

# Gladys George To Star In Kate Smith Drama Friday

"Lady In Waiting" Will Be Highlight Of Program; Al Pearce Plans More Nonsense On Show

Gladys George, stage and screen star currently featured on Broadway in the comedy hit "Lady In Waiting," will highlight the dramatic portion of the "Kate Smith Hour" Friday at 7 p. m. over WABC.

Amateur singers, musicians and actors have been getting their big chance at the expense of a lot of good professional talent, so Al Pearce is going to remedy the situation with a Pro Talent Drive starting Friday on his weekly WABC broadcast at 6:30 p. m.

Frank Munn, tenor, will sing the current hit, "Where Do I Go From You" and the lilting ballad, "Her Name Was Rosita" on "Waltz Time," Friday at 8:00 p. m. over WEAF. Abe Lyman's orchestra will open the program with "In a Monastery Garden" and will play in addition "The Little Danube Waltz," "Seal It With a Kiss" and "Love's Dream After the Ball." The Amsterdam chorus will present "You're Lonely and I'm Lonely" and "Dreamy Melody."

"Showboat" with Cap'n Barney at the wheel, and a crew of radio artists, will steam up the Appomattox and drop anchor at Petersburg, Va., Friday at 8 p. m. over WJZ. Music will include "Lover Come Back To Me," by Virginia Verrill, soprano; "Make Believe Island," by Dick Todd, baritone. "Great Day" and "Louisiana Hayride" by Robert Trendler's Showboat orchestra and "In the Mood" with Bob Strong's dance band.

The Old Ranger will tell the true story of "Abe Curry's Fire Engine Company" on the "Death Valley Days" broadcast of Friday at 7:30 p. m. over WJZ. Abe Curry was the founder of Carson City, Nevada.

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## POWER LINE AT PLANT BLASTED

Newcomerstown Strike Grows Tenser; National Guard Observer Asked

NEWCOMERSTOWN, June 7—(INS) — Tenseness of the strike situation at the Heller Brothers manufacturing plant increased today, as stones were hurled thru windows and a utility pole supporting power lines into the plant was blown up.

The mayor of Newcomerstown telephoned Adjt. Gen. Gilson D. Light, requesting that a National Guard observer be dispatched to the strike scene but made no request for troops, the adjutant general reported in Columbus.

General Light promised to send an observer to Newcomerstown this afternoon, but did not know immediately which officer would be assigned.

Wide attention has centered on the Heller Brothers strike because the plant is engaged in manufacturing a special type of file used in airplane construction and figures in the national defense program. Union workers (AFL) are striking for a closed shop.

Union spokesmen disclaimed responsibility for blowing up the power line pole and likewise de-