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Patented a technology enabling radio signals to jump frequencies, which powers mobile phones, wifi, and wartime communications.

One of the most popular actresses of her day and starred in 30 Hollywood films during the '30s and '40s.



Ended her marriage to a Nazi Arms dealer, escaped to America, and offered her invention to the U.S. Navy to support the U.S. war effort.

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