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More About the Texas Boy Who Sees Streams of Water Far Under the Earth's Surface.

Some time ago the Stockman published an article concerning young Guy Fenley the boy who can see water far underground. The following from the San Antonio Express gives a full account of the boy and his wonderful power.

Southwest Texas now comes to the front with a phenomenon calculated to attract the earnest attention of the scientific and business world. A power heretofore absolutely unknown; a gift so great that if all its develop- game in his hours of holiday. ments prove true this will be pronounced one of the wonders of the twentieth century.

This great wonder is a Texas youth who is gifted with eyes possessed of what might termed "X-ray" lenses; able to penetrate by sight into the mysteries of the earth's hidden treasures and locate the course of streams of water as they glide along through numerous crevices and innumerable caverns of hidden mystery far below the surface of the earth.

The youth who possesses this rare gift is Master Guy Fenley, who is a son of Mr. Joe Fenley of Uvalde, Uvalde county, Texas. Guy Fenley is twelve years of age, and has been possessed of his wonderful power of sight from his birth. He is rather tall for his age, reaching a height of hind him after they reach the Hey there! You little wringlin' five feet and four inches, while pasture in which the water is in body he retains that slimness wanted. His eyes are as if fas- Winkin' an' blinkin' on "grandfarmiliar to growing youths tened to the earth by some wonma's lap, farmiliar to growing youths, whose paternity have sought heighth rather than a prepon-

Master Guy Fenley's infancy, while he was playing about the yard in his father's home, that his possession of X-ray eyes was discovered. He would walk in the yard at night where at times he played with other children and cause wonder and consternation among his playmates by calling attention to streams of water running underneath them.

The members of the Fenley family were at first alarmed at the child's talk, but finally Mr. Joel Fenley caused a well or two to be sunk at points designated by the son, when, to the astonishment of every one, water was found in copious quanities, and low the surface as estimated by the youth. This demonstrated he immediately goes into a sound But I guess it's all right jest as it sleep. the remarkable power with which his father's family and friends. body of the animal he rideshad been given to his brother, face. but no one could be found who It was suggested that Master faction guranteed by F. J. Graycould throw any light on the sub- Fenley could gain money for his

grasping situations and text burn, W. J. McIntyre, J. D. Jackbooks beyond his years. It was son, W. W. Turney, and others.

derson, one of the divison points day of the Southern Pacific railroad "Gaze into the future as far as in West Texas, where he located water about fifteen hundred feet See the wonders of the world, and below the surface. Then a visit was made to the Glass mountains section of the country, where holes in the earth only to give up fold he will gaze enraptured and in despair after great depth had alone on those beauties and fanbeen attained. So Master Fenley, accompanied by his father, in story and action that which together with Mr. G. W. Black- arouses a globe's industry a d burn, on whose ranch the water nation's resources. - West ? was to be located, began the Stockman. search. Each party was horseback and it was in the night time. Master Fenley takes the lead; the others ride near or bederful gravity.

derance of flesh. His face and begins to locate the earth's crevifeatures are bright and clear cut ces. A small stream, or streams bearing intelligence, while his of water is in his sight. He deeyes are black and well pointed scribes its dept and quanity, tells without any feature of remarka- of the sides of the opening bebleness about them. His hair is neath the surface and of the podark, and his general make-up sition of the stone through which Jest watch him doublin' up that of an unassuming reticent nature. the well drills must go. To tell It was almost in the days of how deep the welldrills must go He's goin' to be a pugilist; is only an estimate, but his faculty of sight seems almost unbounded. Young Fenley located Whoops like an Indian, don't he, several wells for Mr. Blackburn and these wells will be drilled a once, and if water is found will be only further testimony of this phenomenon. Guy Fenley says, concerning his power, that he undergoes no feeling of a supernataural gift. It comes to him as an ordinary sight, but he only has this X-ray faculty of sight during the night time. This power will only remain with him during the period of one and a half hour each night, when his sense of sight becomes apparently exhausted and the boy must I'm satisfied but for jest one thing: be taken to his bed to rest, where I wanted a grl I did by jing!

