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Major Salmon Returns Home From the East—What He Thinks.

Major H. W. Salmon returned home from the east on last Tuesday night and was down town Wednesday morning for the first time since his return. He spent some time at Washington City, and thinks there will be a called session of congress. It may be deferred until September, but no one knows about this but Mr. Cleveland, and probably he has not entirely made his mind up. There seems to be no organized opposition to the re-election of Speaker Crisp, and as matters now stand he will certainly be his own successor.

There is being a great deal said one way and another about Mr. Cleveland interesting himself in the speaker ship, but he does not believe that this is the case. He thinks the president will concede the propriety of the house selecting its own presiding officer without dictation. He thinks there is no doubt but that there will be early tariff legislation exactly on the lines laid down in the campaign. In other words that the pledges to the people will be kept to the letter.

The campaign in Missouri was watched with considerable interest by the democrats in other states, and they have nothing but words of praise for Mr. Stone and the manner in which he conducted his canvass. His trip to New York revived that interest, and many in Washington City expressed themselves as determined to attend his inauguration at Jefferson City on the 9th day of January.

It is too early to predict anything as to silver legislation.

The failure of our international delegates to accomplish anything in the way of agreement with foreign governments will have to be considered and discussed before an intelligent opinion can be formed.

Major Salmon repeats what he has heretofore expressed, that Missouri has the ablest representation in congress of any other state in the union. Her senators and members of the house rank at the top.

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the throat and lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with coughs, sore throat, asthma, bronchitis and consumption. Any druggist will give you a trial bottle free of cost. The large bottles 50c and \$1.

A special from Washington City to the Globe-Democrat has the following to say relative to the views of our talented congressman:

Representative DeArmond of Missouri, who is a member of the sub-committee of the house which is considering the matter of electing the president and vice-president by the direct vote of the people and abolishing the electoral college, thinks that the electoral college ought to be abolished as an obsolete thing, but is doubtful whether this result would be accomplished, because it means a surrender of power and influence on the part of the smaller states like Delaware, Rhode Island and Vermont. As the change can not be reached except by an amendment to the constitution, Mr. DeArmond thinks that there will be fully one-fourth of the states that will vote against ratification. He says he also has an objection to the proposed election of a president by the direct vote of the people. At present the election depends upon the electoral votes of the states. A direct vote means that the states will no longer be factors in the contest, and it will be but another step toward wiping out state lines. Mr. DeArmond thinks there is too much tendency nowadays towards Federalism in our government, and he would oppose anything that tends to an obliteration of the autonomy of the states. Mr. DeArmond is an earnest advocate of the earlier sessions of congress. He does not believe that members should return to their seats after they have been defeated for re-election, and is in favor of the regular sessions beginning on the 4th of March. He thinks that both houses of congress should be in their places when a new president enters upon his duties and he does not believe that it is right or proper for the senate to be in session for several weeks when the house has not even been called formally into existence.

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Ballard Items.

We wish all our "cousins" and the editor a happy and prosperous year with success to the many readers of the Times. Marion Colston with a couple of young ladies visited at McClennys New Year. Mr Alspach, jr. visited at M L Embree's last week. Mrs Beatty visited relatives here on New Years day. R D Beatty and Ray Mc went to town Saturday with game. Squire says Geo Price would be all right if he could only get his gun off, but he's too slow to shoot on the wing. Mrs Ida Beatty was at home in Henry county on New Years. Tom Brown has a team and wagon for sale so we hear; but we were thinking he was getting ready to use them. W B Cole went to Soap creek after a load of wood. John Lentz had a brother and two nieces from Adrian visit him Friday. J M Fort hauling wood. Andy Ray and his son, Charley, came down Saturday on business and to see the sights of the city. Peter S came down a few days since and reports everything O K on the ranch. J B Hays has ventured out of late and will soon be as democratic as ever. C K Crow and family went north and west New Years, doubtless visited relatives. Dee seemed to get things mixed about Jeff, but he is likely to this time of year as apples are scarce. Lizzie Embree complaining but Xmas day was enough to give any one a cold. W H Warford and family went north Sunday and no doubt ate turkeys at pa's. John Lentz Sunday with loved ones at Adrian. Geo Price attending court at K C as petit juror but he did hate to go. R D Beatty & Co. went to Clinton one day this week. W B Cole has a cart and he drives a high stepper. McClennys children are sick. W H Warford has sold his back to the Montrose and Johnstown mail carrier. C C Pogue and Tom Board drove over to Butler Monday returning Wednesday. Mr and Mrs G Y Hendrix visited their daughter, Mrs Pfost Tuesday night. Lee Embree is hustling things for Geo Price while the latter attends court in K C. Miss Eddie Moore visited the home folks a few days, returning to southwest Bates Tuesday by way of Butler. Our old time friend Geo Cameron gave us a call a day this week; he too is one of the ill-fated cattle feeders; and by the way he is a number one carpenter and has just completed a fine house in Clinton. Wonder if Peter S really married. Wilson Davidson drove to Butler the first of the week. Its a mistake Cris has not sold his mules. Billy Powell has eleven mules for sale so we learn. John Deerwester, too, has business in this neck of the woods it seems. Corn, pigs or money will pay your account, so do not get scared as we only want old accounts settled up. Mrs I F Koontz on the sick list. J B Hays reports all O K he is trying his luck feeding cattle this fall. Milt Beatty came in Tuesday all right and ready for business. Uncle Johnny Evans and wife called to see the baby one day last week. Gentry Walton called on Ray McF a few evenings since going on southeast. A party and singing at Judge Cole's Wednesday night of last week. Simon Dunbar was out in his usual style Wednesday night. John Lentz not able for duty a day last week and Tom Brown could not be found. C K Crow and son went to town last week with grain. W Griggs out with his cart. W L Hooper and family returned from his father's in Cooper county, leaving the doctor but little better we are sorry to learn. A Wendleton will soon wait 3 stories for his new house. Hayden Ray and brother here last week. Dr McFarland met Dr Colson of Spruce in consultation at Mort Young's Saturday night were they have a very sick baby. The meeting at Bethel closed a few evenings since for better weather. Tom Bell is reported quite sick with Dr Warford in attendance. Aaron Bell went to Dr Boulware with his pleurisy so we are informed. Mrs McCandless after months of suffering died at her home last week, leaving many sorrowing relatives and friends who have the sympathy of all. R D

