence is down to an all-time low since  
 the start of the war. foreign-policy,iraq,military joe-biden U.S.

senator Delaware democrat 11 10 21 16 4 an  
interview on NBC's "Today Show"

11917.json true North Korea's missiles are not going to have a capability  
to reach the United States anytime real soon. foreign-policy,nuclear  
john-mccainU.S. senator Arizona republican 31 39 31  
37 8 remarks made on the Fox News segment, Outnumbered

10773.json half-true Im running for office with much more experience  
and qualifications than Barack Obama had when he ran. candidates-  
biography marco-rubioU.S. Senator Florida republican 33 24  
32 35 5 a meeting with the Des Moines Register editorial  
board

4718.json false Says Measure 3-386 will cost a fortune for elections  
while Measure 3-388 will cost less. county-governmentann-lininger  
Clackamas County Commissioner Oregon county-commissioner  
0 1 0 0 0 in campaign literature

6616.json true In 2008, Charlie Crist applauded the pick of Sarah Palin  
and said she would do a great job.candidates-biography george-lemieux  
Florida republican 4 1 6 4 0 a Tampa  
Bay Times guest column

3284.json mostly-trueThe president promised to close the space gap, but  
he now seems intent on repeating the events that created the space gap in  
the first place -- putting in place a new rocket design and then trying  
to underfund the effort... science bill-posey CongressmanFlorida  
republican 0 0 1 1 0 a press release responding  
to Obama's budget proposal.

2290.json barely-trueRepublicans dont think its a good idea to make the  
child care tax credit stronger. children,taxes barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a  
response to a question during an appearance in Columbus, Ohio.

10978.json true More than half of women under 30 who give birth do so  
outside of marriage... families,women don-beyer 8th District  
congressional candidate Virginia democrat 1 2 1 3  
0 a website post

8764.json mostly-trueI cut spending while serving in the state  
Legislature state-budget,state-finances,states,taxes marilinda-garcia  
New Hampshire state representativeNew Hampshire republican 1  
0 0 1 0 a tweet

2203.json mostly-trueIf we ban the practice of earmarks, we could save  
the American taxpayer anywhere between \$15 (billion) to \$20 billion  
dollars a year in pork-barrel spending. federal-budget marco-rubioU.S.  
Senator Florida republican 33 24 32 35 5 a campaign  
video

7118.json half-true Our welfare system now consumes 42 percent of our  
budget. elections,government-efficiency,medicaid,state-  
finances,welfare patricia-morgan Financial adviserRhode Island  
republican 1 0 1 1 0 a campaign flier

7164.json true Agriculture is the strongest industry in Ohio.  
agriculture,economy john-kasichGovernor of Ohio as of Jan. 10,  
2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 a speech to the Ohio  
Farm Bureau

4208.json false This is the first time in the history that weve had the  
raising of a debt limit also with spending cuts. federal-  
budget,history allen-west U.S. representative, Florida District 22  
Florida republican 6 9 3 1 4 an interview on  
CNN

714.json mostly-trueSarah Palin was repeating "Abraham Lincoln's  
words" in discussing the war in Iraq. religion sarah-palin



