

## GOLDEN WEDDING IS CELEBRATED BY VICTORIA COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carl Gramann, who celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Monday, are among Victoria's most highly esteemed pioneer residents.

Mr. Gramann for many years was one of this city's leading grocery merchants. He was born in Victoria July 28, 1855, and is now past 77 years of age, but is still blessed with good health and appears to be considerably younger.

Mr. Gramann's parents, Henry Gramann, a native of Hildesheim, Hanover, Germany, and Anna Steiner Gramann, a native of Kamitz, Patschkau, Schlesien, Germany, deceased, were among Victoria's earliest settlers.

Henry Gramann emigrated here in the late '40's, and was a well known stock farmer of this county. He took pride in raising fine stock, especially thoroughbred horses, and was among the first stockraisers to improve his herds. His descendants still have trophies his live stock won at Victoria's early fairs, including numerous championship prizes. His wife emigrated to Victoria with her father, Henry Carl Steiner, the latter part of 1851, when she was 15. They came on a prospecting tour, and having decided to remain here, they were joined the following year by Mrs. Steiner, nee Victoria Spang, and her other two daughters. Mr. Steiner held a high official position in Germany and was a scholarly gentleman. During his 16 years' residence here he was a planter. He and his wife and son-in-law all died in Victoria during the yellow fever epidemic of 1867, their deaths occurring only a few days apart.

Mrs. Gramann, their daughter, died many years later, on January 4, 1911. She had a wide reputation as a musician, and was one of Victoria's most highly educated citizens.

Henry Carl Gramann was reared in Victoria, and after attending private schools taught by the late Professors William H. Allen and William T. Eichholz, took a commercial course at Soule's Business College in New Orleans. Later he entered the grocery business and established an enviable reputation for upright business methods. He was married in Ahilene October 10, 1882, to Miss Anna Hanauer, the daughter of Anton Hanauer, a native of Wurttemberg, Alsace, France, and Mary Anna Senzelle Hanauer-Wissing, a native of Sennheim, Alsace, France, deceased. Mrs. Gramann is a woman of the loveliest character and during the days when she was more active in civic or social welfare movement received more hearty support than she contributed. In fact, she remains most charitable and progressive to this day.

Mr. and Mrs. Gramann have had seven children, of whom six survive, all highly worthy of their ancestry: Mrs. William Probesse and Carl Anthony Gramann of Cuero, Mrs. William Smith of Port Lavaca, Henry Theobald Gramann of Houston and Mrs. Larkin H. Smith and Miss Alfreda Columbia Gramann of this city. All were present for the golden wedding celebration except Carl A. Gramann and with that exception the occasion was a complete family reunion and a most happy affair.

## LESSON-SERMON AT SCIENTIST CHURCH IS INTERESTING ONE

The lesson-sermon subject is "Doctrine of Atonement" in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, today.

The golden text is from John 10:30. "I and my Father are one." As a part of the service the following from Joel 2:32 will be read: "And it shall come to pass, that whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be delivered; for in mount Zion and in Jerusalem shall be deliverance, as the Lord hath said, and in the remnant whom the Lord shall call."

The following citations from Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, will be read: "Waking to Christ's demand, mortals experience suffering. This causes them, even as drowning men, to make vigorous efforts to save themselves; and through Christ's precious love these efforts are crowned with success—One sacrifice, however great, is insufficient to pay the debt of sin. The atonement requires constant self-immolation on the sinner's part."

## NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE

Chas. J. Miller was acquitted at Magnolia, Miss., of a charge of being a member of a gang which killed negroes to create jobs for white men. Six negroes have been killed from ambush and several wounded in that section.

John Price, a 50-year-old negro, became frightened and fell off the table at Newark, N. J., when the blue lights were flashed on during an X-ray examination of an injury to his knee, suffering contusion of the brain, a number of broken ribs and a fractured knee.

John C. Weller, World War veteran of San Antonio, and Mrs. Marie Louise Gerard of Marseilles were married in Nice, France, the culmination of a romance resulting from Weller's rescue of the bride's 8-year-old sister from death.

Daniel Reardon, 29, a participant in the Colorado prison riot in 1929, was given two years for auto theft at Houston.

United States Senator Hiram Johnson, Republican Progressive of California, issued a statement in support of Roosevelt for president, declaring that Hoover was a reactionary and had no sympathy for the masses of the people. "The Republican Party is not at stake in this campaign," said Johnson. "It is only the ambition of one man who but a little more than a decade ago did not know which was his party and whose views have been acquired in the very brief period he has resided among us."

Lieut. Col. Julian L. Schley of Savannah, Ga., has been appointed governor of the Panama Canal Zone.

Mrs. Julia Davis Adams, daughter of John W. Davis, 1924 Democratic presidential nominee, was granted a divorce from William M. Adams at Reno on cruelty charges.

E. H. Fulton, 55, Dallas millinery salesman, killed himself by jumping from the tenth floor of an Oklahoma City hotel.

After hurling her niece, 5, and nephew, 4, from the 16th floor of a Milwaukee hotel, Mrs. Aurelia Lorenz, 31, divorced wife of a wealthy contractor, plunged to her death. She left a note blaming mistreatment by her brother, Rudolph Libe, father of the children, for her act.

