iod Of Restlessness More

Definite



Mary Philbin is Hollywood's latest screen star to announce her engagement. In this picture Mary is shown with Paul Kohner, her As supervisor of her recent pictures, Kohner has been Pary's boss-but the minister will change that. The wedding date

cessful war on his chief opponents

She devotes her life to her low-

ness and good breeding, industry

and imagination. And all this is not

-Greatest Living Americans-

Condensed from The Red Book oy on the darkness and suddenly illumines it. Emil Ludwig. Rockfeller's life is rich in such

What impresses us Germans most about America is not its money, it | creative moments of activity. When films or its prize-fights-not its in the early 60's thousands were staggering output of machinery, or thronging the Oil Creek region of press dispatches-not its soaring | Pennsylvania to bore for crude oil. sky-scrapers. Not its quantity, nor this 23-year-old youngster decides to its accumulation, but its spirit of buy the oil, refine it and sell it again and so avoid all the risks which beemprise, and that alone.

While I am sitting at my desk, I set the wildcatters. Thus with calhear from the sky a humming, rush- culating insight he derives the maing sound which quickly grows to jor profits of the hot struggle. Soon thunder. Through the midst, calm after this he realizes the cogency of and sure as a bird of passage, an the idea to pipe oil to the place of airplane projects itself. Who invent- its consumption. Since, however, he ed this thing? Whose spirit is hov- cannot control sufficient funds to ering above me? Many brains have carry out the plan, he joins forces contrived the artifice since Leonardo | with his business enemies-an act da Vinci drew the plans of it in days | which his day considered revolutionwhen the sun was still revolving ary. Before he was 30, Rockfeller about the earth. But the first being | had already begun his long and suca quarter of a century ago to maintain themselves aloft in a contrivance heavier than the air, the first, later he founded the first trust—the to fly two hours and 20 minutesthese were the brothers Wright, And if the palm of victory belongs to both of them this last summer one of the brothers was still alive to see his spiritual descendant, Lindbergh,

The German Lillenthal, a spirit close akin to the Wrights, failed o by court to pay a fine of 29 million achieve practical results, and was dollars; when he receives the news, thus forced to surrender the fairer he says: "It will be a long time behalf of fame. And rightly, since fore this fine is paid." And he never the sublime quality in Wright is did pay the money. If it be true that after all not the lightning-flash of he is pious, then he must feel him- Charlotte Observer. genius; it is the immensity of per- | self to be one of those world misserverence, the sure faith in reaching the sought-for goal, the courage

tively in his laboratory, but a being wisdom. At any rate, at the age of who makes anew daily tests of his jaws of death. What is more the forgotten in their age that men fi-Wrights were without the greatest of when they attained the objective of personified. What she has accomtheir desires, they were close to 40 years of age. And when Orville Wright undertook at Fort Myer his Europe, nor by groups or societies. trial flight above Washington, to When she was 20, she saw with hor- of the changed order of the nation's soar in the presence of government experts, he was 37 years old. On this took on, what sufferings guiltless beoccasion he fell, breaking hip-bone ings must endure. In the epoch in and ribs, sustaining a concussion of the brain, remaining unconscious all their imagination and energies it is to quote Wilson's words from

But a year later success had come and make a power of it, the Ad and for the first time a Wright dams' are assembling all the plane was flying over the edge of an strength of their hearts and their ocean. Everything we were forever heads to collect money and transhearing about the Wrights somehow held the imagination captive. All rumors concerning them were so pracliest brothers. And although Rocketical, so original and so bold that feller's life is closing with an infinthey might have come straight from the pages of Homer. For here, we felt, were heroes which is to say beings who conquered the difficulty of life by spirit and courage.