Alaska republican 9 19 9 6 6 Fairbanks,  
Alaska  
13437.json barely-true Kelly Ayotte voted for a budget that had \$90  
billion of cuts to Pell Grants. education, voting-record maggie-  
hassan Candidate for governor New Hampshire democrat 1 2  
2 4 0 a debate  
6401.json mostly-true Says U.S. Rep. Connie Mack IV passed only one bill  
in seven years. message-machine-2012, voting-record american-bridge-21st-  
century democrat 2 1 0 3 0 a TV ad  
5251.json mostly-true Republican-leaning states get more in federal  
dollars than they pay in taxes. federal-budget, state-finances, states  
blog-posting none 7 19 3 5 44 a  
graphic circulating on the Internet  
378.json half-true Barack Obama said in 2004 "that he basically  
agreed with the way George Bush was conducting the war." iraq hillary-  
clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69  
76 7 Cleveland, Ohio  
5095.json pants-fire Says President Barack Obama is a socialist.  
government-regulation, new-hampshire-2012, patriotism rick-perry  
Governor Texas republican 30 30 42 23 18 a  
Republican debate in New Hampshire.  
11000.json false Wisconsin was literally broke when Republicans took  
office in January 2011. state-budget jim-steineke State  
Assembly representative Wisconsin republican 0 1 1 0  
0 a tweet  
3741.json barely-true About two-thirds of Medicaid beneficiaries are  
children, but they account for one-third of the programs cost, while one-  
third are elderly, and they account for two-thirds of the cost.  
children, federal-budget, health-care sherrod-brown U.S.  
Senator Ohio democrat 3 4 5 8 1 an interview on  
MSNBC  
8979.json barely-true Says Tom Cottons vote in Congress to change  
Medicare will increase out-of-pocket expenses for every senior in  
Arkansas. health-care, medicare, retirement mark-pryor U.S. Senator  
Arkansas democrat 2 0 0 1 0 a campaign ad  
3803.json mostly-true Says the Obama administration approved a major  
disaster declaration for Oklahoma in 2009, when nine of the states 77  
counties burned for about three days, while Texas wildfires have been  
burning for longer without such a declaration. natural-disasters  
todd-staples state agriculture commissioner Texas republican  
0 1 4 3 1 a Texas Tribune interview  
12087.json barely-true Our campaign depends on small donations for the  
majority of our support. campaign-finance hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 a victory speech after the March 15 primaries  
1712.json false Says Crist campaign website "has eliminated all  
references to our Republican Party." candidates-biography tom-grady  
State Representative Florida republican 0 1 0 0  
0 an e-mail to Crist.  
1093.json false On a cap-and-trade plan. cap-and-trade, climate-  
change, energy, environment sarah-palin Alaska republican 9  
19 9 6 6 a Washington Post op-ed  
3027.json half-true There hasnt really been a lot of net growth in the  
federal workforce when you compare it to say, 1990. government-  
efficiency, jobs gerry-connelly U.S. Representative Virginia  
democrat 1 0 4 1 0 an interview.  
4977.json barely-true The American Conservative Union gives [Rep. Tim]  
Ryan a dismal 0.0 percent rating for the billions he has contributed to

our national debt. deficit,federal-budget marish-agana  
 Pediatrician Ohio republican 1 0 0 0 0 a  
 news release announcing her candidacy  
 4689.json false The departments of Commerce, Education and Energy and  
 the EPA saw their spending increase by between 130 percent and 219  
 percent between 2008 and 2010. federal-budget,stimulus jeb-  
 hensarling U.S. Congressman Texas republican 0 2 1 0 1  
 a hearing of the congressional "Supercommittee"  
 9227.json barely-true Says he hasnt changed his view on abortion  
 restrictions. abortion charlie-crist Florida democrat  
 15 9 20 19 2 a TV interview  
 12927.json mostly-true Says the director of an anti-abortion group  
 receiving a Texas grant to provide womens health services believes HIV  
 can be spread through the sewer system. health-care,public-health  
 joaquin-castro attorney Texas democrat 1 0 1 2  
 0 a tweet about Carol Everett of the Heidi Group  
 3997.json half-true Says Rick Perry of Texas was the governor who  
 relied most on stimulus funds to close his states budget deficit in 2010.  
 state-budget,state-finances,stimulus martin-omalley Maryland  
 governor Maryland democrat 3 1 10 4 0 a press  
 release  
 13000.json barely-true Democrats are cutting our school funding. Four  
 times in the last 10 years before we came into office. education  
 bruce-rauner Governor Illinois republican 1 0 1  
 0 0 a speech at the Illinois State Fair  
 11704.json barely-true Says President Barack Obama himself has granted  
 waivers allowing into the United States refugees who provided material  
 support to terrorists. immigration,terrorism greg-abbott governor  
 Texas republican 11 3 8 6 5 a press conference  
 with Sen. Ted Cruz  
 11654.json mostly-true In almost every other country in the world,  
 artists and musicians are paid when their music is played on the radio.  
 In fact, the only countries besides the U.S. who do not have a radio-  
 performance right are China, Iran and North Korea.  
 china,congress,workers kevin-russell Leader, Shinyribs band  
 Texas none 0 0 0 1 0 an opinion column  
 340.json true "One man sacrificed for his country. One man opposed a  
 flawed strategy in Iraq. One man had the courage to call for change. One  
 man didn't play politics with the truth. One man stands up to the special  
 interests." iraq john-mccain U.S. senator Arizona republican 31  
 39 31 37 8 a TV ad airing in Virginia, the District of  
 Columbia and Maryland  
 6485.json half-true Says Paul Ryan supports banning all abortions,  
 even in cases of rape or incest. abortion barack-obama President  
 Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9 a tweet  
 9231.json false More than 1,000 American soldiers have lost their lives  
 in Afghanistan in the last 27 months. This is more than the combined  
 total of the nine years before. afghanistan,military chain-email  
 none 11 43 8 5 105 a chain email  
 10416.json mostly-true Weve doubled the production of clean energy.  
 energy barack-obama President Illinois democrat 70  
 71 160 163 9 a speech in Knoxville, Tenn.  
 12924.json true Most Americans support the legalization of marijuana.  
 drugs,marijuana,polls gary-johnson Presidential candidate New  
 Mexico libertarian 3 2 5 6 0 a Medium post  
 6816.json barely-true Under Barack Obama, the U.S. now has the lowest  
 workforce since (President Jimmy) Carter.  
 economy,history,jobs,message-machine-2012 american-future-fund