When he locates a stream as he Guy Fenley is endowed and rides horseback, Guy Fenley says awakened the deepest interest in he can see the water through the Mr. Joel Fenley is a wealthy and only the bones or skeleton of the A Fireman's Close Call. influential stockman with well horse being visible to him. The stocked cattle ranches near human hand, foot or form are in though every joint ached and Uvalde and Sanderson. Guy like manner visible during his every nerve was racked with Fenley is a brother of Green B. X-ray sight only so far as the pain," writes C. W. Bellamy, a Fenley, ex-county judge of bones are concerned. He say he locomotive fireman, of Burling-Ulvade county, and at present could not locate needles or other ton, Iowa., I was weak and pale practicing law in Uvalde. Judge articles or metals in the human without any appetite and all run Fenley began some years ago to body as he can only see the down. I was about to give up, I correspond with leading occulist bones. The test of his powers of got a bottle of Eletric Bitters and and scientists of this country, sight have only been directed to after taking it, I felt as well as I endeavoring to ascertain infor- finding of liqids, and he says he ever did in my life." Weak, sickmation regarding this great pow- can locate either water or other ly, run down people always gain er and penetrating sight which fluids like oil underneath the sur- new life, strength and vigor from

ject save the many coments on supernataural faculties should he the remarkable discovery of eyes visit the Texas oil fields, but his which had such mysterious pow- father has experienced the needs ers of vision. Correspondence of stockmen for water on seemed futile, and the lad was ranches, and thus caused the placed in the Uvalde school to be- first test to be made in this wesgin an educational training. Guy tern land where such men as Fenley's progress in school has Captain Sheppard, D. C. Combs been one of rapid promotion, and and others have spent thousands his mastery of mathemathics of dollars in a vain search. Mashas been such that his instructors ter Fenley is locating these wells have had to rather restrain his in Glass Mountain and elsewhere work; showing a fine mind easily on the ranches of G. W. Blackwhile at school that much of his with no remuneration without reticience was cultivated, for his water is found as Master Guy associatiates gaining knowledge Fenley's X-ray eyes saw and loof his wonderous sight, would cated. These gentlemen will taunt him into quietude and un- cause these wells to be sunk at rest. His disposition has been once, and if future time and lathat of a joyous lad who loves bor bear out this X-ray sight and all kinds of sport and now takes prophecy, then the future history great delight in hunting for of West Texas cattle industry will be written on pages filled Master Guy Fenley is now with with a fullness of prosperity and his father near Alpine, locating riches. Then, too, the world will wells for prominent stockmen. look upon this youth as a wonder His first work was done at San- of the new century who can by

human eye can see.

all the wonders that are to be."

And when the shades of the day well-drillers have put many deep are gathered into night's sweet cies of a hidden world to awaken

#### His First Baby.

chap.

ma's lap,

What do you think of all this biz? He sees nothing else. Soon he Cute little feller, ain't he, Liz?

Say, Doc! how much d'ye s'pose he'll weigh?

Ten? Beats Jones, any way. Hully gee! What an orm that is! Reg'lar Jim Jeffries, ain't he, Liz?

Or else a preacher, or else-gee

Seems t' say as plain as can be, "I'm lonesome: that's what's atroublin' me." Lonesome, the poor little feller is a

Say, Doc, you goin? Well, good

But we'll be good to 'im, wont we

Here's twenty dollars—is that all right?

I'm satisfied, an' I'll bet she is; Pretty good doctor, ain't he, Liz?

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Dr. P. F. Ford has put in a stock of goods with Prof. A

Dol Autrey was in Colorado this week on business.

Miss Willa McCarty, our accomplshed music teacher has been gripping this week.

Mable Stacy has been absent from echool this week on account of sickness.

F. J. Ellis has just completed a new room to his residence and his new windmill is a thing of

Mr. Chapman has just erected a new windmill at his place.