Beatty returned from Clinton with a load of groceries. John Lentz and Dr Me drove to Adrian last week to look up a location: John will locate there about the first of March but the doctor is undecided. Jim Hoppas seems to be making it hot for Jeff. Mrs John Harman quite sick. Cris has gotten to be quite a smoker. McClennys had lots of relatives visiting him Sunday. Isaac Anderson and wife in our village visiting. Jim Bradley was driving a new horse the other day. The exhibition at Fairview was a success so we are informed. Preaching at Oak Hill, Salem and Fairview churches Sunday but business kept us from attending. JACK.

Our Old Fire Company.

That was a gay old company that we belonged to, Joe, away back in '68, when you and I ran with the machine. Do you remember that big fire in Hotel Row, one freezing night, when fifteen people were pulled out of their burning rooms and came down the ladder in their night clothes, and how Dick Greene brought down two 'kids' at once—one in his arms, the other slung on his back? Poor Dick; he got the catarrh dreadfully from so much exposure, and suffered from it five years or more. We thought once he was going in consumption sure. But finally he heard of Dr Sage's Catarrh Remedy, and tried it, and it cured him up as sound as a flint. I tell you, Joe that catarrh remedy is a great thing. It saved as good a man and as brave a fireman as ever trod shoe leather.

A Wolf Story From Russia.

In many of the southwestern districts of Russia the wolves are this season showing unusual temerity in raiding sheepfolds attacking not only horses and cattle, but stray wayfarers along the highways and by ways traversing or skirting the forests. A few days ago a peasant on foot and a sieve maker driving a single horse tarantas were towards nightfall approaching the village of Pianje, near Dubno, when they were startled by the chase cry of a pack of wolves in their rear. The peasant fled and reached the village in safety. The horse and tarantas which had been some little distance in the rear of the peasant, dashed into the village a few minutes later but without their owner. The next morning the poor sieve maker's bones were found scattered about the spot where he had been attacked and dragged from his vehicle by his ravenous pursuers, while the unfortunate man's head was discovered, in a dreadfully mutilated condition, half a mile away—London News.

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Mrs. Davis Declines With Thanks.

During the session of the last legislature an effort was made to have the state give Mrs. Jefferson Davis \$10,000 but it was found that this could not be done under the constitution. Governor Northen's wife and other well known women then decided to raise the amount by voluntary contributions. Mrs. Northen prepared an address which she intended to send out, but will not now, as Major Sidney Root has received a letter from Mrs. Davis stating that she could not possibly accept money raised in that manner although both she and her daughter felt very grateful to the good people of Georgia who wished to assist her. Mrs. Davis wrote that she lived in New York because her means will not permit her to live at Beauvoir and entertain as she would wish to. Crops had proven almost a complete failure and she found it best to remain in New York. Major Root says he doubts if Mrs. Davis will receive one dollar for her work on the life of her husband.—Augusta, Ga., Dispatch.

How to Succeed.

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Three men were lynched, making five in all, at Cotton Plant, Ark., for the murder of the Atkinson family last Saturday.

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General Adlai E. Stevenson was the guest of honor at the Jackson day ball and reception at Nashville, Tenn.

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At Paris, Texas, two men are in jail for enticing a half-witted girl into the woods where they assaulted her.

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The Homestead poisoning conspiracy trial has begun at Pittsburg.

2 A Fatal Mistake. Physicians make no more fatal mistake than when they inform the patient that nervous heart troubles come from the stomach and are of little consequence. Dr. Franklin Miles, the noted Indiana specialist has proven the contrary in his new book on heart disease, which may be had free at H. L. Tucker's drugstore, who guarantees and recommends Dr. Miles' unequalled New Heart Cure, which has the largest sale of any heart remedy in the world. It cures nervous and organic diseases, short breath, fluttering breath, pain or tenderness in the side, arm or shoulder, irregular pulse, fainting, smothering, dropsy, etc. His Restorative Nervine cures headache fits, etc.

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Passenger	7:50 p. m.
Passenger	9:25 p. m.
Local Freight	10:05 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND	
Passenger	7:04 a. m.
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