organization 3 2 0 0 0 a campaign ad

13172.json half-true A rural hospital in Missouri closes every 8 months. The legislatures failure to expand Medicaid has brought crisis to many of Missouris rural health care providers. medicaid chris-koster Attorney general of Missouri Missouri democrat 0 0 2 3 0 an Instagram post

13484.json pants-fire Harambe received 15,000 votes in the presidential election. elections,fake-news blog-posting none 7 19 3 5 44 articles on the Internet and social media posts

10869.json true The United States is one of only seven nations that allows elective abortions after 20 weeks post-fertilization. abortion family-foundation Virginia organization 0 0 0 0 0 a Facebook post.

9823.json false Says Thom Tillis gives tax breaks to yacht and jet owners. message-machine-2014,taxes,wealth senate-majority-pac political action committee Washington, D.C. democrat 3 4 4 1 0 a campaign ad

3738.json false During his time as House speaker, unemployment came down from 5.6 percent to under 4 (percent). job-accomplishments,jobs newt-gingrich Co-host on CNN's "Crossfire" Georgia republican 16 15 20 10 11 a campaign video

8552.json half-true Obamacare was the Republican plan in the early 90s. health-careellen-qualls democrat 0 0 1 0 0 comments on Fox News Channel

3044.json false We had an amendment in the health care law that said the federal government is going to take over education. education,health-care allen-west U.S. representative, Florida District 22 Florida republican 6 9 3 1 4 a Fox News TV show

6121.json barely-true (Assembly Democrats) wanted to raise the gas tax by \$2.4 billion. We said no to that....Theyre down on the ground. Theyre sweating. Theyre twitching. Its ugly, cause I keep saying no. taxes chris-christie Governor of New Jersey New Jersey republican 10 17 27 19 8 a video posted on YouTube

11261.json mostly-true Says he turned down a Medicaid expansion under Obamacare, but because of actions he took, for the first time in Wisconsin history everyone living in poverty is covered under Medicaid. health-care,medicaid,poverity,public-health,state-budget scott-walker Milwaukee County Executive Wisconsin republican 26 41 32 40 11 a speech

12392.json barely-true Says Patrick Murphy switched his vote on All Aboard Florida ... because his father tried to get in a bid to build it and was unsuccessful. congress,transportation alan-grayson U.S. House of Representatives Florida democrat 6 5 4 11 1 an interview with CBS4

4522.json barely-true Says U.S. Sen Sherrod Brown promised that the first stimulus bill would fund the Brent Spence Bridge. infrastructure,stimulus josh-mandel Ohio treasurer Ohio republican 4 5 4 5 6 a news release

