

Fred's brothers and most of his friends became farmers. But not Fred. In 1910 he began university. At first he wasn't sure what to study.



In Fred's second year he decided to become a doctor. Often Fred stayed up late studying. He got good marks and became a star rugby player!





Fred trained to become a surgeon. That's a doctor who can perform operations. Fred trained at the Hospital for Sick Children in Toronto.

There Fred saw many children who were sick or dying. He wanted so badly to help them, especially the kids who had diabetes like his friend Jennie.