Rockefeller in a way is the direct to him the palm which the contem- vacation at Senator Gerry's home, antithesis of Wright: he invented porary world is already beginning to the Frith, in Biltmore Forest here. nothing, discovered nothing, never offer Jane Addams. The heart that threw his life on the scales, gave the beats in Hull House, the self-denial world no new civilizing agent-and which it contains, the flame which yet he appears a genius, although it feeds, are imperishable, and this the richest man in the world. For he woman has as exponent of a definite has founded a world power, without being a general of a dictator—a respect of the Old World for the lina. That number have written power more mighty than many a. state, in which he is of primal inmagnates of the metropolis. fluence and strong enough to defy the mighty state that bore him.

But Rockefeller did not gain his power by lack of scruple; he won it above all else because of his spirit of Here is genius and naivete, shrewdemprise and his imagination. He who undertakes singlehanded so mighty a who comes off victor in such a enjoyment, wealth and a somewhat Leather Reporter. struggle against the people, cannot embarrassed benevolence, but a light It has been state be simply the adventurer and cor- at night in uniting peoples, in the of the year Mr. Lloyd George will rupter whom Roosevelt, vain tried to drag before the bar of justice. Such a being must rather be a man of great combining genius and flashing penetration, who brusts up- beings who inhabit the earth. If Prime Minister,—Punch.

to whom the world owes greatest gratitude, no one can compete with Edison. Let one dismiss from his mind everything that Edison has invented, and how much poorer is the earth in happiness, comfort. safety and stimulation! The obwere invented before him at least in principle, and therefore presumably would have been perfected if Yorkville Enquired. he had never lived, may be raised

greatness is continuity, growth and bia State. of them had the enormous perures and their new beginnings.

Famed Horse Race

of Poisoning

the tracks know what the initial stood for. He was said to have bet as high as \$1,000,000 in one afternoch's play and as high as \$200,000 one race. Four years ago he was credited with having won \$1,500,000 in the Winter season at New Orleans only to lose it in the Summer at the Northern tracks. Whether he died rich or poor could not e ascertained.

Frozly was born in Manchester England, about 48 years ago of Syrian parentage and had been a follower of the tracks for 25 years.

"Nick F.," was probably the most 'scientific" of all race track gamblers. He lived a laborious, ascetic from his agents to figure just how he was going to place his bets the toria alone. next day. During times of affluence | To prevent the increase of these the performances of horses in races tried; but it has been found that Mr. and Mrs. Harley Ledford.

Daisy Forzly, to whom he had been ance as the animals they were in- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Martin of married 20 years and who was his tended to destroy. The attempt to Charlotte spent Saturday with Mr. When luck was good "Nick F." loaded her with jewels. When it was had she pawned them. They were at night, or the other way round.

Forzly did not smoke, drink or play cards. Other gamblers respected And all this without vanity, withhis judgment and honesty so implicitly that when broke he never From his invisible desk he conquers had trouble making a loan with which to start his operations anew. After one of his crashes he is said to have borrowed \$150,000 from race attempt to fight against the plague

Wilson and Smith

campaign progresses we shall hear facts. about the late Woodrow Wilson's anstate wrote Mr. Wilson, seeking his the figures apply to both)? 90 he enjoys the good fortune of views of the Empire state governor. those whose youth has been so far The president wrote in reply as fol-

nally come to make saints of them. Jane Adams looks like Goodness not be disappointed in Governor plished in Chicago has never been quite apart in a great many ways, accomplised by any individual in and I believe he feels in an unusual ror what forms human existence and the world's affairs."

published at this time to keep the which the Rockefellers are uniting record straight. Note how difficult in order to heap together money memory.

RASKOB UNABLE TO PAY

Asheville.-J. J. Raskob, national to save the grandchildren. Democratic chairman, and Senator Kill Raccoons; Perish From Rabbits advisory committee of Gov. Alfred itely greater number of furthered E. Smith's campaign, will be unable existences, with a much larger to visit Asheville this summer besum of human happiness which he cause of pressing campaign busiwith his money has created in his ness, it has been learned here.

old age, yet history will never award | The two had planned a few days'

So That's It, Eh?