8285.json barely-true Tampa got more (federal housing) money because they scored higher on the blight scoring system, so theyve got a much bigger problem than we do. housing,urban bill-foster Mayor, St. Petersburg Florida republican 1 0 2 2 0 a mayoral forum

12244.json true In nine Democratic debates, Weve not had one question about a womans right to make her own decisions about reproductive health care, not one question. abortion,debates hillary-clinton

Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
 7 a Democratic debate in Brooklyn  
 7667.json barely-true The Manchin-Toomey amendment would have  
 criminalized certain private transfers of firearms between honest  
 citizens, requiring lifelong friends, neighbors and some family members  
 to get government approval. corrections-and-updates, guns national-rifle-  
 association none 3 5 1 5 3 a statement  
 101.json barely-true "McCain Trying to Have it Both Ways on Iraq" iraq  
 democratic-national-committee none 8 2 10  
 8 0 a news release  
 2775.json true The budget submitted by Obama will add more to the debt  
 than the outstanding debt of the previous 43 presidents combined.  
 deficit, federal-budget eric-cantor House Majority Leader Virginia  
 republican 9 6 4 4 4 a letter to the editor of  
 the Richmond Times-Dispatch  
 1909.json half-true "I've issued a six-month moratorium on deepwater  
 drilling." energy, oil-spill barack-obama President Illinois  
 democrat 70 71 160 163 9 an address from the Oval  
 Office  
 13203.json false Toomey and Trump will ban abortion and punish women who  
 have them. abortion naral-pro-choice Washington, D.C.  
 organization 2 1 0 0 1 an ad.  
 8303.json half-true Tuition at Rutgers has increased 10 percent since  
 Gov. Chris Christie took office because he cut funding for higher  
 education. education, state-finances barbara-buono State Senator  
 New Jersey democrat 3 1 4 4 1 a speech to  
 students at the Rutgers New Brunswick campus  
 10466.json barely-true The reason we even have colleges is that at some  
 point there were politicians who said, You know what? We should start  
 colleges. education, history barack-obama President Illinois  
 democrat 70 71 160 163 9 an interview with YouTube  
 celebrity Bethany Mota  
 9229.json half-true Capital Metro originally said MetroRails yearly  
 operating costs would be about \$2.5 million. Last year ... it cost \$13  
 million to operate. taxes, transportation bob-cole Co-owner and  
 morning show host, KOKE FM, Austin Texas none 0 0 1 0 0  
 morning radio show on KOKE-FM  
 8498.json mostly-true Providence has more of its pension fund invested  
 in hedge funds and is less transparent about it than the state.  
 city-budget, labor, pensions, retirement, state-budget, state-  
 finances, transparency gina-raimondo venture capital company founder  
 Rhode Island democrat 2 1 2 5 1 a  
 fundraising letter.  
 11887.json true Says President John F. Kennedy released a star Green Bay  
 Packer from military reserve duty so that he could play in the 1961 NFL  
 Championship Game. history, military, sports j-jacobs  
 journalist 0 0 0 0 0 an interview  
 11895.json barely-true If the General Assembly does not address the  
 states structural deficit, more than 23,000 education professionals will  
 be immediately yanked out of Pennsylvania schools. state-budget tom-  
 wolf Candidate for governor Pennsylvania democrat 1 0 0  
 0 0 his budget proposal address  
 1385.json half-true Says he brought 1,200 jobs to Texas by moving his  
 factories here from China. economy, job-accomplishments farouk-shami  
 Businessman Texas democrat 1 2 2 0 1 a TV ad  
 6097.json mostly-true U.S. Rep. Paul Broun has not authored any  
 legislation that has been adopted by Congress. congress, voting-

