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Standing in the East Room of the surrounded by Senators, Representatives, Cabinet officers and members of seconds came back the signal from New Orleans, more than a thousand Crescent City.

power of the electric fluid and annihil- 4.786 in the latter. ates time and space, may we not gather a useful lesson in another direction land State which gave Blaine a larger from this interesting incident?

The Government at Washington is the head of the nation. All eyes are directed towards it from every part of the Union for guidance and example. .It holds command of the current which, for good or for evil, passes through every portion of our system and virtually sets in motion the ma_ chinery of State administration, commerce and finance, as well as of politics. When the National Government is conducted on a high stand of public honor the character of the people in every situation in life is ennobled. When official integrity stands unimpeached at Washington we have faithul public servants everywhere as a rule. When official rascality meets with swift and certain punishment at the hands of the national authorities, improbity everywhere hides its head. When the chiefs for? of the nation are honest the people are incorruptible.

by a finger stained with gift-taking, bery and political knavery, and the lic. stained current that spreads through the system debases and degrades as it goes. When the Presidency is dishonored, the public service corrupt, official crime unpunished and rascality honored and rewarded, all business is demoralized and rottenness eats into public and private life alike.

Who doubts that Grantism and change its name. Hayesism are responsible for the Jay Goulds, the Blaines, the Stanley Matthewses, the Starrouters, the Howgates, the Enos, the Ferdinand Wards, and so on to the least conspicuous of public corruptionists and violators of trusts with whom the country has swarmed during Republican rule?

What a lesson this little incident of the far-away Exposition might have taught President Arthur if it had occurred at the commencement of his term instead it at all needed-may it teach the Presi- so rapidly." "Grows in such soft, airy dent-elect who goes into the White House with the advantage of new and clean machinery! It will be President Cleveland's noble mission so to press always going the other way." the button as to transmit through our entire system a new current of public honor which will raise the standard of official and personal integrity, restore public confidence, dignity the public service and drive out corruption from ts lurking places, whether in public or private life.

The Portland, (Me.) Press. a Repub. lican organ, prints some statistics which must be anything but consolatory to Republicans, with the philosophic remark that they are cold facts which it does no good to ignore or disguise. They are to the following effect, says the News and Observer:

In the election of 1880 the total vote of the six New England States for President was 739,551. This year it was 745,036, an increase of only 5,485, which is very small and not in proportion to the increase of population. The vote of 1880 exceeded that of 1876 by 69,319. Three of the States increased their total votes as follows: Massachusetts, 20,536; Connecticut, 3,499; Rhode Island, 3,544. The decrease in the other To all who are suffering from the errors 13,249; New Hampshire, 1,897; Vermont, 6,946.

The total vote of the New England States for Garfield was 414,929; the total for Blaine was 384,828, a falling off in the Republicau vote of 30,101. The vote for Hancock was 311.435; for Cleveland 310,346, a falling off in the Democratic vote of 1.089. The vote for Weaver was 11,803, for Butler 31,967, an icrese of 20,164. The vote for Dow was 1,384, for St. John 17,895,

an increase of 16,511. In 1880 in New England Garfield pair of shoes for wife, a nice Slipper for ps, a had a plurality over Hancock of 103, 494. This year Blaine has a plurality neat little Shoe for baby. We can furnish over Cleveland of 76,146, a loss of 27,_ 348. Maine is the only one of these Staies which inceased its Republican plurality, the gain being 11,201. The losses in the other States were as fol- Geo. R. French & Sons, lows: New Hampshire 58, Vermont 6,182, Massachusetts 28,873, Rhode Is-

land 780. Connecticut, which gave a Republican plurality of 2,656 in 1880, gave the Democrats a plurality of 1,214 this year, a net loss of 3,870. Net loss in pluralities in the five States 39,763.

1880 all of the New England States gave the Republican candidate majorities over all others as follows: Maine 4.367, New Hampshire 3,350, Vermont 26,036, Massachusetts 43,015. Rhode Island 7,160, Connecticut 1,379-an White House yesterday, says the World, aggregate of 90.307. This year the Republicans are in a minority in two States, but the six combined, neverthethe Diplomatic Corps, President less, give a Republican majority of 25,-Arthur pressed the index finger of his 080-a loss of 65,227. Maine alone inleft hand on an electric button. In ten creases its Republican majorities, as well as its plurality, the figures being 4,367 for 1880 and 13,956 for 1884. The miles away, that the electric current majority in New Hampshire feil from thus sent from Washington had set in 3.350 to 1,875; in Vermont from 26,036 motion the whole of the vast machinery to 18,672; in Rhode Island from 7,160 in the Exposition Building in the to 5,296. The Republican majority of 48,015 in Massachusetts and 1,379 in While we marvel at the progress of Connecticut were changed into minoriscience which thus develops the mighty ties of 9 933 in the former State and

Rhode Island is the only New Engvote than it gave Garfield, the increase being 835. In Maine the Republican vote this year was 1,830 less than it was four years ago; in Massachusetts it was 18,480 less; in New Hampshire 1,686 less; in Vermont 7,156 less; in Connecticut 1,333 less, and in all New England about 30,000 less. Three States, Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, gave Cleyeland a larger vote than Hancock bad, and the others gave him a smaller vote.

Assuming that the Republican candidates were acceptable, and on the whole as strong with the people as any that could have been nominated, on what grounds, significantly asks the Press, is the indifference of the New England people, shown by their small total vote. and particularly by the falling off in the Republican strength to be accounted

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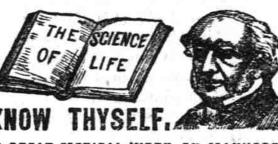
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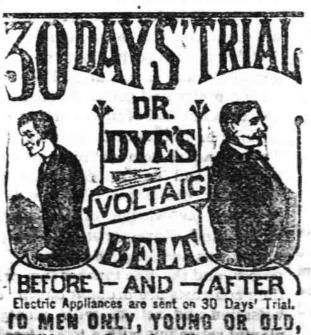
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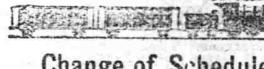
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