(Lincoln Co. News)

There are at least five hundred other America done more to win the anti-Smith voters in North Caro-New than all the bank directors and letters to the newspapers opposing Gov. Smith for president, and prob-When I multiply the inventive ably some of the 500 writers were spirit of Wright, the organizing old line Republicans any how, and talent of Rockefeller, the humanity were against the governor because of Addams, the result is Edison. he is a Democrat.

Dr. Crane says business must be beautiful. It is, when enough orders of the house. They were often seen battle with the state and society, he transformed into power, not into are coming in.—Boston Shoe and sleeping on live oak limbs in the

embarrassed benevolence, but a light | It has been stated that at the end foreshore swarmed with raccoons. ing genius and all of this for the billion of human given up the idea of becoming

Is Rabbit Peril Coming To Sections In Carolina?

jection that many of these things Journalist Says Carolina in Danger seen a raccoon track on the place big storm, Mr. Best having his own of Ruin by Cotton Tails

Naturalists have persistently de- once numerous, are rare birds in against Caesar or Lincoln, as well; clared that mischief would result this vicinity; and the rattlesnake it could likewise be said of a beau- from tinkering with nature's bal- has had to do double duty. tiful woman that her mother had ance; and the increase of rabbits Almost every night I see the brought her ready-made into the all over South Carolina is a case in checks on rabbit increase; and we Juvenile Statistics Show Girls' Perworld-that she needed only to de- point. Just now it is a nuisance, are paying the penalty. but, unless the balance is restored. Almost every night I seen the Human life is full of such lean- it will be a menace, James Henry flashing of the bull's-eye læntern ings; seeds of talent are hidden in Rice warns the Palmetto people, in the river, where men are hunteveryone. But what first constitutes through the medium of The Colum- ing down alligators for their hides.

great discoveries that today bear saying that a single pair of rabbits tailed muskrat, from which the alwould produce two million progeny ligator has kept us free. in three years; and this statement It is high time to put on protec severance, the ever-wakeful gift for was received with doubt and deris- tion for the alligator, before necescombination; he dared and out- ion by people who know nothing of sity forces it and incalculable dam-Colonel Morgan really made that Louisiana. statement, he was in error; but the error lay in understimate. We can It will take no great while for the (get light on the subject from the most obtuse countryman to see greatest authority in the world. Sir what he has brought on himself Gambler Is Dead Richard Lydekker, who says:

Often Worth Fortune in Morning the period of the highest prosperity cent years, rabbits have not been and Pauper at Night. Exires of Australian and New South Wales numerous on the coast, always ex-New York.—One of the most sen- to import a few rabbits into the the borders of ponds ferbids him ational race track plungers of re-colony, as they would serve for food from becoming a pest. He has his cent years. "the myst rious Nick and for sport. He accordingly im- work cut out for him there. F." is dead, succumbing to an ill- ported three couples of rabbits, and This rabbit increase is not conness believed to have resulted from they were turned loose. It was not fined to the coast. It extends over long before it was found that the the state and unless destruction of Born Nicholas Frozly, few of those district in question had been trans- the rabbit's natural enemies stops to whom he was a familiar figure at formed into a gigantic rabbit war- summarily there is going to be a ren. Indeed it was discovered that howl for Hillton Head to Travelers a single pair of rabbits, under fav- Rest.

They Ate Up Australia

The inhabitants of the colony soon found that the rabbits were a plague, for they destroyed the grass, which was needed for the sheep, the bark of trees and every kind of fruit and vegetables until the prospect of the colony became a very last week at Burnsville serious matter and ruin seemed inevitable. In New South Wales lem is visiting Miss Mary Hull. upward of fifteen million rabbit skins have been exported in a single often working all night over year; while in the 13 years ending from charts and confidential reports with 1889, no less than thirty-nine Asheville last week. million were accounted for in Vic-

he would organize a staff of as rodents, the introduction of weasworkouts and reported their these carnivores neglected the rab-He is survived by his widow, Mrs. and thus became as great a nuis- trip in the mountains. an epidemic disease has also failed. hundred and fifty miles long

"In New Zealand, where the rabthan 20 years, its increase has been it inflicts so great, that in some districts it has actually been a not vacate the country rather than track acquaintances for a new start. The average number of rabbit skins annually exported from New Zealand is now 12,000,000.

