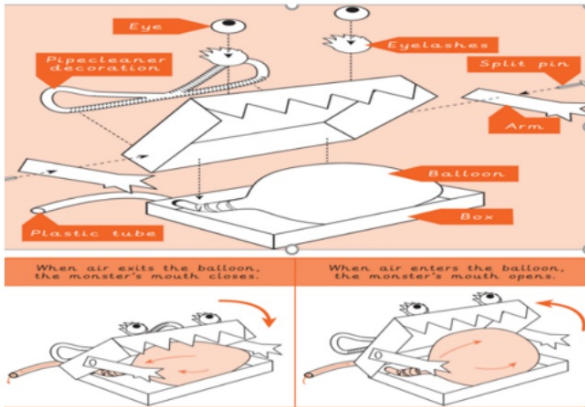


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Pneumatics





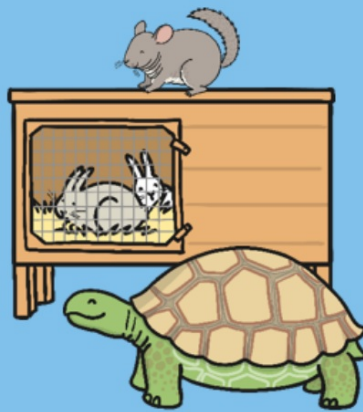
John Dunlop



Who is John Boyd Dunlop?



He was born in 1840.



He trained to become
a vet.



He had a brilliant idea...

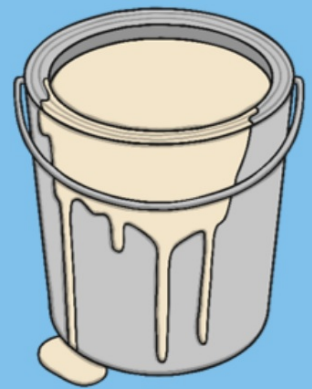
Why is he famous?



He invented the pneumatic tyre.

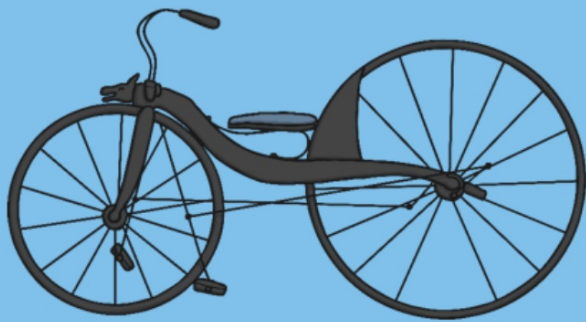


Pneumatic means 'filled with air'.



He used rubber to make the tyre for his son's tricycle.

What happened next?



A racing cyclist asked if he could borrow John Dunlop's idea and then he started to win races.



The cyclist was so successful, that Harvey Du Cros asked if he could make the tyres for more people.

Tyres Today

DUNLOP



Dunlop is a brand of tyre that is sold all around the world.



It is a name that many people would recognise.



The tyres are made in a variety of sizes for lots of different vehicles.



Now we need to create an information page on everything we know about John Dunlop and pneumatic tyres.

Use these examples as inspiration!

