as a slightly upper-crust, liberated swinger, tawny-beired Joanna Lumley (daughter of a British Indian Army officer and distant cousin to the Earl of Scarborough) makes a brief appearance as an unattainable girlfriend for Lance Percival in Wednesday's Up the Workers.

Over the years, Ms.

Lumley has been a dream
girl for gossip writers.

A former top model, unmarried mother (son James is now a thriving eight-yearold), Joanna's quick-fire romance with brolly-andbowler Englishman Jeremy Lloyd led to a marriage that lasted every bit of six months. She has had a string of fashionable beaux-Brian, brother of Earl Alexander of Tunis, pop singer Rod Stewart, and currently actor Michael Kitchen-and is quoted as saying brawny truck drivers turned her on . . .

So it is refreshing to discover La Lumley has old-

## Champers and shawls

fashioned girl qualities, too, and doesn't spend all her spare time drinking champers.

She crocheted that bedspread she so elegantly adorns in the Paul Stokes photograph.

"When I have the time, I love to sit at home by the fire crocheting or knitting," she said. "I'm always making blankets and shawls for chums having babies."

Joanna's beautiful bedspread, however, was stitched together in a much more glamorous locale than an olde English fireside.

She did the complete job in-between takes for the James Bond movie, On Her Majesty's Secret Service...

Joanna, incidentally, has just won a plum ITV role as successor to Linda Thorson in The Avengers.