record        stephen-simpson        Georgia        republican 0        0        0  
1        0        an article  
1652.json    half-true    On recess appointments.        foreign-policy,legal-  
issues,workers    barack-obama        President    Illinois        democrat        70  
71        160        163        9        a prepared statement  
1950.json    pants-fire    "Four years as a congressman, he [U.S. Rep. Hank  
Johnson] never talked about MARTA."        transportation        vernon-jones  
             democrat        0        0        1        1        1        a candidate  
forum  
8685.json    true        Texas has the highest rate of uninsured in the nation.  
... And there are more uninsured children in Texas than in any other  
state.        health-care kathleen-sebelius U.S. Health and Human Services  
Secretary    Kansas        democrat        1        0        1        3        1        an opinion  
column  
9200.json    false        Eighty percent of Wall Street executives and their  
spouses donations go to Democrats. campaign-finance, financial-regulation  
louie-gohmert        U.S. House member Texas republican 2        6        1  
0        1        a speech at the New Hampshire Freedom Summit  
2374.json    false        Like me, Scott Walker opposed the 1998 transportation  
bill and the \$9 billion of wasteful spending. federal-budget, message-  
machine,taxes        jim-sensenbrenner Member of Congress        Wisconsin  
republican 2        4        1        0        0        a radio ad for the Scott  
Walker gubernatorial campaign  
2533.json    half-true    Newspapers say Florida made bad investments, lost  
hundreds of millions of dollars, billions in pension funds lost. Who was  
in charge of Floridas investments? Alex Sink. financial-  
regulation,message-machine,retirement,state-budget republican-party-  
florida        republican 10        6        6        6        4        a campaign  
ad  
5416.json    true        Says 80 percent of the health care dollars are spent by  
20 percent of the population.        health-care,public-health        alan-bates  
State Senator        Oregon        democrat        0        0        0        0        0  
a floor speech.  
2557.json    false        Steve Southerland did not pay his taxes in 05, 06, 07,  
08 or 09.    message-machine,taxes    allen-boyd        Florida        democrat  
0        1        0        1        0        a TV ad  
5087.json    false        Eliminating Obamacare ... saves \$95 billion a year.  
federal-budget,health-care,new-hampshire-2012 mitt-romney Former  
governor        Massachusetts        republican 34        32        58        33        19        a  
presidential primary debate in New Hampshire  
8960.json    mostly-true There are 4.7 percent of Virginians who are  
minimum wage earners who are over 25 years of age working full-time and  
trying to raise a family.        families,workers mark-obenshain        State  
senator        Virginia        republican 1        0        1        2        0        a floor  
debate.  
3362.json    false        Says broken compact fluorescent light bulbs allegedly  
cause migraines and epilepsy attacks.        consumer-  
safety,environment,public-health    phyllis-schlaflly Founder, Eagle Forum  
Missouri        republican 0        1        0        0        0        an e-mail blast.  
9844.json    false        At least a quarter of those apprehended at the border  
have criminal records. crime,immigration david-dewhurst        Lieutenant  
governor        Texas republican 8        8        10        5        5        a news story  
9292.json    half-true    Says Rick Scotts record on jobs includes Florida  
ranked 2nd in the nation in long-term unemployment. economy,workers  
charlie-crist        Florida        democrat        15        9        20        19  
2        a post on his campaign website  
6119.json    barely-true Says President Obamas new immigration plan is  
amnesty.        immigration jim-demint President, Heritage Foundation

South Carolina republican 4 4 0 0 1 a news release

12371.json true For the first time in over 40 years, Republicans dont hold a single statewide office in Virginia. elections, historyed-gillespie Republican strategist Washington, D.C. republican 2 3 2 2 1 a speech

7665.json true Polls show that Americans overwhelmingly support expanding background checks. guns gabrielle-giffords U.S. Representative Arizona democrat 0 0 0 1 0 an op-ed in the "New York Times"

8576.json true Nearly 20% of our residents are born abroad. city-government, diversity, families, immigration, population city-austin Texas none 1 0 0 0 0 a press release

6637.json false When it comes to jobless workers, Mitt Romney says he likes to fire people. candidates-biography, workers jack-markell governor Delaware democrat 0 1 0 0 0 a speech at the Democratic National Convention in Charlotte, N.C.

