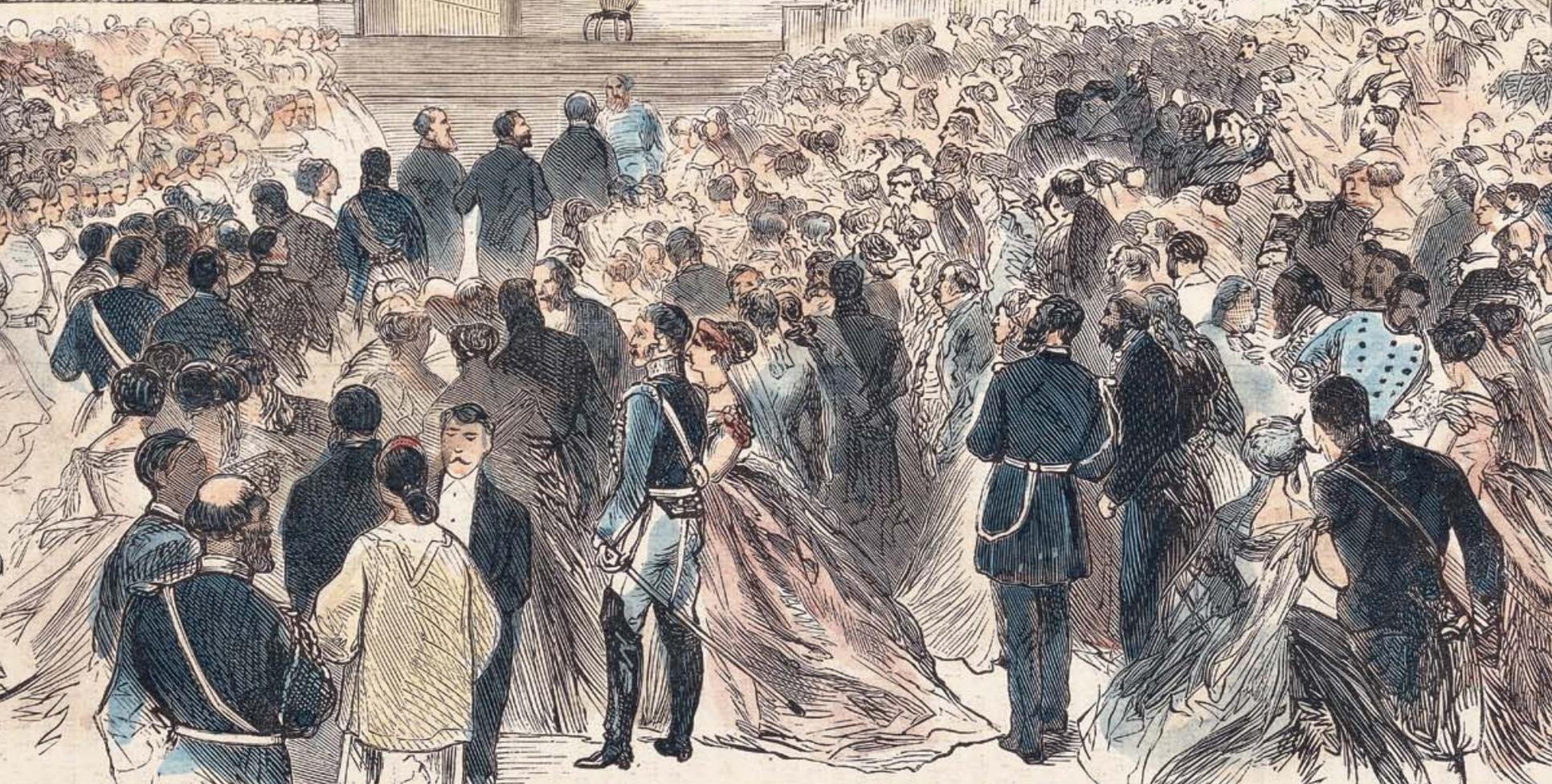


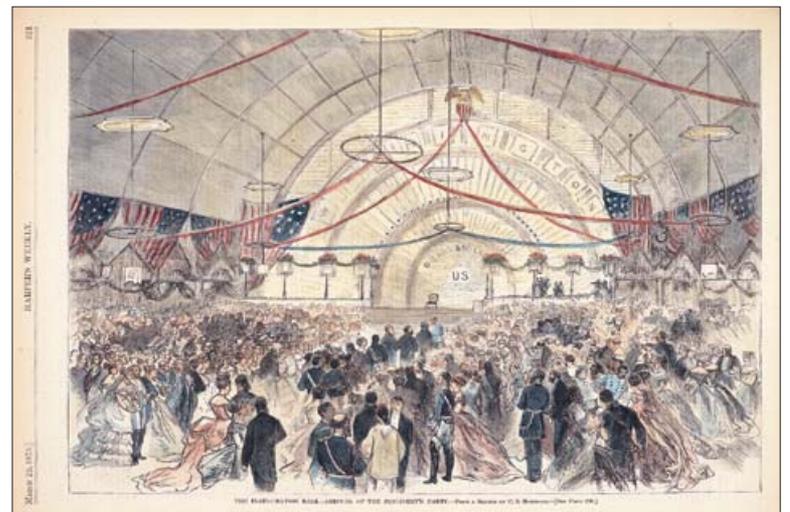
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President Ulysses S. Grant's second inauguration on March 4, 1873, was the coldest on record, with near-zero temperatures, snow, sleet, and bitter winds. Despite the weather, the day's festivities continued, with the inauguration ceremony at the Capitol, the traditional parade review at the White House, a spectacular fireworks display, and the grand ball. The ball, however, was a disaster. It was held in a temporary structure on Judiciary Square, designed to house more than 6,000 guests. It was described as "gayly decorated and brilliantly lighted,"¹ however, no heating equipment had been installed. Women and men danced with their coats on, food and drink froze solid, and musicians were barely able to play their frigid instruments. Canaries had been imported to sing to the guests, but instead dropped dead in their cages from the cold. The president and his cabinet arrived about 11:30 p.m. to strains of the U.S. Navy Band's "Hail to the Chief," but