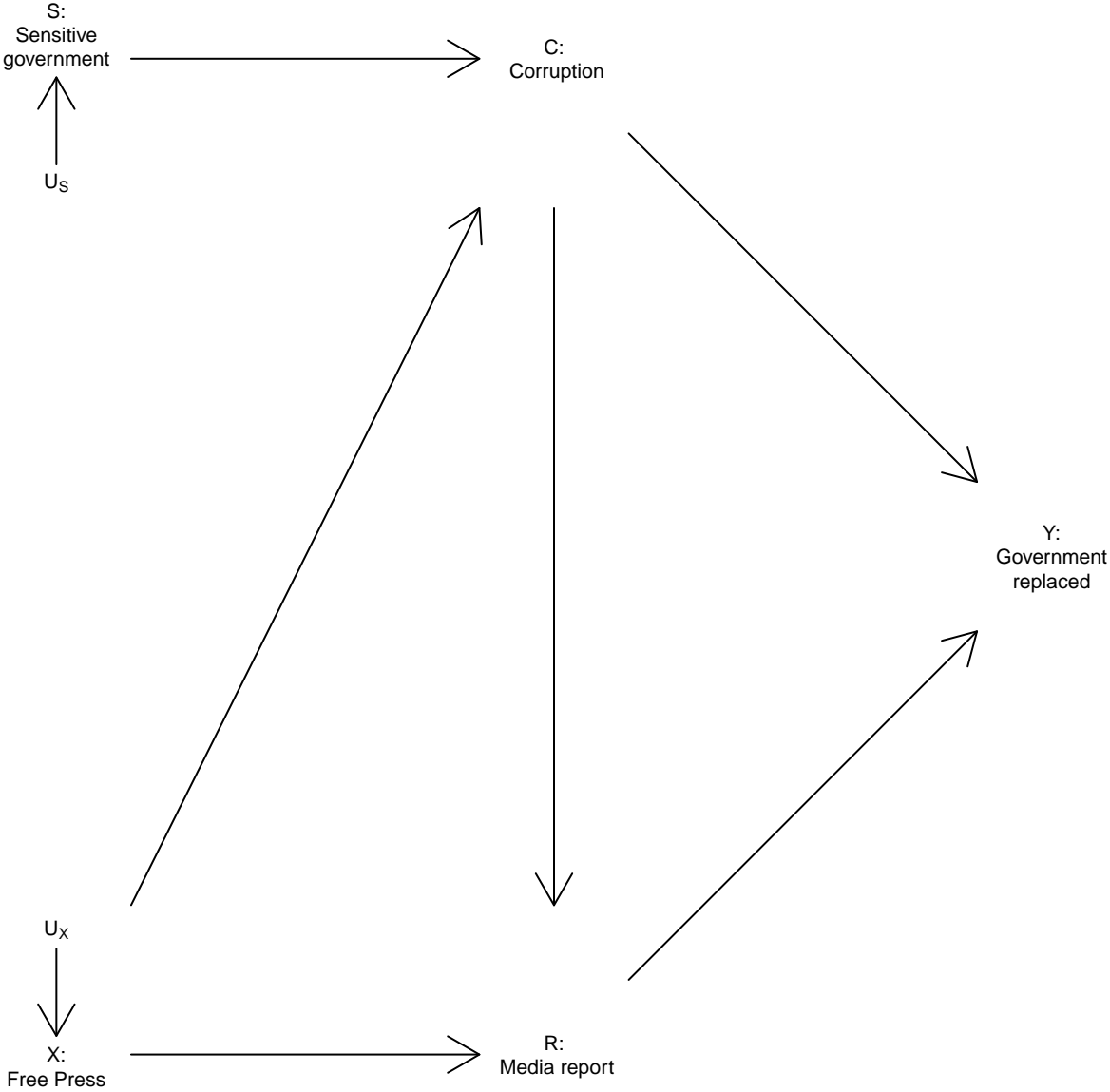
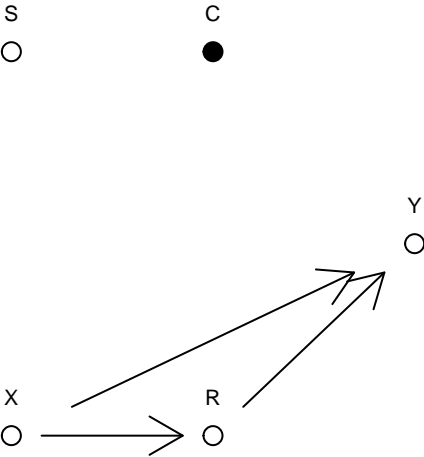


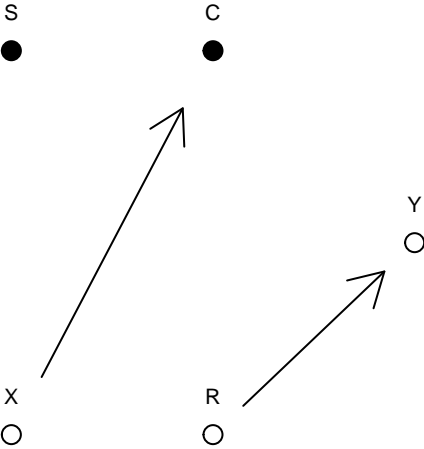
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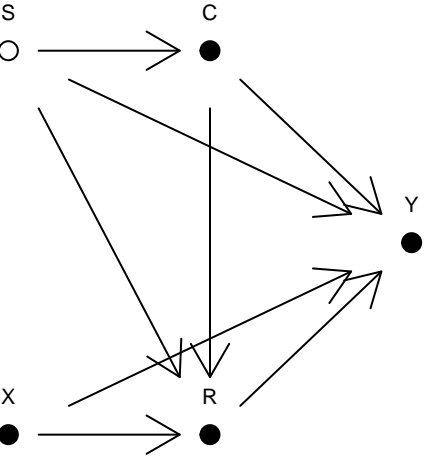
A: No free press causes $Y = 0$



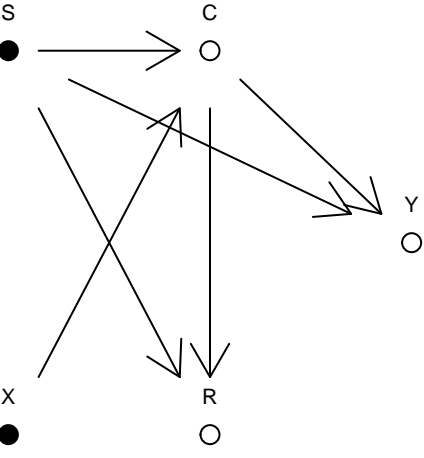
B: No free press is the actual cause
But neither S nor X counterfactually cause $Y=0$



C: Both $S = 0$ and $X = 1$ cause $Y = 1$.
 $X = 1$ is the notable cause.



D: Government sensitivity
causes $Y = 0$



Structural model

Structural Equations:

$$Y = CR$$
$$C = 1 - XS$$
$$R = CX$$
$$S = 1(u_S < \lambda^{S_1})$$
$$X = 1(u_X < \lambda^{X_1})$$

P(U):

$$U_S \sim \text{Unif}[0,1]$$
$$U_X \sim \text{Unif}[0,1]$$