9096.json mostly-true A child born in America today will inherit \$1.5 million in debt the moment theyre placed in their mothers arms. debt, federal-budget john-mccallum Georgia republican 0 0 0 1 0 a video

7698.json true Says the U.S. fleet of attack submarines is scheduled to fall below the 48 boats that Navy says it needs to carry out current missions. federal-budget, military randy-forbes Representative Virginia republican 1 0 4 3 0 a column.

10547.json true Georgias share of money from the Federal Highway Trust Fund declined 12 percent between 2008 and 2013. state-budget, state-finances, transportation associated-press journalists none 0 0 0 0 in a newspaper article

187.json half-true "Americans spend 100-million hours a year filling out these forms (FAFSA). That is the equivalent of 55,500 full-time jobs." education hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 Plymouth, N.H.

2470.json pants-fire If you look at the application for a security clearance, I have a clearance that even the president of the United States cannot obtain because of my background. candidates-biography, military allen-west U.S. representative, Florida District 22 Florida republican 6 9 3 1 4 a candidate forum

6045.json pants-fire Says Hawaii Gov. Neil Abercrombie made a late-night visit to Kinkos to forge President Barack Obamas birth certificate two days before Obama unveiled it to the media. obama-birth-certificate chain-email none 11 43 8 5 105 e-mail messages circulating on the Internet

339.json true In the Illinois Legislature, Barack Obama "voted 'present,' instead of yes or no" on seven votes involving abortion rights. abortion hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 Iowa

11004.json true If you want to vote in Texas, you can use a concealed-weapon permit as a valid form of identification, but a valid student ID isnt good enough. elections, states hillary-clinton Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76 7 a speech in Houston

11337.json mostly-true Says the cascading effects of climate change contributed to the rise of ISIS. climate-change, environment, foreign-policy, terrorism martin-omalley Maryland governor Maryland democrat 3 1 10 4 0 interview with Democracy Now!

4250.json pants-fire Says state Rep. Sandy Pasch, her recall opponent, voted to allow public school employees to use taxpayer dollars to pick up the tab for Viagra. health-care,unions alberta-darling State Senator, 8th District Wisconsin republican 1 1 2 1 1 a TV ad and campaign flier

631.json pants-fire Barack Obama "rejects everyone white, including his mother and his grandparents." candidates-biography jerome-corsi author New Jersey constitution-party 0 2 0 0 1 his book <i>The Obama Nation</i>.

9351.json pants-fire A company hired to do Common Core testing in Florida will attract every one of your children to become as homosexual as they possibly can. corrections-and-updates,education,gays-and-lesbians charles-van-zant Member of Florida House of Representatives Florida republican 0 1 1 0 1 speech in March publicized May 16 by Think Progress

5746.json true The U.S. Supreme Court has not traditionally asked a lot of questions during oral arguments. supreme-court clarence-thomas U.S. Supreme Court Justice Georgia none 0 0 0 0 0 a speech

4136.json half-true Fracturing or horizontally fracturing the shale to open up larger pockets of natural gas ... has been used for over 60 years and, as of 2009, over 80,000 wells have been fracked in Ohio. energy,environment kris-jordan State senator Ohio republican 0 0 1 1 0 a speech in the Ohio Senate

1681.json barely-true In 2004, "20 percent of U.S. households were getting about 75 percent of their income from the federal government. ... Another 20 percent were receiving almost 40 percent." economy,federal-budget,medicare,retirement,social-security,taxes paul-ryan U.S. Representative Wisconsin republican 19 6 16 14 2 a speech to the Oklahoma Council of Public Affairs

5074.json mostly-true We are now eighth in the nation in job creation . . . we are No. 1 in the Midwest. economy,job-accomplishments,jobs john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio republican 9 8 10 18 3 a news conference

4195.json barely-true In Europe, church attendance rates (are) in the single digits because churches are supported by taxes. new-hampshire-2012 rick-santorum Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13 7 5 a house party in Henniker, N.H.

3931.json barely-true Says George LeMieux even compared Marco Rubio to Barack Obama. candidates-biography adam-hasner Florida republican 2 1 4 4 0 an Internet ad

4883.json true Says Barack Obama promised to halve the deficit in his first term. deficit,economy matt-mackowiak Consultant Texas republican 2 1 0 0 0 an opinion column.