Henry Waldrip was in Snyder Saturday night attending the Masonic lodge.

M. Roads has his new house almost completed.

Mr. Sorrels was in Snyder last Mr. Crow's baby has been very

sick for the past week. Prof. Blanton's little girl, Lu-Ella has been very sick for the past week.

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### A Sunday Wedding.

Last Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Esq. V. A. Beck, in this city, that gentieman recited the ceremony which made J. E. Sechrist and Mrs. Kattie Huett man and wife. The newly married couple are residents of Sourry county and We hasten to join their friends in extending congratulation.





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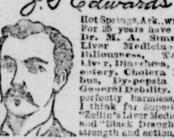
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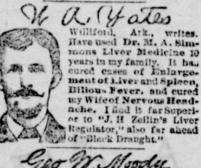
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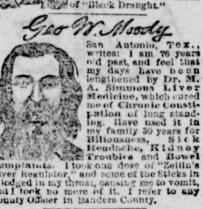
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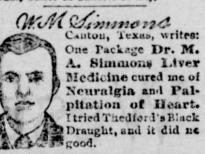
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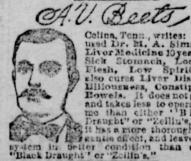
TENNESSEE'S DEAUTY SPEAKS FOR HER SEX. Pearl Ogden



Doyle's Station, Tenn., writes: Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine needs no commendation. It speaks for itself. It cures Liver Disorders and breaks up Billiousness and Billious Colie. I think it is far better than "Thedford's Black

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Capt. J. D. Mitchell was in town last Sunday from the square and compass ranch.

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C. Beavis is an expert watch and jewelery repairer, at Doss Bros., Colorado, Texas.

Bro. J. M. Wood is speding a few days in the city this week.

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J. D. Sears is in our little burg to-day.

If you are contemplating buying furniture wait for the arrival of the large shipment already ordered by Dodson & Wasson.

Your attention is called to the new ad of Charles C. Ligon in this issue.

C. R. Kinchen left last Sunday toed. for Gail on some legal business E. W. Pool left to-day for Colo-

Any one who would like to purchase a hack at a bargain, would do well to call on S. R. Fickas.

Don't forget the Musical entertainment at the Geo. Kidd! building, Saturday night.

Bring your hides and furs to Thomas Lockwood, north side of square, who pays the highest price for them.

Miss Annie Ellis is on the sick list this week. Miss Annie has a host of friends here who wish for her, a speedy recovery.

P. Brady of Clairemont, came little city. He is here on business at Doss Bros., Colorado, Texas, we presume, as he seems to be enjoying the best of health.

day evening. All report a to his father at Mc Gregor. pleasant time.

Sunday mornings.

Oliver Johnson, Prop.

Have your eyes tested by an optician and fitted with the propat Does Bros., Colorado Texas. Saturday, returning Tuesday.

The scarcity of this week's news and other defects are due to the fact that the paper has been changing hands and business to Colorado where he was de- received a fresh carload. tained by the inclemancy of the weather. We are sorry if we have failed to mention names of parties visiting in or from our to Clairemont and Dr. Scarbor- that you real every issue, of this city this week.

mandolins and guitars can be he has always or for the last sixbought for just a little more than teen years at least. the so-callel "cheap" ones from Dr. Bettes, one of our success-Dodson & Wasson.

purchasel 160 acres of land three mont. The people of that section stock. Come and price my miles east of Sayler and will may congratulate themselves erect a residence on it in the upon securing his services. near future.