stayed only a short time before being whisked into a nearby private, heated room for supper. Only about half the guests attended the ball, and by midnight everyone had gone home. Undoubtedly, this *Harper's Weekly* engraving is an idealized view of the festivities. ❧

¹ "The Second Inauguration," *Harper's Weekly*, 22 March 1873, 980.



The Inauguration Ball—Arrival of the President's Party.

Unidentified after Charles S. Reinhart
Harper's Weekly, 03/22/1873
 Wood engraving, hand-colored
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Washington, D.C.—The Inauguration of President Hayes—Mrs. Grant Entertaining President and Mrs. Hayes and Party at Lunch, in the White House, after the Inauguration, on March 5th.

Unidentified after Albert Berghaus and Harry Ogden
Frank Leslie's Illustrated Newspaper, 03/24/1877
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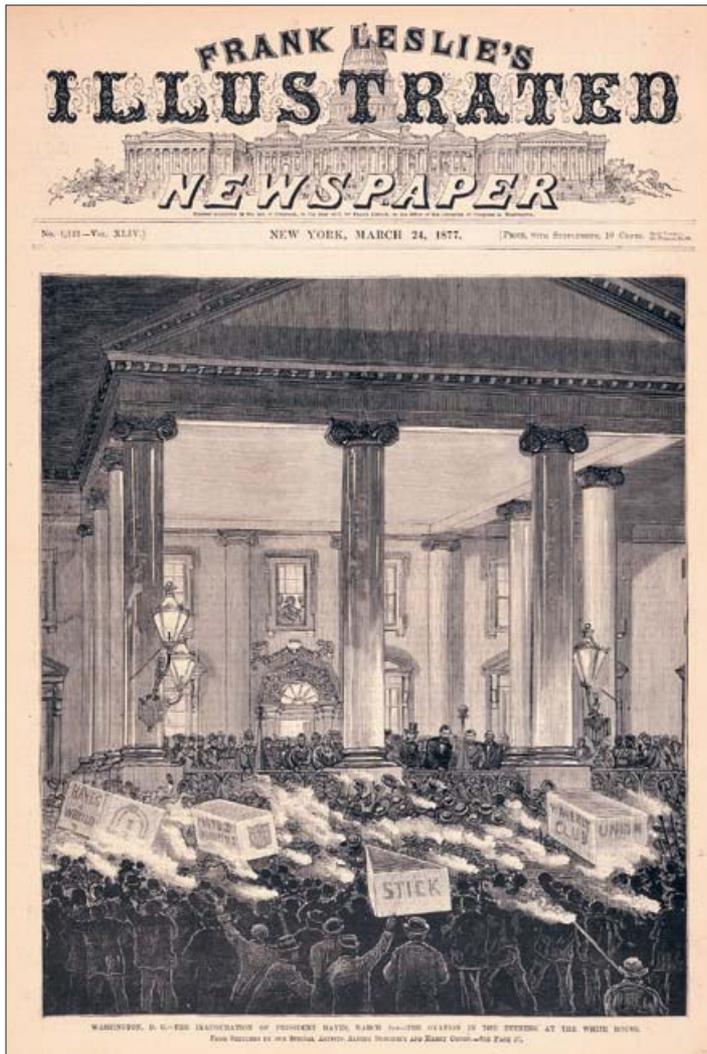
Washington, D.C.—The Inauguration of President Hayes—The Torchlight Procession, on the Evening of March 5th, Marching up Pennsylvania Avenue towards the White House.

