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" 38,	Atlantic Ex.	† 2.52 p m
" 6,	Alliance Accommodation	† 5.04 p m
" 42,	Fast Line	* 1.00 a m
" 8,	Ravenna Accommodation	† 6.55 p m

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" 37,	Fast Line	† 5.04 p m
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TIME TABLE.

Central Standard Time.

Taking Effect Nov. 24, 1889.

MAIN LINE.

WESTWARD.

No. 2,	12.25 p. m.
No. 8,	7.56 p. m.

EASTWARD.

No. 9,	6.14 a. m.
No. 17	2.09 p. m.

Through Sleeping Car between Allegheny and Chicago on Nos. 8 and 9, daily.

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TIME TABLE, Adopted May 11, 1890.

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Trains depart from Ravenna as follows:

EASTWARD.	Depart.
No. 8, Vestibule train	3.33 a. m.
No. 88, Mixed Accommodation	5.15 a. m.
No. 38, Local Freight	7.30 a. m.
No. 12, New York Express (daily)	9.12 a. m
No. 4, N. Y., Ex.	3.51 p. m.
WESTWARD,	Depart.
No. 5, Cin., St. Louis & Chicago Ex. (Daily)	8.29 a. m.
No. 1	4.17a.m.
No. 37, Way (except Sunday)	3.51 p. m.
No. 3, Cin., St. Louis & Chicago Ex. (Daily)	5.58 p. m.
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That our expectations have fully been met as to the mutual advantage of ourselves and patrons, in giving our whole attention to this line of goods, is equally pleasing.

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That a house giving its exclusive attention to Carpets and Upholsterings, can meet your wants more satisfactorily than mere dabblers, is easily learned by comparison of resources and values.

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ALL HONOR

To Ohio's Gallant Governor Campbell

Who Ferrets Out Official Knavery in His Own Party

And Dares Bring the Offenders to the Bar of Judgment.

Honesty and Fidelity in Office Demanded by the Ohio Democracy.

Governor Campbell and the Cincinnati B. P. I. Cases.

The action of Governor Campbell in calling down the dishonest officials in the city of Cincinnati, and demanding their immediate resignations, will meet with the hearty concurrence and approval of the good people of Ohio regardless of politics. The men were selected because their neighbors and friends indorsed him for both honesty and fitness. The Republican papers of that city with one accord declared that these appointments were a credit to the city and an honor to Governor Campbell and the Democratic party. In their hands was a vast deal of patronage. They had it in their power to give places to 3,000 men, while the patronage in their hands reached into the millions. It was necessary, therefore, that not only strictly honest men be chosen, but men endowed with the highest kind of executive ability. So this board was appointed with a knowledge of these things. For some months they discharged their duties honestly and faithfully and not a shadow of suspicion rested upon them. Several months since the board began to throw its actions open to suspicion. Rumor became rife of official crookedness, while disgrace and scandal began to threaten the administration. Governor Campbell began a secret investigation and became convinced that he had been imposed upon, and that the people of Cincinnati were being plundered. Unlike Foraker, who always sought to cover up and conceal Republican rascality, he sounded an alarm and called upon the accused officials to resign. The extraordinary courage of this act is almost incomprehensible when all the facts are considered. The elements behind the fortified powers were Democratic and had given their support in bringing about an overwhelming victory in Hamilton County one year ago. To alienate them would mean the defeat of the local Democrat ticket there this fall and possible lose many votes to the State ticket. But the honor of the whole Democratic party was at stake. Its reputation was endangered by faithless men intrusted by it to the discharge of responsible duties in the metropolis of the State. The party had won a grand victory by exposing corruption in office among its political opponents one year before. In the face of these exposures the people had revolted and placed the Democratic party in power, on its pledge to put honest men in office, and keep them honest. Then comes the exposure of corrupt Democratic officials, an exposure made by Democrats themselves. Before Governor Campbell was his pledge of honest and economical administration. If he redeemed the pledges made to the people he would alienate friends and possibly endanger the ticket in Cincinnati. What did he do? He redeemed his pledge and vindicated the honor of his party. He demanded the resignations of the dishonest officials and put himself and his party on record as opposing corruption in high places. Would Foraker have done as much? Verily he would not. The people of Ohio can well rejoice that such a man stands at the head of the State who disowns and repudiates official knavery even though the guilty ones be members of his own party whom he himself, as its representative, hunted down and exposed. All glory to such men as Governor Campbell.

Vindicated.

At the grand larceny of the last two Democratic seats in Congress one week ago twelve Republicans bolted their caucus and voted against the Republican contestant and in favor of retaining the Democrat in his seat. Ever since this wholesale robbery of seats began the Democrats have been roundly abused for filibustering and retarding public legislation. But public legislation from the Reed standpoint appears to be in ousting Democrats fairly elected and putting in Republicans whom the people rejected at the polls. The course of the Democrats in filibustering to prevent these wholesale robberies is now fully vindicated by the course pursued by these twelve Republican members, who have shown a remarkable strong conviction of conscience in daring to defy the tyrant Reed.

