

is sometimes hard for girls to do, Lyric theatre.

"Our Town" Heroine Guests On Saturday Radio Program

Radiant Mariha Scott, celebrated player of the stage, screen and radio, star of the memorable Broadway hit, "Our Town," will bring her vibrant personality to the air waves as guest star of Barry Wood and Patsy Kelley over WEA-F Saturday at 10 p. m., EWT.

The story of Sgt. Carl Specker, heroic engineer to whom the Congressional Medal of Honor recently was awarded posthumously, will be dramatized on "The Army Service Forces Presents," Saturday at

10:30 p. m., over Station WJZ. Sgt. Specker was killed in action in Italy, after he had singlehandedly broken up an enemy resistance on a sector of Mount Porchio, blunting the spearhead of a German break-thru attempt and paving the way for a successful American counter-attack. Jerry Devine directs this series, which is written by Sgt. Arthur Laurents. Major Harry Salter conducts the music.

"The Adventure of the Mayor and the Corpse" finds Ellery Queen and his aides solving a crime of small town folks at a Sunday picnic Saturday (WEA-F, 7:30 p. m., EWT). Joan Edwards, radio singer, is guest armchair sleuth.

Whitey (Duke of Paducah)

Ford, who says he's one actor who believes a small role is better than a long loaf, will orate on his thespian efforts on the "Grand Ole Opry" Saturday (WEA-F, 10:30 p. m., EWT).

Singing Star Roy Acuff, M. C. of the Opry, will offer the old hymn "When I Lay My Burden Down," and Mack MacGarr, mandolin ace, will pick out "I'm Looking Over a Four Leaf Clover." The Old Hickory Quartet, Rachel and Oswald, vocal duo, Becky Barfield, vocalist, and Minnie Pearl, the gossip from Grinder's Switch, complete the cast.

NEW MINES PURCHASED

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(UP)—Earl J. Jones, president of the Muskingum Coal Co., today