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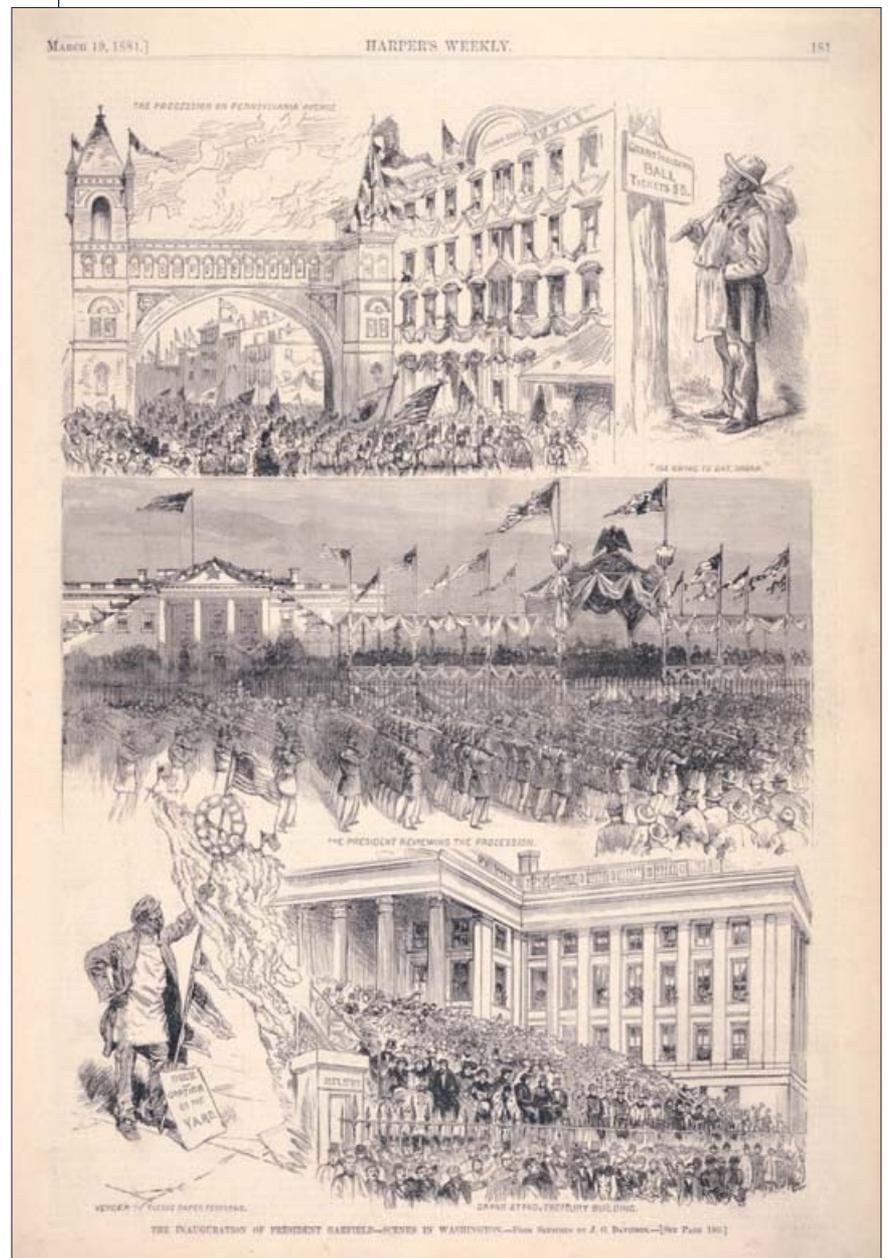
Our New President—Pennsylvania Avenue at Night, March 5.