DON'T forget that the Democratic Legislature had to meet a deficiency of $100,000, left by the Republican Legislature. Now, Dan Ryan is blaming it for extravagance.

DURING the Foraker reign there was disbursed and debts contracted for more than $400,000 more than was appropriated. The Democratic party is obliged to pay off this debt. We have never had a Republican administration that did not quit the State-house in debt. Even Dan Ryan, their candidate for Secretary of State, spent $25,000 more to run his office last year than any other Secretary of State ever did. Do we want to continue extravagance in office? If we don't the thing to do is to vote square against Dan Ryan. We like Dan but he is too *expensive*. He comes too *high*. An honest, economical farmer like Thad Cromley would be a better man.

AN OFFICIOUS HENCHMAN.

Ostensibly Working for the State Yet Secretly Canvassing for the Republican Ticket.

W. Z. McDonald, State Inspector of shops and factories by the grace of a Democratic Legislature, is playing a very smooth game this campaign. Mr. McDonald is simply laying his neck on the block when the Legislature meets this winter. Mr. McDonald is allowed $1,500 a year salary and contingent expenses for traveling. He is supposed to inspect public buildings here and there through the State in the interest of life and humanity. Reports come from a certain city that all of his time is not spent in the service of the State as the people imagine. Mr. McD. evidently thinks the public is made up largely of fools and sich, but he will learn later along that he is the only one who will be fooled. While in Zanesville the other day he made a personal canvass of the men in the shops he inspected and lectured to them privately as to their duty in the political premises. It so happened that he ran across a good Democrat and the two had it hot and heavy as the story goes. Mr. McDonald roundly abused him and told him what a crime he was committing in voting the Democratic ticket. He warned him against such a course and reminded him that the Democrats would ruin the country if they had a chance. The Inspector was very bitter against the Democrats and applied various epithets to its members. It is time to call a halt on this officious henchman of the late Foraker regime. He is too fresh and should be disciplined by the Legislature at the coming session.

Brice and Quay.

The present campaign in Ohio brings out a strong comparison between Senator-elect Calvin S. Brice and Senator M. S. Quay, of Pennsylvania. In the campaign of 1888 Republican papers were pleased to term Mr. Brice as the "rainbow chaser" and grew merry in pointing out the weakness and inexperience of Mr. Brice as compared to Mr. Quay. The latter won, as everybody knows, by the Blocks of Five method and the corruption fund expended in the cities of New York and Brooklyn. True it was by a scratch, but he won. Mr. Quay then became a great man. The real managers of the campaign, Tom Platt, General Clarkson, W. W. Dudley and others were forgotten and ignored. Quay was the great man. Another year goes by and Quay turns his management to Pennsylvania politics and with what result? In less than six months he has divided the Republican party and endangered the supremacy of a party that gives a partisan majority of nearly 80,000, even in an off year. He has driven from the party a dozen influential organs and alienated thousands of the better element. In short the shrewdest politicians agree that the chances of Democratic success in Pennsylvania are fully as good as the opposition.

But how is it with Mr. Brice in Ohio? A State convention was held which Mr. Brice attended as a delegate. He had no slate. He had no choice of men for position on the ticket or on any committee. He recognized that traditional Democratic doctrine that to the people alone belong the right of selection of their public servants. In the voice of the people as expressed in the nomination of honest Thad. Cromley, the plain Pickaway County farmer, for Secretary of State, he acquiesced and gave it his most earnest and cordial indorsement. The result is shown today in a harmonious party going forward under a popular standard, and confident of a grand victory. No divisions confront us, no factions endanger the ticket and the voice of the party and people are all for the farmer candidate. If any thing shows a favorable comparison as to ability and wisdom in party leadership, the hopeful condition of the Democratic party in Ohio compared to the demoralized and disheartened condition of the Republican party in Pennsylvania will furnish illustration to convince even the most skeptical.

Paying Off Republican Debts.

Of course a bankrupt political party must have an issue. It would not do to go before the people and ask to be given charge of public affairs without some reason. One of the issues this year as raised by Dan Ryan, who is running for Secretary of State, is that of increased expenditures by the last Legislature. Mr. Ryan is making a great ado about this matter. He finds out that the Democrats appropriated about $200,000 more than the Republicans did. Granting that this is true there must be some good reason for it. One of the reasons for it is found in an appropriation of $90,000 to pay off a debt contracted by the last Republican Legislature on the amendments. That Legislature, as every body knows, submitted some amendments to be voted upon by the people at the November election last year. Among these amendments was one providing for biennial elections. These amendments were defeated, but not before they had cost the State of Ohio something like $90,000 in the shape of advertising. The bill had to be paid because it was contracted in good faith. The next Legislature chosen had a Democratic majority, and to that body was left the duty of making provision for the payment of this debt. This legislature did it by making the appropriation of $90,000. It couldn't do any thing else, and now Mr. Ryan and his organs are charging it with extravagance simply because it refused to repudiate an honest debt contracted by its Republican predecessor.

