



According to today's [Google Doodle](#), it's been 79 years since [the first drive-in theater opened in Camden, New Jersey](#) (only weeks after the patent was issued to [Richard M. Hollingshead, Jr.](#)). [The video accompanying it's pretty cool.](#)

There were [a bunch of them here in Alabama](#) - the list includes current and classic drive-in locations in the state - but [the numbers have gotten down to twelve](#). While it's probably going to be a little tough to find a copy of the 1932 British comedy [Wives Beware](#) (the 1<sup>st</sup> film ever shown in Camden) playing in [Argo](#) & [Harpersville](#), you've got a chance to enjoy some recent releases this weekend locally - [Madagascar 3](#) &/or [Men in Black 3](#) (depending on the location). Yes, there's probably a theme here.

The price has gone up a little bit too - from 25¢ for the car and an additional 25¢ for each person in the car in 1933 Camden to \$5 for adults and \$2 for children at metro Birmingham's two current venues. Hopefully the rain will hold off for those of you wanting to check them out.