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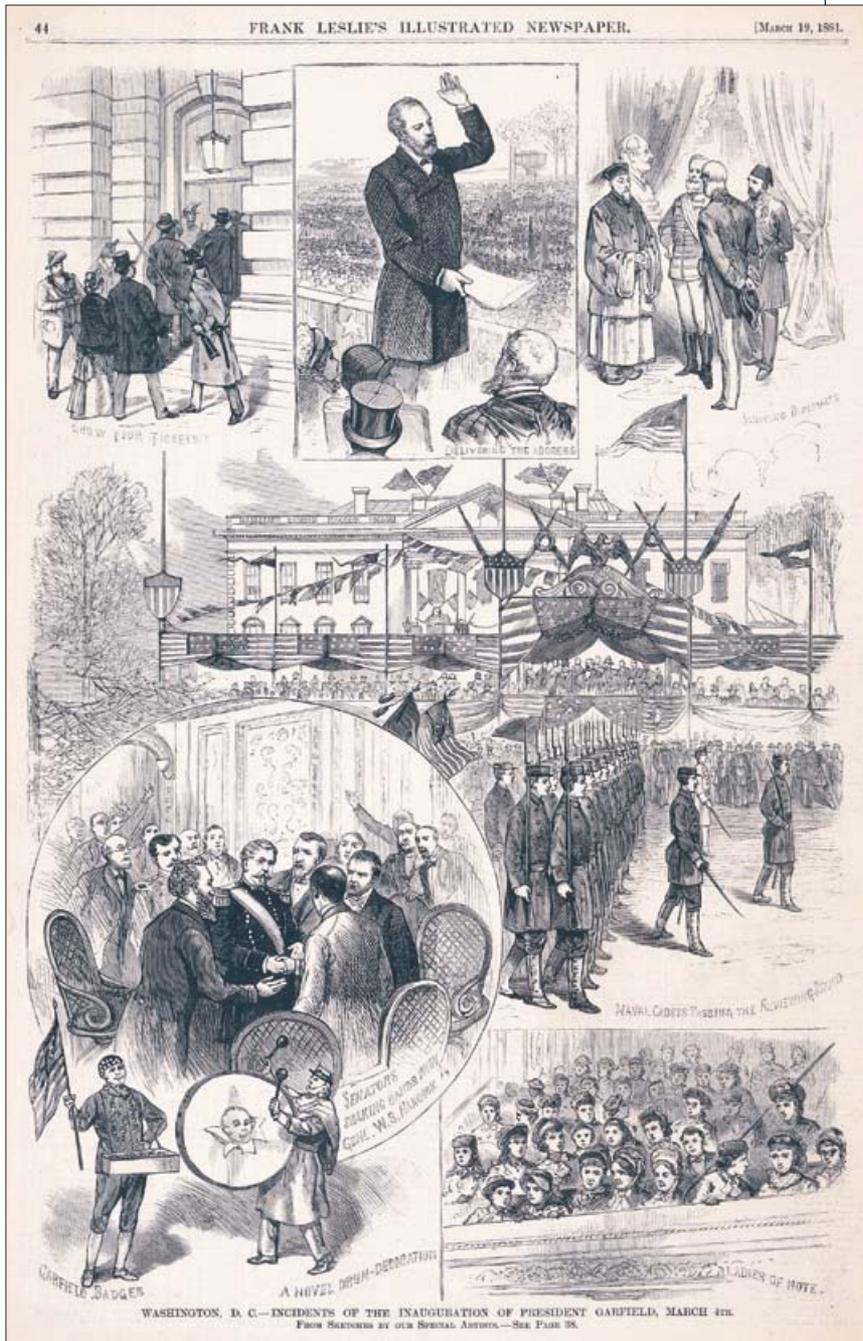
Washington, D.C.—The Inauguration of President Hayes, March 5th —The Ovation in the Evening at the White House.

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The Inauguration of President Garfield—Scenes in Washington.

Unidentified after J. O. Davidson
Harper's Weekly, 03/19/1881
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Washington, D.C.—Incidents of the Inauguration of President Garfield, March 4th.

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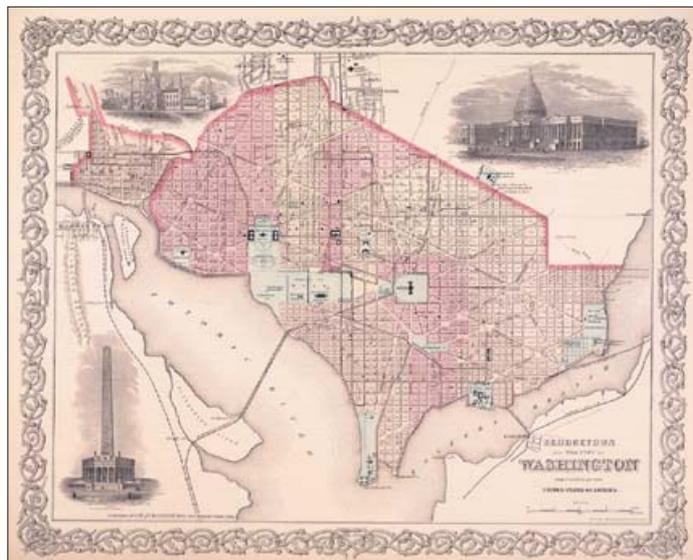
The Inauguration—President Arthur and Mr. Cleveland Leaving the White House for the Capitol.

