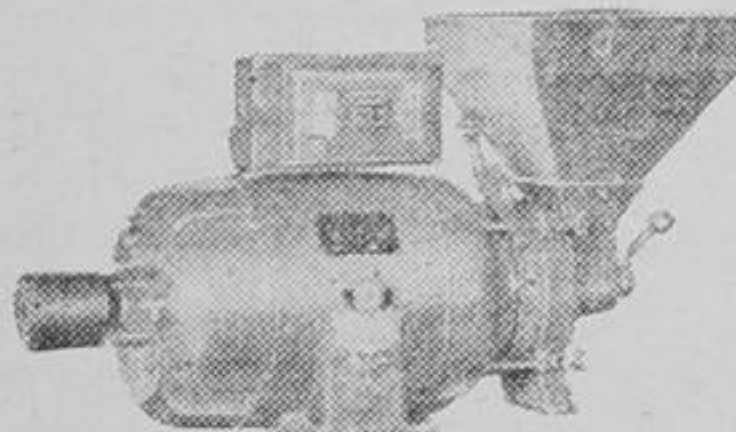


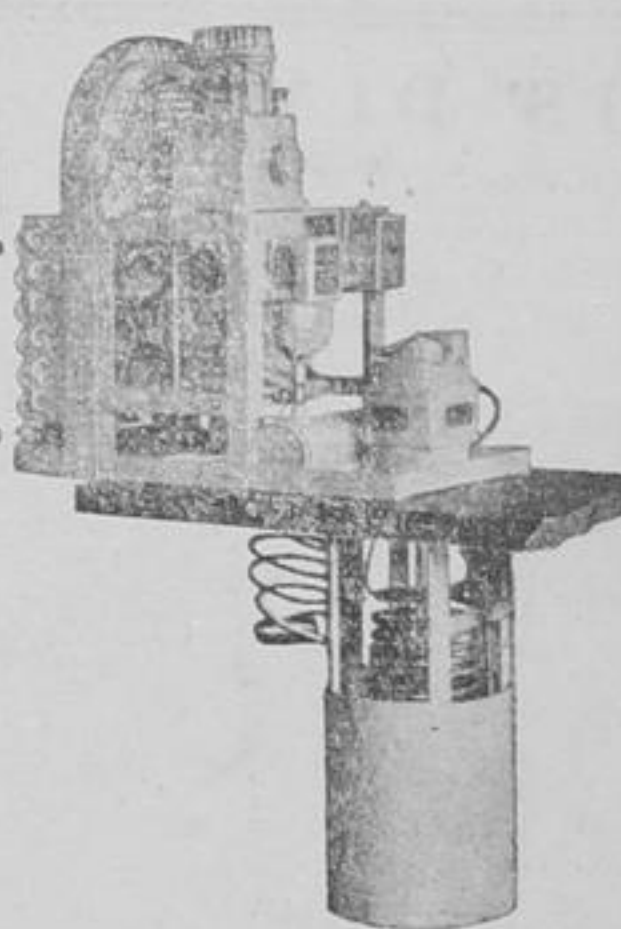
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