DAN RYAN is still making speeches about Ohio but he hasn't found time to explain why he required 80 per cent. more money to conduct his office than any Democrat required to do the same thing.

NO DEMOCRAT objects to Dan Ryan on personal grounds. Dan is a handsome man, very smooth and pleasant and quite likely to deceive almost any body. But the Democrats do object to him because he is too expensive. He demanded and got $25,000 more to run his office than any body else ever got.

IF the millionaire monopolists are not protected by the McKinley bill beyond all reason and fairness, how happens it that they can go down into their pockets for thousands when their political idol's election is endangered? Why don't they contribute thousands to the election of other Congressmen?

WHAT IT MEANS.

A Democratic Vote for a Republican Congressional Candidate

In Any One of the Twenty-One Districts of the State

An Endorsement of Tyrant Reed and Boss McKinley.

The Duty of the Hour.

By the decree of Tyrant Tom Reed, the brutal presiding officer of the National House of Representatives, eight Democrats have been driven from their seats in the Congress of the United States. These Democrats with their pluralities are as follows: Congressman Pendleton, of West Virginia, 19; Congressman Cate, of Arkansas, 1,348; Congressman Compton, of Maryland, 181; Congressman Wise, of Virginia, 261; Congressman Turpin, of Alabama, 13,153; Congressman Breckinridge, of Arkansas, 846; Congressman Venable, of Virginia, 642; Congressman Elliott, of South Carolina, 1,355. The infamous grand larceny made a change of sixteen votes in Congress, and gave the Republican party a majority, which the people of the United States refused to do at the polls. The liberties of the people were to be attacked and to do it successfully the bosses had to have a strong working majority at their back. The grand larceny of these seats sufficed to accomplish that result. Then the infamous Force bill was sprung and the wicked and iniquitous tariff bill passed. By the passage of this act the Republican leaders redeemed their promise made to the monopolists of the East and are now in a position to demand their pay in the shape of an immense corruption fund for the campaign. Now what does all this mean? Let us see. The sum total of the Democratic pluralities swept away by partisan votes in the Chamber of Representatives is a little less than 18,000. But the arbitrary decisions of the Republican House do much more than that. The number of Democratic votes cast at the elections of 1888 for these eight expelled Congressmen is 124,737. In other words, to strengthen the policy of fraud and force, nearly 125,000 citizens have been practically disfranchised, robbed of their choice of Representatives by the decree of one hundred and fifty or sixty Republicans sitting in the House. The simple fact is strong enough without adjectives of characterization. For the expulsion of a Representative the Constitution requires a two-thirds vote of the House. These eight Democratic Representatives have been expelled by less than a one-half vote of the House, and for no other offense than that they were Democrats, and that their continued presence in the House was a bar to the programme of the party of force and fraud.

In the face of these facts can any self-respecting Democrat vote for any Republican Congressional candidate who is pledged in advance to support every thing we are daily condemning and against which we are entering our solemn protest. We do not believe there is one Democrat who will commit this party treason and betray the cause of the people.

Prostituting the Postoffice.

The U. S. postal laws provide a penalty of $300 for any improper use of an official frank, yet recent developments show that the Republican State Executive Committee is violating the law every day. Last week at a certain postoffice in Mercer County a package was received from Columbus bearing the official frank of the government. It was opened and instead of being used in official business, it was found to contain blank poll books to be used in polling that township. The books came from the headquarters of the Republican party, in Columbus, O. By what right do the Republican leaders of Ohio presume to use the official frank of the United States post-office for campaign purposes? Are the laws so framed so as to allow Republican leaders to prostitute them as they will, while others doing so are punished? Is the whole machinery of the post-office to be turned over to the Republican campaign by Honest John Wahamaker? It is a high time to put a stop to this business. Had it been done by a private citizen he would have been prosecuted and made to suffer the extreme penalty of the law, but when it comes to a violation by Republican leaders, with John Wanamaker winking at the prostitution of the service, it appears to be all right. Turn the rascals out.

ALL the Republican money this year will be dumped into McKinley's district. The men who he has made rich and powerful in his iniquitous tariff bill will not forget their benefactor, and they will place all the money needed in his hands. In Philadelphia alone, $25,000 has been raised by one protected industry alone.

WOOLEN hosiery and underwear costing thirty-two cents a pound started out just 100 years ago with a protective duty of 5 per cent. These goods have gradually climbed up the protective ladder till now McKinley puts on a duty of 214 per cent. When do stockings cease to need protection? Is this a decent way for our stockings to celebrate a century of protection?

THE vastly greater proportion of farmers have no potatoes to sell, and many of them have to buy for their own tables and for seed. Perhaps they will see how they are protected by paying the Government 25 cents a bushel for all the potatoes they buy over the Canadian line. The duty is a burden when the crop fails and of no effect in ordinary times.