Unidentified after Thure de Thulstrup
Harper's Weekly, 03/14/1885
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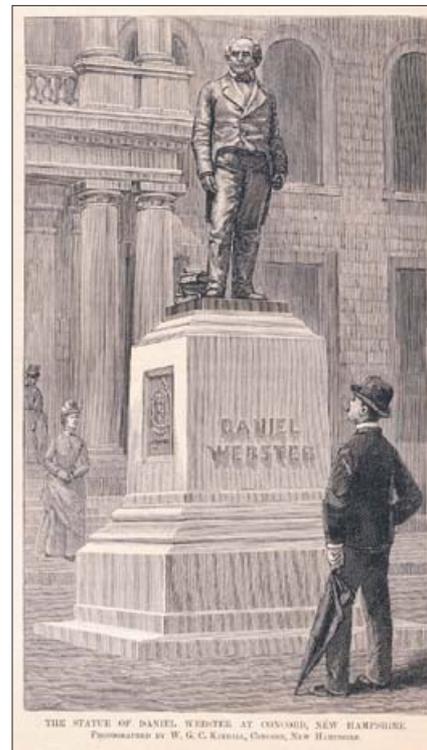
Sketches in Washington before the Inauguration.

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Harper's Weekly, 03/09/1889
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Georgetown and the City of Washington[,] the Capital of the United States of America.

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 G. W. and C. B. Colton & Co., 1882
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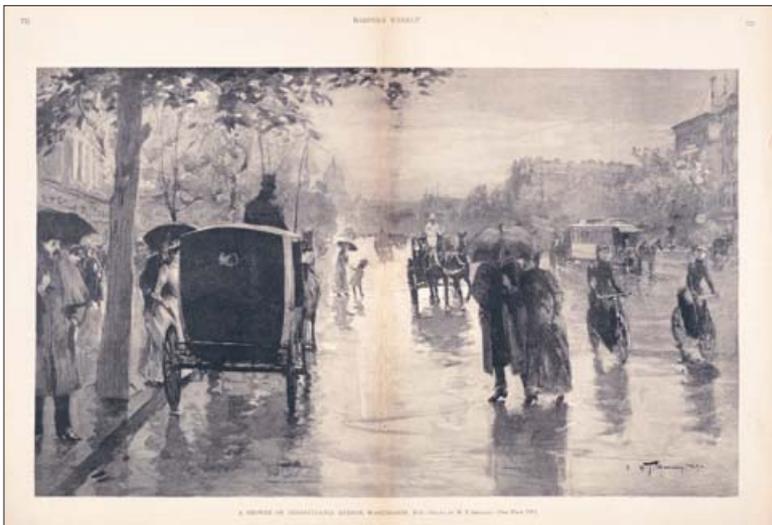
The Statue of Daniel Webster at Concord, New Hampshire.

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 by W. G. C. Kimball
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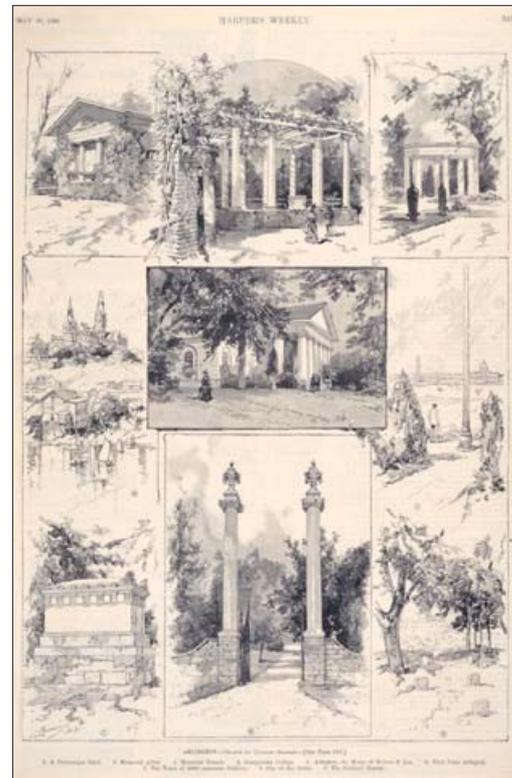
The Inauguration Ceremonies—President Cleveland and Ex-President Harrison Returning from the Capitol.

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Harper's Weekly, 03/11/1893
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A Shower on Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D.C.