Augustine Sandino, rebel chieftain, is planning a general offensive throughout Nicaragua for November 5, election day there.

H. A. Kletz, for 56 years teacher of music in the State School for the Blind at Austin, was granted a pension of \$75 per month by the State Board of Control. He formerly drew a salary of \$140 per month. He is the state's oldest employee and has two children unable to earn a living.

Nina Wilcox Putnam, noted writer and life-long Republican, announced her support of Roosevelt.

Thelma Todd, movie star, is in a critical condition, suffering from peritonitis.

Sixteen workers were seriously injured when they lost their footing and plunged 800 feet down a mountainside through a Los Angeles water siphon, the inside of which they were painting.

Two Dallas men said to be undercover prohibition agents are charged with assault to murder at Denton in connection with the denouement of Eugene Smith, farmer, living near Little Elm. They gave their names as Morgan Tully and Leo Taylor.

Claude Cooper, prohibition administrator in Northern Texas, said the two men held at Denton on assault to murder charges and reputed to be dry agents were unknown to his office.

The Texas Supreme Court granted the Danciger Oil Company an injunction questioning the validity of all prorations laws.

Miss Eva Rasmussen, Waupaca, Wis., waitress, was killed \$10,000 by a man whose injuries she bandaged with her petticoat after he had been hurt in an automobile accident 25 years ago.

Three suspects were arrested at Redland, Calif., in an alleged plot to kidnap for ransom Clarence G.

White, multi-millionaire Cleveland philanthropist, and Dr. Charles Lombard, wealthy Redland physician. The suspects gave their names as Charles Lombard (no relation to the physician), 38; William Snyder, 40, and Eddie Dow, 38. Rope and sheets were found in their car.

Most of the major companies have followed the lead of the Sun Company in paying \$1.10 per barrel for East Texas oil.

Governor Francisco Cardenas of Nueve Leon, Mex., was the guest of Governor Sterling at Austin. Cardenas was a student at St. Mary's University, San Antonio, in 1896.

Marquis Beni de Castellane, former husband of Anna Gould, is reported in a dying condition in Paris suffering from paralysis and bronchitis.

Harold Lea Kirk, 22, bad check passer and rum runner, confessed to the San Francisco Police complicity in the slaying of Arnold Rothstein, millionaire New York gambler and underworld king" in 1928.

Sam S. Carter, famous old-time fiddler and trial driver, died in San Antonio.

Jessie Donstelle, who developed some of the most famous stars of the screen and stage, died at Detroit.

Billy Tressler, 9, whose mother, grandmother and sister were beaten to death at Conneville, Penn., and who probably was fatally injured at the same time, rallied and told the police that his uncle, Clyde Harden, 28, and his mother's suitor, Philip Renda, 50, struck him.

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## CHINESE PATRIOTS SENT \$11,000,000 TO CHAPEI TROOPS

PEIPING, Oct. 14.—(INS)—To the western mind it is difficult to understand the system whereby troops of the national army of China were able to accept \$11,000,000 in gifts from patriotic groups all over the world in gratitude for their struggle against the Japanese last winter. It might be presumed that pay, rations and equipment might all have been furnished by the Chinese government.

However, in the accounts of the 19th Army just released it appears that its commanders expended \$10,229,496.70 for operations against the Japanese and for assistance lent by allied units, which likewise are part of the Chinese national army. The balance of over a half million is stated as being carried on the books of the army.

The noteworthy fact of it all is that it is the first real gesture of nation-wide patriotism seen in China. Funds came pouring in to the defenders of Chapei from all sides. Nearly three millions were raised in and about Shanghai itself while the municipal government contributed a half million. Hongkong and Canton Chinese were next in generosity.

Every province within China proper was represented in the list of donors while Chinese living abroad did their share. Nearly two million dollars came from Chinese patriots residing in the United States.

has not had a hearing. The charges were filed by J. M. Walker of High Falls, N. M. Ryan expressed confidence that Governor Sterling would not permit his extradition.

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## Father Slays Doctor Who Attended His Son

SLATON, Texas, Oct. 15.—Dr. S. H. Adams, 55, shot four times, died in a hospital here last night, and Lee Tudor, 52, whose son had died on an operating table in Dr. Adams' office August 25, was held for questioning.

Dr. Adams, a resident of Slaton for a quarter of a century, died of shock and loss of blood from wounds in his left elbow, right wrist, and two in the lower abdomen. The attending physician at first said he did not believe the wounds would prove fatal, none of the bullets, fired from a .38 caliber automatic pistol entering a vital zone.

"I'm sorry it happened, in a way, because I'm too old a man to be in trouble," Tudor, a coal and grain dealer at Slaton for 10 years, said before Dr. Adams died.

The shooting was an outgrowth of Wood Tudor's death after an automobile accident. Tudor said he had asked Dr. Adams to aid the three young children of Wood Tudor.

"I walked into the doctor's office and asked him what he figured on doing for those children," Tudor said.