They Killed His Beans and Peas So Colonel Morgan made a modest More and more frequently as the statement, far below the actual

praisal of Governor Smith. It seems ous increase of rabbits in South that a correspondent in New York Carolina (ours are really hares, but They wiped out five plantings of

beans here last year, and several and Mrs. Mae Connor Friday. crops of English peas. They ate down okra which was a foot high had as their guests Friday, Mr. and and destroyed great numbers of antaloupes, melons as well as vines. Just now they are finishing up a quarter of an acre of cow peas, eating every vine down to the

During our 12 years in this once amous and now desolated regions such a thing never happened before. Although many were caught and more killed last year, they never let up until September, when the rattlesnakes took a hand in the VISIT TO ASHEVILLE game. Then they became scarce; but we had to kill the rattlesnakes

> The explanation of this pest is simple enough. The newspapers have carried lurid accounts, emanating from inspired sources, urging hunters to kill off "vermin," by in September which was meant hawks, owls, raccoons, foxes and so on in order to increase the supply of partridges for hunters to kill.

At the same time the ladies made inheard-of demands on the fur dealers for wraps and cloaks which could no longer be supplied from the frozen North. Thousands of negroes went trapping with steel traps. Raccoon hides sold as high as \$16 each; and almost any kind of hide bought four to five dollars. Four accons a week kept the negro in clover, also the white bushman.

In 1916-17 raccoons were so numerous around here that the boys caught great numbers within sight daytime. Every marsh and every

Wants Alligators Protected Two years ago a reliable negro. who had been trapping for years, told me that four raccoons a week made a big catch, and that two a Mary Jane Mauney at her son's week was doing well. I have not home, Mr. Rodney Mauney, last

the return journey the night of the for several years. They have been trouble in the torrential downpour. brought to the vanishing point. The great-horned and the barred owl, Youth Usually

Los Angeles.-To the growing boy the long road away beckons most alluringly when he is be-This will mean a vast increase in change, faith and perseverance, in-dustry, taste and dignity. A half-the late Col. Thomas Morgan as carp and in time let in the fattween 11 and 16 years old, to the girl the desire to roam comes most strongly at the ages of 15 and 16.

lasted the tireless tests, their fail-

Will Overrun Piedmont Also by destroying the natural enemies "Rabbits were first introduced at of the rabbit. Up to withing reby a patriotic gentleman who cepting the pond rabbit, whose habthought it would be a good thing itat in branches, swamps and along

orable circumstances, would in three Nature does not ask even the years have a progeny, numbering countrymen to obey her laws. She has a way of enforcing respect for

- PERSONALS -

Mr. and Mrs. Draper Wood spent Miss Helen Flint of Winston-Sa-

Miss Willie Witherspoon is spending a week with relatives in Newton. Miss Lucy Hamrick visited in

Miss Pauline Hopper and Mr. Fred Lewis of Charlotte were Sunday

many as twenty clockers, who timed els, stoats, mungooses, etc., has been left yesterday after a week's visit to

Mr. and Mrs. Draper Wood rebits and took to feeding on poultry; turned Sunday from a ten days

> and Mrs. A. F. Farris. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Sigmon of Newton spent Sunday with Mrs. Sigmon's mother. Mrs. Wither-

