

In an article in The New York Times yesterday, it was reported that Representative Bertram L. Podell had said that he had evidence of "the birth and death of an anti-trust action" against the Precision Valve Corporation. The article, as edited, failed to note that Archibald Cox, then Watergate special prosecutor, had said that his staff and the F.B.I. had found "no evidence of any improper conduct" by the Justice Department.

The Times reported Wednesday that President Nixon had been told the Republicans were in danger of losing a Senate seat in North Dakota because of the retirement of Milton R. Young. Senator Young said yesterday that, contrary to earlier reports, he had decided to seek reelection in 1974.

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