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These early televisions started appearing in the early 1800s. They involved mechanically scanning images then transmitting those images onto a screen. I think it’s not fair to mention one name as there are several people who involve in inventing TV.机械式电视在19世纪末和20世纪初。在电传电视出现之前，我们拥有机械电视。谁真正发明了电视？修正历史说RCA，但实际上，这是一个名叫Farnsworth的摩门教农场男孩。他的挣扎预示了比尔·盖茨和网景之间的战争。Sarnoff，自其青少年时期就为美国马可尼公司工作，是最早预见新闻和娱乐广播应用的人。28岁时被任命为RCA的商业经理，Sarnoff大大扩展了 RCA的专利组合，并确保无人能合法制造或销售无线电而不向RCA支付巨额专利费，就像后来没有人能在没有向微软支付费用的情况下制造或出售所谓的IBM兼容PC一样。谁发明了电视是一个热议的问题。电视的发明起源于无线电的发明。由于你可以很容易地将声音通过空气波发送给许多发明者，他们开始考虑声音之外的可能性— 即不仅声音，还有图像。1922年12月2日，Edwin Berlin，他的专利包括通过电线、雷达设备和光纤传输照片或图像的技术，展示了在法国索邦大学的机械装置，据说是现代电视机的前身。尽管他的第一台电视机是用剪刀、一个旧茶箱子和一些封蜡做的，但这个装置在1926年并不被称为电视机，而是“电视机”或机械电视，在其中，一个旋转的机制产生了一个图像。它的创造者是John Logie Baird，一个1888年出生的苏格兰人，他本想成为第一次世界大战的士兵，但因为健康原因被迫长时间在车间工作。这里有五条可能你不会知道的事实，这与Google的涂鸦有关，帮助你带来移动的图像。1. 他显示出早期的天才。生于苏格兰西部海岸，其父为牧师，生活并不快乐。