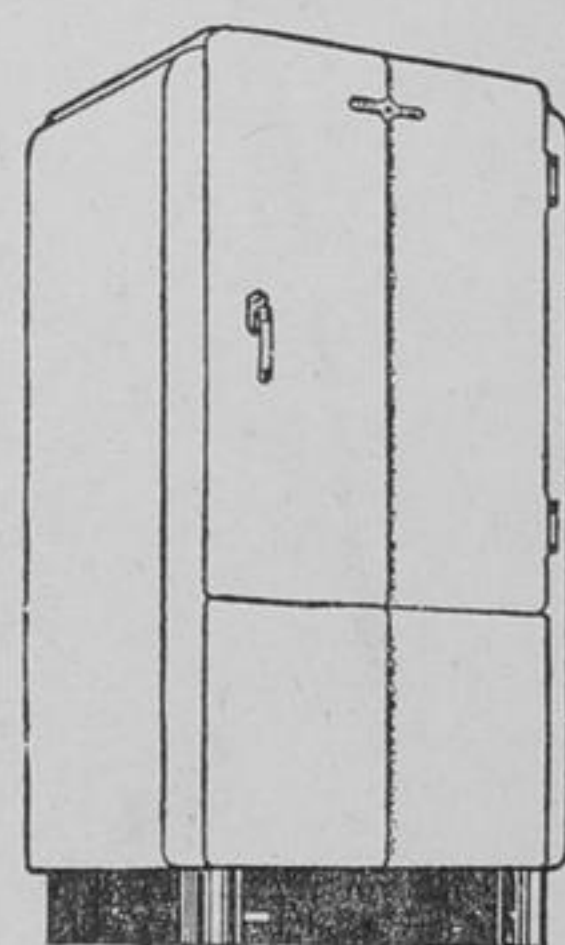
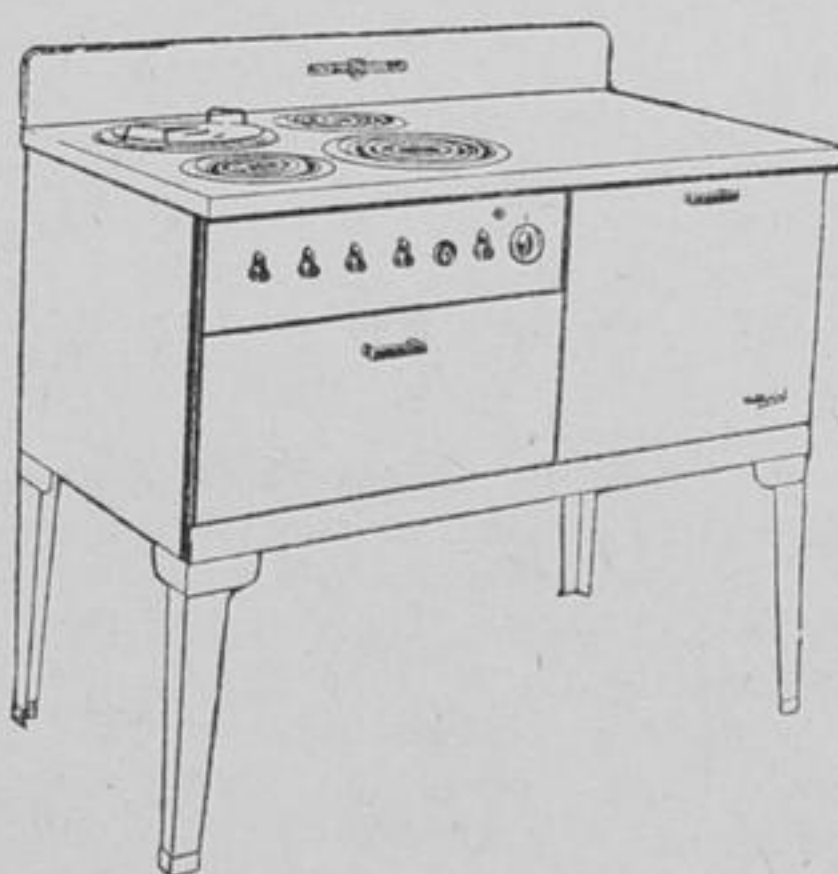
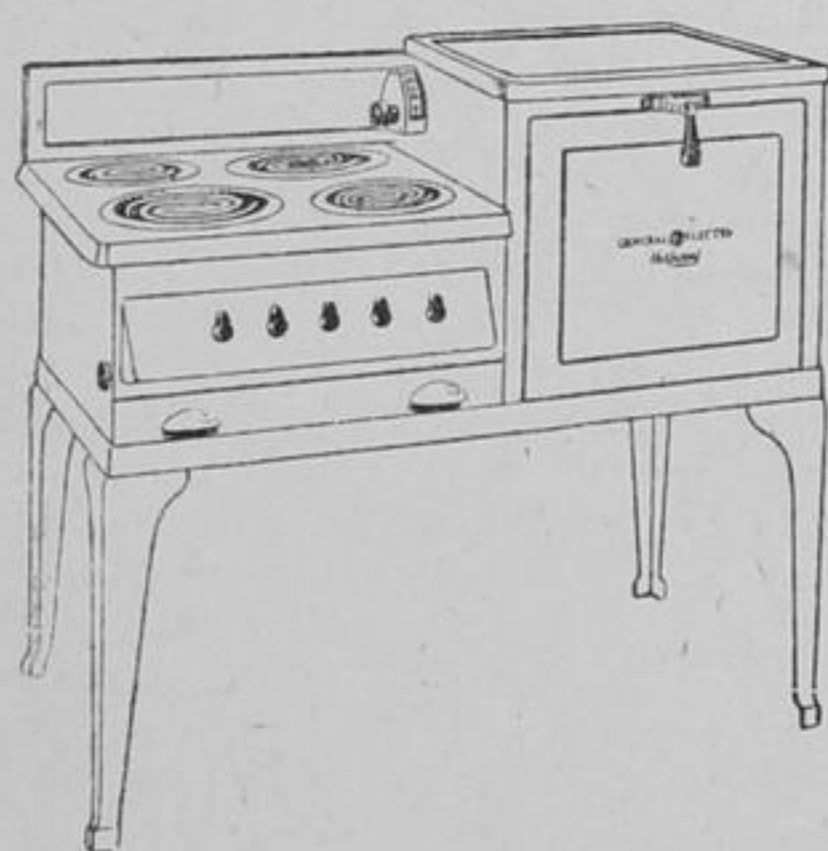


