

Young Lyric Soprano Will Make Coast-To-Coast Debut

Gerry Ferris, 19, To Be Heard On Al Pearce Show Friday; Sonja Henie To Give Naturalization Program

Gerry Ferris, pretty 19-year-old lyric soprano from Tacoma, Wash., will be the next talented newcomer to have her coast-to-coast debut on a commercial program on the Al Pearce show. Miss Ferris will be featured on the Pearce program Friday over WJR from 6:30 to 7 p. m. Miss Ferris will sing a light-classic selection.

In contrast with the guest singer's number, the Merry Macs will present the rhythmic "The Girl Friend," and Carl Hoff and his orchestra will round out the musical portion of the program.

On the comedy side, Pearce and his merry-making cohorts will set their activities on a northern California ranch. The hard-riding gnat-bitten, heavy eating ranchers will include Pearce as Elmer Blurt, Artie Auerbach as "Mr. Kitzel," Arthur G. Bryan as Waymond W. Wadcliffe, Dick Lane, Josef Forte, Wendell Niles, Blanche Stewart and Carl Hoff.

Friday night will be an exciting one for Sonja Henie — and Mutual Broadcasting system.

On that night the blond Swedish skater and actress must register with Uncle Sam as an alien. She has taken out her first citizenship papers, but is subject to the alien registration law. She will illustrate for radio listeners

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

Eastern Standard P. M.—Subtract One Hour for CST., 2 Hrs. for MT.—Daylight Time One Hour Later

(Changes in program as listed due to last minute network corrections)

5.00—Lil Abner's Sketch — nbc-west News; Piano Prog — nbc-wjz-east Children's Hour int.—nbc-blue-west

how the procedure is carried out. It goes on the air at 10:15 over WJM.

"Falling in Love With Love," one of the hit songs from "The Boys from Syracuse, will be featured by Tenor Frank Munn on Waltz Time, Friday, over WLW at 8:00 p. m. He will also be heard in "Dreaming Out Loud." Abe Lyman's orchestra will play "Close To Me," "Sari Waltz," "Red Woods," and "Cellito Lindo." The Amsterdam chorus will be heard in "Love Lies" and "Your Eyes Have Told Me So."

Lucille Manners will sing Valverde's colorful "Clavelites" as her soprano solo, and Romberg's "When I Grow Too Old to Dream" in duet with Ross Graham, baritone, during the Cities Service Concert, Friday, at 7:00 p. m., over WLW. Graham's solo will be Robert MacGimsey's "Roofs."

Ensemble offerings will be "Rock and Roll" by Whiting and "Get Out of Town" from Cole Porter's "Leave It to Me." Under Dr. Frank Black's direction the orchestra will play Victor Herbert's "Badinage," while choir and orchestra will be heard in Spillman's "Flow Gently Sweet Afton."