Lake. Before the Civil War, larger boats made trips up the river as far as Columbus.

The barking of a dog is believed to have caused the slaying of Clarence Stainbrook, 60, retired farmer, and the serious wounding of his mother at Fairbury, Neb. Dr. William Frantz, 52, Omaha veterinarian, was arrested. The dog was found with a gash in its side.

Ursula Parrott Greenwood, author of "Ex-Wife" and "Strangers May Kiss," was granted a divorce from her second husband, Charles T. Greenwood, New York banker, on the second anniversary of their marriage.

Harold C. Johnston, owner of an Akron, Ohio, welding shop, is the inventor of a steam airplane engine which weighs only 168 pounds and will develop 62 horsepower.

The State Supreme Court again denied the Good Government Party of Hidalgo County the right to have the names of its candidates printed on the November election ballot. The court also dismissed a contest for the office of sheriff of Leon County. The Good Government Party will resort to a written campaign.

Cotton advanced one dollar per bale Friday.

The Cuero city tax rate has been fixed at \$1.09, the same as that last year.

Fifty thousand children attended the State Fair at Dallas Friday. Dallas street cars gave the children free transportation.

W. C. T. U. has been barred from the Houston Armistice Day parade as a political organization.

Four two-story brick buildings were destroyed by fire at Orange with a loss estimated at \$35,000. The blaze started on the second floor of the Orange Investment Company building.

Mrs. George A. Davidson of New York says she has evidence that her son, George A. Davidson, motion picture director, did not kill

## CHIROPRACTORS TO HOLD CLINIC HERE OCTOBER 19 AND 20

On Wednesday and Thursday, October 19 and 20, a two-day educational Chiropractic Clinic will be held at the office of Dr. C. S. Bingham on the fourth floor of the Welder Building.

Dr. C. C. Phillips, D. C. Ph. C., former instructor at the Palmer School of Chiropractic, and Dr. port, Iowa, will be the examiners in charge. They will be assisted by Victor Will, B. A., of Columbia, Mo., who will have charge of arrangements.

The latest equipment developed by the profession will be used, including the X-ray.

Clinicians will give personal and thorough attention to every person making appointment, rendering the chiropractic interpretation and prognosis of each condition.

## ART EXHIBITS AT VICTORIA FAIR OF FINEST CHARACTER

The art exhibits at this year's fair were of outstanding merit. Besides Bertha Louise Hellman's large collection of paintings, sent from Houston, most of which were painted during her visit in Europe, the exhibits by Victoria artists were unusually good.

There was a greater variety of mediums than has been shown at a fair heretofore. Besides the usual number of oil canvases and pastels, there were water colors, notably those of Ethel Thurmond, done this summer while she was in the west, and in an entirely different mode from her former style. Their strong color and vigor are unusual in water colors.

Anna DuPre's pencil and charcoal studies and crayon sketches were among the most admired work of the whole display. Her head of a Russian received much favorable notice. J. Rader Fink's collection of pictures, free-hand drawings, crayons, charcoals, pastels and wood block prints received, and deserved, much attention. His work has exceptional vigor and strength. This young artist from

Yokum promises to be one of America's best known artists. His work was on display at the recent California Olympic Art Fiesta. Mrs. Young of Gonzales, who has exhibited her features at our fair for a number of seasons, received several premiums. Her flower picture was awarded first prize in that class and Louise Leibold of this city second prize for her oil painting of flowers. Four oil paintings by Sister Theresa of Nazareth Academy were among those drawing especial attention.

Bertha Louise Hellman's collection was especially noteworthy, consisting of 15 oil paintings, many small charcoal studies and a group of bookplates. All were greatly admired by the throngs viewing them each day. Her numerous flower studies elicited much favorable comment, as did the bookplates and small pencil studies. Her work was not displayed in competition with the local artists, but was secured through the Victoria Art League as an extra attraction.

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## EDUCATIONAL CLINIC PLANNED HERE WILL TELL OF CHIROPRACTIC

A Chiropractic Clinic has been arranged in Victoria for October 19-20, 1932. This is the second of a series of such clinics to be conducted in Victoria twice yearly by the Chiropractic Clinics Circuit. These educational clinics, sponsored by leading members of the profession, are strictly educational in nature. Latest methods and equipment furnished, including X-ray laboratory. For several years these clinics have been conducted in other states, bringing to the different communities an opportunity for those interested to have a personal examination and consultation. Every phase of human ailments is covered and the chiropractic interpretation and prognosis is given in each case. According to representatives of the movement no charge is made for any of this service except when applicants wish X-ray pictures taken, in which case a minimum charge is made. Dr. C. C. Phillips, D. C. Ph. C., former instructor at the Palmer School of Chiropractic at Davenport, Iowa, and Dr. Albert Lindsey, also of Davenport, will be examiners in charge. They will be assisted by Victor Will, B. A., of Columbia, who will have charge of arrangements. Those desiring to make appointments may do so through the office of Dr. C. S. Bingham, who is also in charge of arrangements. The clinic will be held at his office—4th floor Welder Building, Wednesday and Thursday, October 19 and 20. Telephone 340.

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