Unidentified after William T. Smedley
Harper's Weekly, 10/04/1890
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Arlington.

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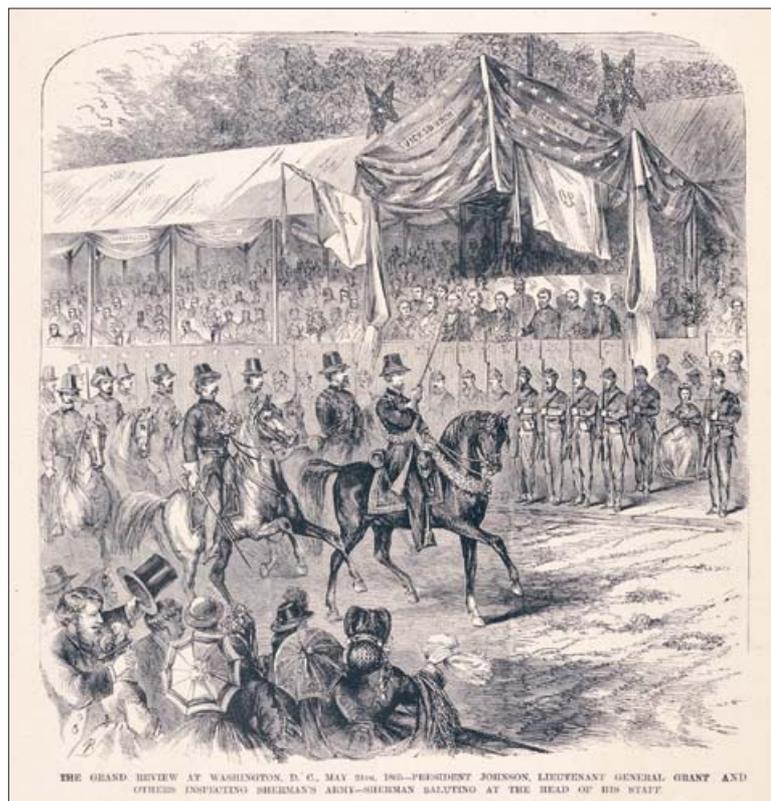
Grand Review of the Armies of the United States, at Washington, D.C., May 23, 1865.—Troops Marching up Pennsylvania Avenue, before Passing the Reviewing Stand.

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The Civil War in the United States, ca. 1895
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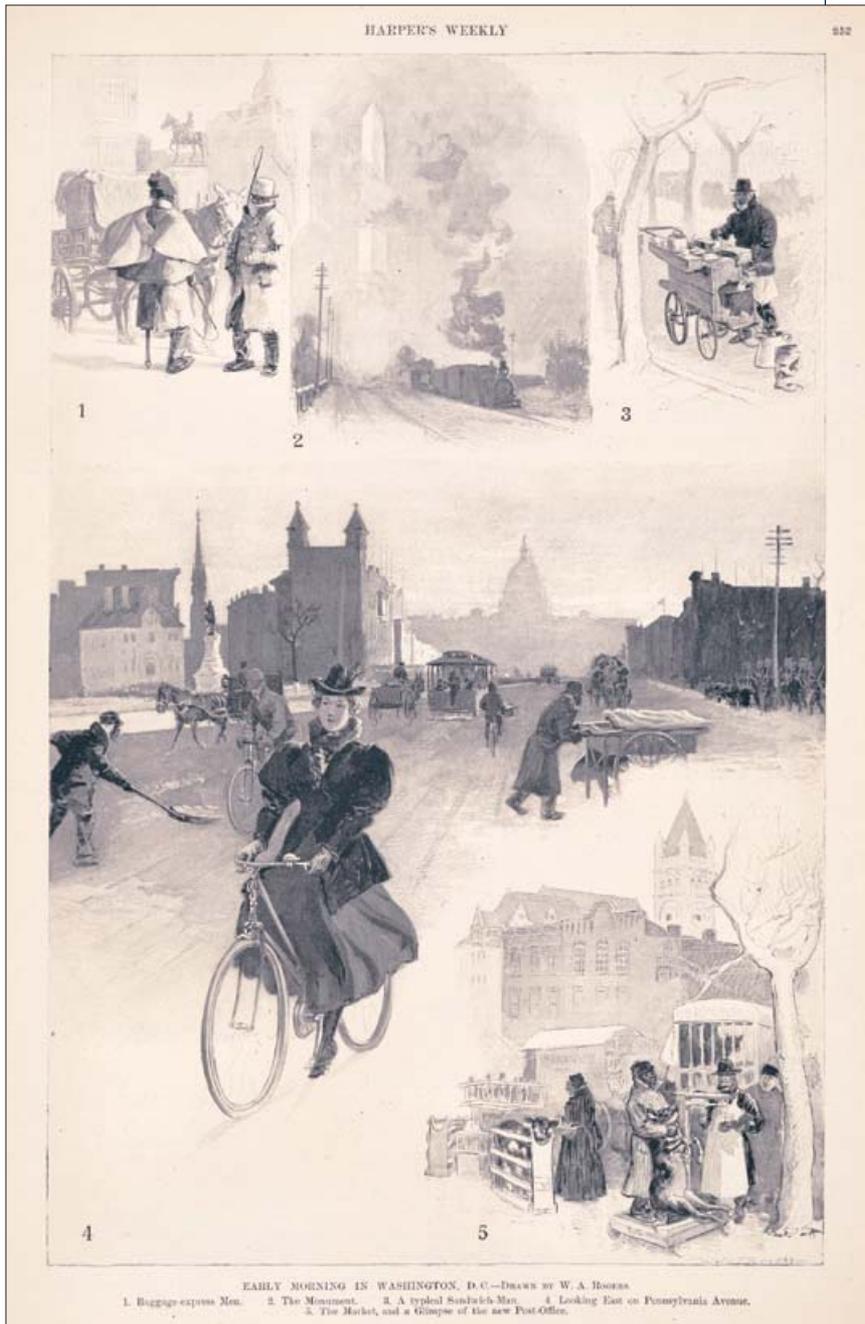
The Closing Feature of Inauguration Day—The Ball in the Pension-Office Building, Washington.