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rado, Texas. William Wilks, Jr. of Colorado, passed through here Sunday with a herd of cattle enroute to the

Circle Bar ranch. down last Saturday, and is spend- time piece. Take it to C. Beavis cannot live for him self alone. ing a few days in our peacers if it needs cleaning or repairing

The young people of Snyder S. McDermitt, was a pleasant here, returning Monday. enjoyed a social at the home of calier at this office Monday and Mr. and Mes. L. C. Darby Mon- ordered THE Coming West sent

When in Colorado go to Fred Hereafter the City Meat Mar- and Sam Lasky's, in the Lasker ket will be closed at 9 o'clock on block, for your meals and short orders. Everything first class. Ice cream, soft drinks and cigars in connection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Pool made er glasses. Ask for Mr. Beavis, a business trip to Colorado last

in your family and enjoy the growing better in its old age. It happiness of this world, about is hard on our press boys, but it the best thing for you to do is to is very pleasing to us, so give us go to S. R. Fickas and buy the called our corresponding editor Peacemaker flour. He has just

Dr. A. O. Searborough and ough "of course" will still prac- paper. The celebrated Washington tice medicine at Snyder, where

ful physicians, leaves us this and many other things in order Sam Harrington of Iatan, has week to make his home in Claire- to make room for a big spring

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Mrs. Elmer Hampton came in Sunday from Johnson county to join her husband, who has been here the past month, and they will make their future home in

Mrs. Jas. W. White is staying at the Duubar Hotel and would be glad to get music pupils. Mrs. has been teaching four years and can furnish the best of recomen-Johney Graham is down from dations. If you have daughters his ranch in Kent county spend- who are not taking music, you

Prof. R. R. Lively, editor of The Most Popular Watch for cleanliness-and the Colorado Clipper, came up leanliness for watches-Beavis does the work at Doss Bros., in this city. He brought along Sunday on a visit to his family a number of sample copies of his Willie Wilks spent Sanlay and journal and did missionary work Frans with Every Monday with his parents Mr. and until hack time Wednesday when he returned.

and strictly up-to-date wall pa- interest in THE COMING WEST we per designs, at Doss Bros., Colo- desire to state that we are here for the up-building of the country and we bespeak for ourselves the patronage and support of of the business men, the encouragement of our people. We are dependent upon you for success, just Don't let tinkers spoil a good as you are upon others. Man

"Uncle" Kin Elkins and family came down Saturday from Mr. W. L. Smith of Mc Gregor, their home in Kent county to atbrother-in-law of our friend P. tond the quarterly conference

> Jack Elkins and family spent several days here the past week visiting friends and relatives.

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#### Dark News.

Mrs. Knox and children and Miss Jettie Brown of Garza county are visiting Mrs. Jep Brown. Miss Sallie Griggs had her arm broken Thursday evening, by

being thrown from her horse. There was a social gathering t Mr. Jeff Thompson's home last Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave McKnight and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Warren Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. C. E. Reader returned Midland.

moved from Mr. Will Scrivners store. o Mr. A. H. Griggs home. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton visited at

Light Sunday and Monday.

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### Bethel Budget.

Written for last week.

Little Lenora Rogers is right sick this week. Hope her a speedy recovery.

Mr. Carpenter had a runaway recently. The writer did not learn the damage.

Miss Berta and Mr. Joe Ramtown Saturday.

a literary organized at Conroe 50c. For sale at F. J. Grayum's school house soon. Success to drug store. them, Wish Bethel would fol-

Mr. J. L. Surratt is gone to Big Springs on a weeks trip.

Mr. G. H. Barnhart returned Friday from Fisher county. Mr. Chas. Saunders is gone to

Fisher this week. Miss Valley Barkley is in the

northern part of the county visiting relatives.

Rev. Mr. Richardson (Primitive Baptist) of Snyder preached an interesting sermon last Sunday here on Rev. 11:1-2.

Eld. H. R. Looney of Snyder

There is to be singing at the school house every Sunday evening at 3 o'clock 'till otheswis. announced. Everybody invited. Singing is a good work. Would that the people all over the county might awake to its importance. Why not organize a singing convention? We can not have to much singing; the more the better. Only take song out of the world and it would be a desolate corns, burns, place indeed. Imagine the birds ulcers, tetter, sitting silently and gloomily res, chapped around. Fancy mankind harsh and tuneless. From whence could we get that consolation anteed. Only that cheers us "from the cradle 's drug store. 'to the grave," and without which



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