> Mr. Durant Hazzard, of Miami, Fla., spent several days here last week with his cousin. Mr. Eugene Miss Catherine Green of Char-

lotte returned home Sunday after spending a week with Mrs. W. Y. Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Honeycutt and

guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Steifel and Mrs. Wade Harrison spent Sunday at Blowing Rock. Mrs. Cleveland Gardner arrived

home Thursday from a month's visit to Burlington and Chapel Hill accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Mary J. Llord. Mrs. W. R. Ware of Rutherford-

ton and daughter, Mrs. C. A. Kriechbaum and Sara Kriechbaum, of Baltimore visited Mrs Laura Wells

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Peeler Mrs. Joseph Carpenter, Misses Esther and Ruth Carpenter, of Mecklenburg county, and Mrs. Jane R. Hoyle of upper Cleveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dixon Smith and three sons, Dixon, jr., Ned, and J. P. Smith are spending a few days here. They are from Columbus. Ga Mr. and Mrs. Corrace O. Weathhave been here for over month visiting his kinsmen and sisters. Mrs Major Hopper, Mrs. E. P. Riviere also Mrs. Jim Putnam of Linoclnton will return home Wednesday.

A. V. Wray and his son, George Wray, of A. V. Wray and Six Sons, have gone north on an extended buying trip. They will visit Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, purchasing a big stock for the new store, which they expect to occupy

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Washburn and Mr. and Mrs. Evans Shull motored to Sanford, this state, Sunwhere they visited Mr. and Mrs. Hartness, formerly of Shelby, and Mrs. Carl Coggins, nee Mary Morris, who is a patient in the Central Carolina hospital there.

Misses Nancy Suttle and Al Fountain and Messrs. Whitelaw Kendall and Bill Pendelton visited at Chimney Rock yesterday. They were joined at Lake Lure Inn for dinner by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Suttle and son, Albert, Mrs. Lewis Forney and Miss Frances Levy. Mr. W. E. Jordan and

have returned from an enjoyable motor trip to the eastern part of the state. They visited Kinston, Mr. Jordan's old home, and went as far as Morehead City. "Everywhere in the eastern section, the state seems to be progressing." Mr. Jordan said Mr. John Mauney and two sons visited Mr. Mauney's mother, Mrs.

officials declared it had proved Mr. and Mrs. John M. Best and | there was a "restless age" and it was family returned to Shelby the lat- felt by girls at almost definite times. Charlotte News. ter part of the week from an ex- while with boys it appeared at more tended trip to the eastern part of widely separated intervals. the state. They visited Mr. Best's | During one month 85 boys and 42

father at Franklinton. They made girls were listed on departmental ters, on account of his bold and their homes here. Of that number

The boy is apt to heed the call foundly religious by inheritance, by Itches To Roam of adventure if he thinks he is mis- instinct and by preference, but he treated or unappreciated at home. is the head of one of the largest part of parents, over-discipline and

Anna D. Hahn co-operated in for- of men! Those conclusions have been mulating the new system of redrawn following adoption of a new system of analysis inaugurated by ports. They believe that another the Los Angeles police department year will provide individuals inforto determine causes of juvenile de- mation in determining causes of to vote against the candidate whose After a three-month study the ing remedies.

receiving all manner of biting, records as having disappeared from crusading stand for Governor 60 per cent severed home ties be- the most of them coming from cause of misunderstandings, juve- church people,

He rarely leaves, as does the girl. Methodist Bible classes in the South and it was not longer ago than yesplays a negligible part in youthful torday that he was held in adorarunaways and ignorance on the tion by the bishops. All in a day, therefore, he has under-discipline are the primary fallen from grace and turned his guses for the breaking of bonds face toward perdition, forsoth, bebetween youth and father and cause he has the courage to do politically what his conscience dic-L. V. Hanson, B. W. Lester and tates. So goes always the madness

You can't influence a woman's juvenile delinquency and in effect- wife she dislikes.-Publishers Syn-

Clyde Hoey, we are informed, is

Mr. Hoey is not only an upstand-

ing Christian gentleman and pro-

many of them-no doubt,



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