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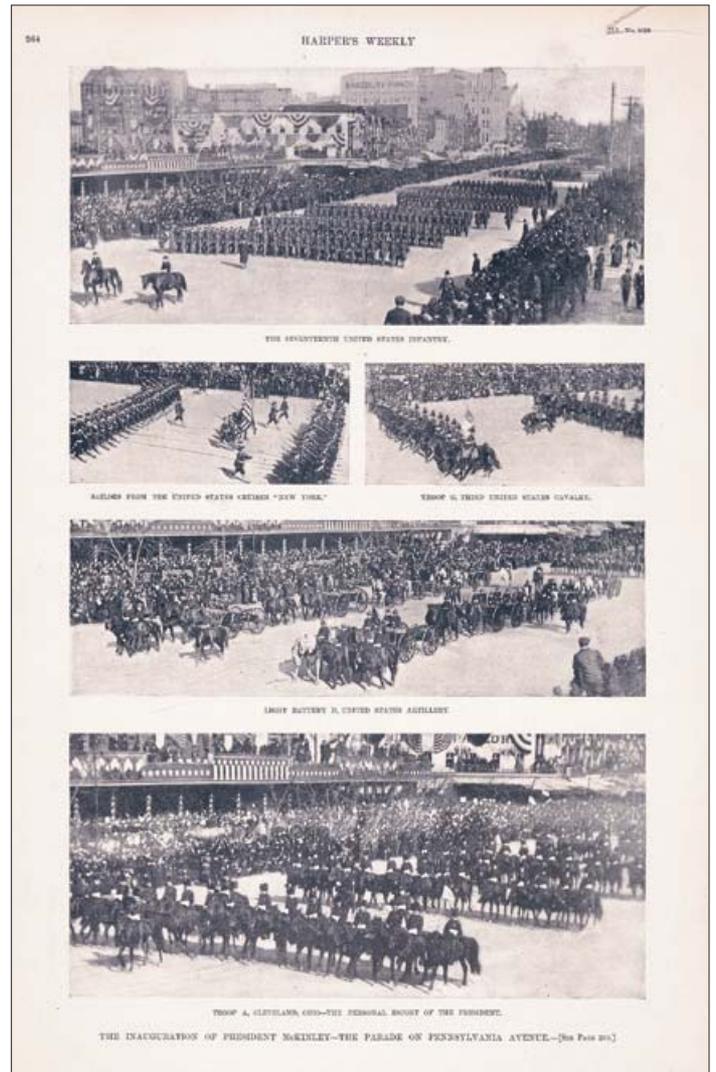
The Grand Review at Washington, D.C., May 24th, 1865— President Johnson, Lieutenant General Grant and Others Inspecting Sherman's Army—Sherman Saluting at the Head of His Staff.