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### CAPITOL THEATRE

**FREDDIE BARTHOLOMEW MADE DEBUT AT 3, RECITING POEM**

**Child Star's Aunt Began At Once To Train Him For Acting Career**

Freddie Bartholomew, who electrified the world with his portrayal of the young "David Copperfield" in the filmization of the Dickens classic, made his stage debut at the age of three, reciting a poem at an entertainment in Warminster, Wiltshire, England. He was an instantaneous success and he has never had a flop since.

Now at the age of 11, he is the star of Selznick International's production of "Little Lord Fauntleroy," which comes to the Capitol Theatre this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, with lovely Dolores Costello Barrymore making her return to the screen co-starring with him in the role of "Dearest."

Freddie was born in London, March 23, 1924, the son of a government employee. Most of his life he has spent with his aunt, Miss Millicent Bartholomew, who decided, following Freddie's first appearance, that he had the makings of an actor and has been his trainer and manager ever since. Until he came to Hollywood, the child star's appearances had been confined to benefits and concert parties.

It was while Freddie and his aunt were on a vacation in New York that Miss Bartholomew read of David O. Selznick's search for a boy to play the young Copperfield. Freddie was thrilled with the idea of playing the role, because "David Copperfield" was one of his favorite books. So they went to Hollywood and Freddie was selected out of 10,000 contestants for the part.

Since "David Copperfield," the young star has appeared in "Anna Karenina" with Greta Garbo and "Professional Soldier" with Victor McLaglen. His current film, "Little Lord Fauntleroy," the first production of Selznick International Pictures, the company recently founded by David O. Selznick, producer of such successes as "Dick Copperfield," "Dinner at Eight," "Viva

Villa," "Anna Karenina" and "A Tale of Two Cities," is released through United Artists.

Most of Freddie's education has been private. His aunt instructed him, except for a brief period in a private school before he came to California. He attended the school at the M-G-M Studio and now has a tutor, Miss Murphy.

His favorite sport is still cricket, although he has taken considerable interest in American games.

Despite his fame, Freddie remains remarkably modest. Someone asked him not long ago what he was going to be when he grew up.

"I hope to be an actor," he replied.

### CHICKS HATCHED WITHOUT A HEN

Among the most peculiar happenings during the hot spell of the past month was one reported from Bentinck township. A clucking hen had been set on some eggs in the barn of Mr. Ed. Bailey, of the second concession, north of Allan Park, but about two weeks after it left the nest, apparently disturbed by some boys about the barn, and no amount of persuasion could induce the hen to return to the nest and finish her job of hatching out the eggs. It was feared that the setting was spoiled, but the eggs were not disturbed and along came the extreme heat wave. A member of the household was greatly surprised on going to the barn one morning to hear chickens chirping. On investigation, he found six sprightly young chicks, and more of the setting were scratching the shell. We are told that the heat in barns during the heat wave sent thermometers up to the limit of some 126 degrees and burst other thermometers.—Hanover Post.

Many Ontario centres have enquired of the Canadian National Exhibition as to the possibility of arranging community parties to attend the Rudy Vallee show. Many such en bloc reservations have been made.

Be sure to buy a ticket on the car radio given away at the Richmond Hill Street Dance.

### WOODBIDGE DISTRICT NEWS

**Joseph W. Martin Makes Return Visit To Woodbridge**

It was in the fall of 1878 that Joseph W. Martin, a youth of 16, living with his parents at Wallaceburg, Ontario, read in a report of the London Ontario Fair published in a London Newspaper, that John Abel, Woodbridge Implement Manufacturer at that time, had carried away the honors for his steam threshing outfit which was just being introduced. Young Martin became enthusiastically interested and wrote to Mr. Abel stating that he would like to learn the trade of machinist and offered himself as an apprentice. Mr. Abel gave the letter his personal attention and answered it telling the lad to come on as he had a vacancy. Young Martin came to Woodbridge at once and applied himself diligently and became an expert lathe hand and in 1882 found his way to Chicago where he went to work the day following his arrival with the Adrien and Westlake firm, manufacturers of Railroad Coach equipment, and has been in the firm's employ ever since. After an absence of 54 years Mr. Martin made his first visit to Woodbridge on Saturday last and found but few that he knew in days gone by. Among the few were, Donald McKenzie, J. E. Harris, Neil Burton and W. W. Reid, the latter being the only Woodbridge resident left employed by John Abel during that period. Mr. Martin is 74 years of age and is hale and hearty. It was in the John Abel shops that the first portable steam engine for threshing and portable sawing mill was constructed and manufactured in the world.

