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**A:** Oxymercuration of the alkyne. **B:** Tautomerization of the enol. **C:** Demercuration to regenerate  $\text{Hg}(\text{OTf})_2$ .