## Rezin (Reason) & Avarilla Ham BALSER -- 50th Anniv

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On last Saturday, Rezin Balser and wife celebrated their golden wedding at their home in Alamo. Samuel B. Demoret, who performed the ceremony 50 years ago was present on the occasion and sat at the head of the table. Milton Demoret, of New Market, then a boy of 7 or 8 was also present as one of the witnesses to the marriage. About 30 relatives and friends took dinner with the venerable couple; the Alamo cornet band furnished the music, led by HC Grimes. The combined age of the three oldest persons present amounts to 232 years. Everybody had a good time, and went away wishing the old folks many happy returns.

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