6795.json barely-true Says the government has gotten the TARP money back plus a profit. financial-regulation bill-clinton former president Arkansas democrat 4 2 12 11 3 an interview on "The Daily Show"

9818.json barely-true Points of Light is the worlds largest volunteer organization. job-accomplishments michelle-nunn Chief Executive Officer, Points of Light Foundation Georgia democrat 3 0 1 2 0 television ad

8573.json half-true Says Mark Pryor cut Medicare to pay for Obamacare. health-care,medicare tom-cotton U.S. House of Representatives Arkansas republican 3 4 2 3 1 a campaign ad

13184.json mostly-true Says Tim Kaine actually tried to raise taxes by about \$4 billion. candidates-biography,debt,deficit,history,taxes

mike-pence Governor Indiana republican 8 10 12 5  
0 the 2016 Vice Presidential debate

11559.json mostly-true Says Marco Rubio is proposing a new \$1 trillion  
welfare program in tax credits and \$1 trillion in new military spending.  
children,families,federal-budget,military,taxes,welfare rand-paul  
Candidate for U.S. Senate and physician Kentucky republican 7  
8 10 12 3 a debate

9241.json true I am the only senator who turned down the state pension  
plan for part-time legislators. pensions don-balfour  
republican 0 0 0 2 0 campaign flier

8902.json mostly-true Female buffalo lead the herd.  
animals,candidates-biography hugh-fitzsimons Rancher Texas  
democrat 0 0 0 1 0 a blog post on campaign  
website

12511.json false There is no system to vet refugees from the Middle East.  
immigration,terrorism donald-trump President-Elect New York  
republican 63 114 51 37 61 a speech on terrorism and  
immigration

7285.json pants-fire Says Chris Christies plan to kick-start our  
economy is to propose an income tax cut that disproportionately benefits  
the wealthy, and...hes still proposing it. taxes barbara-buono  
State Senator New Jersey democrat 3 1 4 4 1  
an interview on bluejersey.com

1005.json pants-fire Obama used \$20 million in federal money to  
emmigrate (sic) Hamas Refugees to the USA. foreign-policy chain-  
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609.json half-true On offshore drilling. energy barack-obama  
President Illinois democrat 70 71 160 163 9

9436.json barely-true We came out of the White House not only dead  
broke, but in debt. candidates-biography,elections hillary-clinton  
Presidential candidate New York democrat 40 29 69 76  
7 an interview on ABC

5671.json false I think its seven or eight of the California system of  
universities dont even teach an American history course. Its not even  
available to be taught. education,historyrick-santorum  
Pennsylvania republican 12 16 13 7 5 in a  
speech in Wisconsin

6699.json pants-fire Sen. Bob Menendez voted to enact a new tax on the  
sale of homes of 3.8%. health-care,housing,income,taxes menendez-facts  
none 0 0 0 0 1 a blog

7334.json half-true Says his budget provides the highest state funding  
level in history for education. education rick-scott Governor  
Florida republican 28 23 38 34 7 a news  
conference

9788.json barely-true Ive been here almost every day. civil-  
rights,crime,criminal-justice jay-nixon Governor Missouri  
democrat 2 0 0 1 0 on ABC's "This Week"

10710.json barely-true In the early 1980s, Sen. Edward Kennedy secretly  
offered to help Soviet leaders counter the Reagan administrations  
position on nuclear disarmament. bipartisanship,congress,foreign-  
policy,history mackubin-thomas-owens senior fellow, Foreign Policy  
Research Institute Rhode Island columnist 1 0 0 0  
0 a commentary in The Providence Journal

3186.json barely-true Says an EPA permit languished under Strickland but  
his new EPA director got it done in two days. environment,government-  
efficiency john-kasich Governor of Ohio as of Jan. 10, 2011 Ohio  
republican 9 8 10 18 3 a news conference



6743.json false Says the governor is going around the state talking  
about [how] we should fund an income tax cut that benefits higher income  
earners and not lower income earners state-budget,state-finances,taxes  
john-burzichelli democrat 1 1 0 0 0  
an interview with NJToday