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Frank Leslie's Illustrated History of the Civil War, 1895
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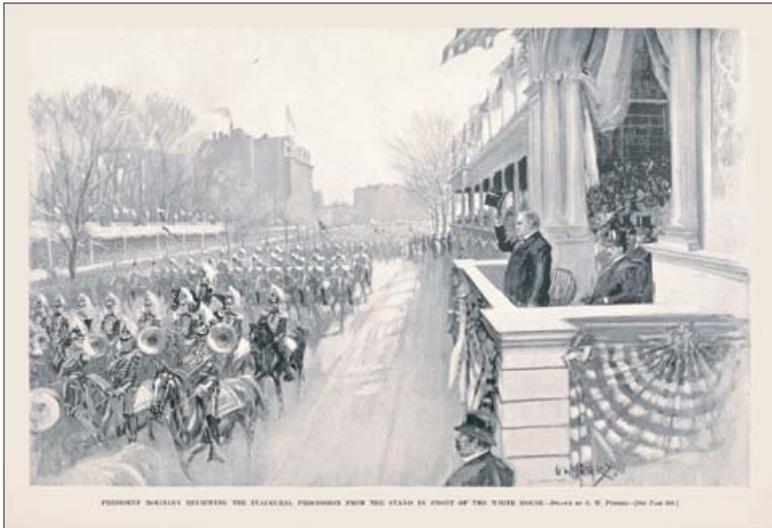
Early Morning in Washington, D.C.

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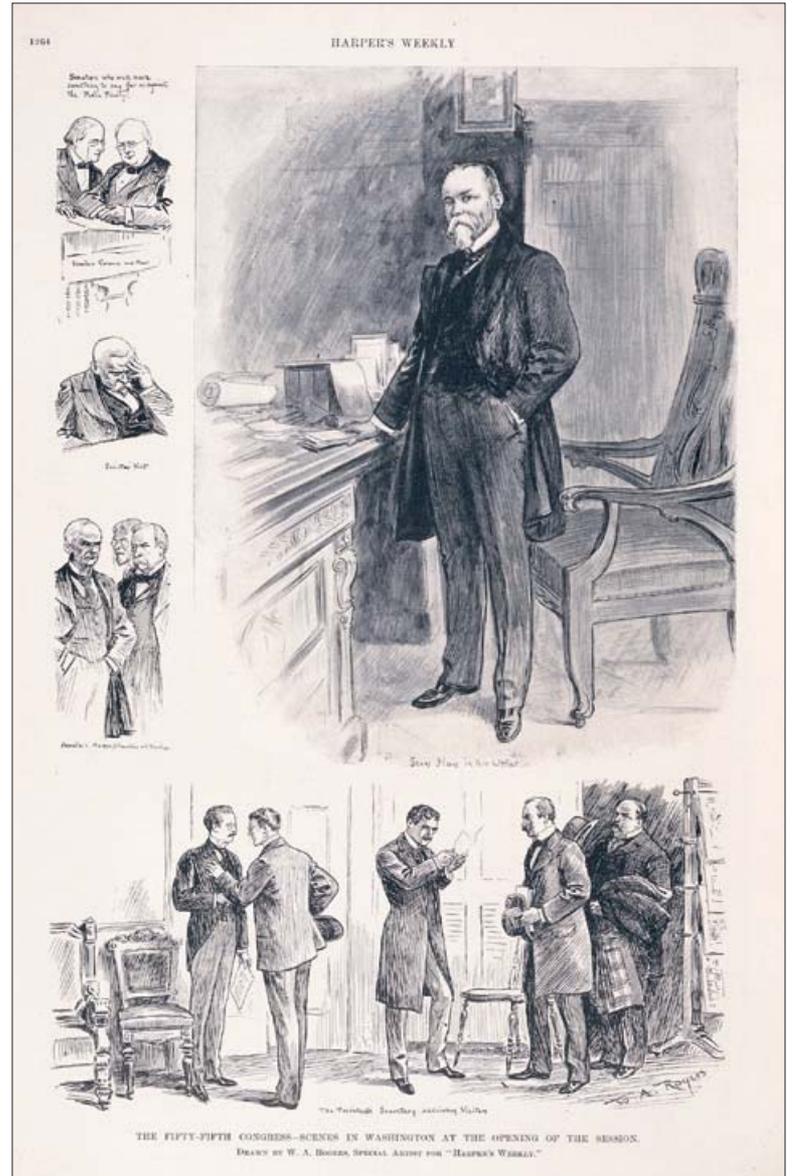
The Inauguration of President McKinley—The Parade on Pennsylvania Avenue.

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President McKinley Reviewing the Inaugural Procession from the Stand in Front of the White House.

Unidentified after G. W. Peters
Harper's Weekly, 03/13/1897
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The Fifty-Fifth Congress—Scenes in Washington at the Opening of the Session.

Unidentified after William Allen Rogers
Harper's Weekly, 12/24/1898
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