**Extension Added To Co-Operative Farmers Building**

The old Toronto Grey and Bruce R. R. Station built in 1870 and now occupied by the Co-operative Farmers as a store and storage building, has had a large extension added to it for the purpose of storing salt and lime.

Jack Farr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Torrance Farr, Toronto, is spending

the holidays with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William Fleming, 8th Avenue North.

Dr. G. D. McLean and family have returned home following a vacation in Muskoka.

Dr. W. E. Berry, Mrs. Berry and daughter Fern started on a holiday on Saturday last.

Mrs. Oliver Snider and son John left for their home in Montreal on Saturday following a four weeks' visit with friends.

**Rev. J. C. Davies, Former Pastor, Preached Here**

The pulpit of the Presbyterian Church was occupied by the congregation's former minister, Rev. J. C. Davies of Willowdale who has received a call to minister to the folk of London, Ontario, and will leave for his new pastorate at the end of this month. The musical part of the service was given by Knox Choir conducted by Gordon McGillivray with Miss Jean Lawrie organist.

**Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Longhouse on Visit to West**

Mr. D. C. Longhouse, one of the octogenarians of Woodbridge, and Mrs. Longhouse left for the West on Saturday night last, and will spend a few weeks with their sons who have lived in the west for many years.

**Woodbridge Defeats Bolton in Semi-Final Game**

The first of the York and Peel Baseball League semi-finals played before a large turnout of spectators resulted in a victory for Woodbridge by a score of 10 to 5. The players were: Woodbridge, Gordon Bagg, H. McDonald, Lynas Glass, Jack Elder, Lorne Bagg, Bert Shore, Jack Blake, Lorne Sutton, Wm. Robb; Bolton, T. Coulson, Bill Norton, W. Young, Norman Robertson, F. Stubbs, M. Houston, C. Davies, A. Hutchison and A. McNair.

**Good Yields of Wheat Reported, Oats and Barley Poor**

Reports of Fall Wheat yields coming in from different parts of Toronto Gore, Etobicoke and Vaughan, give yields varying from 35 to 50 bushels per acre. The biggest yield

so far reported is that of George Brownlee, Lot 21, Concession 5, near Vellore, who, it is said, reports a 10 acre field yielding more than 50 bushels per acre. The grain is generally said to be a good average sample. Oats and Barley are said to be woefully poor so that the outlook for the farmer does not appear the least encouraging.

### THORNHILL

Miss Sarah Farr of Toronto is visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Farr.

Mrs. Lee and Miss S. Baxter are holidaying at Go-Home Bay.

Mrs. J. Wells is spending a couple of weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Hickling at Allenwood.

Miss Isabel Farr spent the week-end at Balm Beach.

Mrs. W. J. Dobbie of Weston visited last Thursday with Mrs. N. J. Smellie.

Mr. and Mrs. Findlater and daughter of Ayr and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Findlater and daughter of Galt spent the week-end and holiday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Connell are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Morton at Mountain Lake.

Miss Hattie James of Sheldrake Blvd., Toronto, sister of the late Mr. David James, died suddenly from the result of an accident, at the Private Patients' Pavilion on Sunday, Aug. 2nd. A private service was held at her home on Wednesday afternoon and interment took place at Thornhill Cemetery in the family plot.

Miss Winnifred Simpson is spending her holidays on a canoe trip at Manitoulin Island.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Shortt, Mrs. A. Brillinger and Mr. Kenneth Brillinger motored to Palmyra this week, where they will spend a few days.

Miss Frances Thompson, R.N., of Kingston is visiting for a couple of weeks with Dr. and Mrs. Ross Wesley.

Mrs. E. Luesby addressed the Young People's meeting at Teston last Sunday night and spoke on "Chains of Friendship."

Two exhibition games were played on the school grounds on Wednesday evening by the Ladies' Softball Teams. The first game was played between the Junior Girls of Maple and Thornhill resulting in the score of 13-7 in favor of Maple. The winning team then played the Senior girls of Thornhill and the score was 8-2 for Maple.

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