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## Coe Glade, Here For Opera Week, Talks Interestingly Of San Carlo Experiences

Debut in Montreal "As If It Were All A Dream," She Tells Interviewer: Gallo Wants to Make Company Permanent Institution in Florida, She Says

chorus is especially effective. The

and they dance wonderfully well. The scenery is now and fresh and all the

stage pictures are healtiful. The cos-

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est traveling grand opera company in the world. It is a wonderful Christ-mas present which we should welcome as our culture and its morits make

Church Circles

The Berean class of the Tampa Heights Methodist Sunday school will meet Tuesday afternoon at the church

This will be Christmas meeting, and thore will be an exchange of gifts. The following program will be given Song, "Glory to God in the Highest," by the class; Scripture reading:

Baskets of radiance roses and grace-

Refreshments of salad, sandwiches

nittee for the proposed new Sunday

Watson and Mrs. E. R. Carswell; altos, Mrs. M. L. Montgomery and Mrs. David Safler; tenors, Mrs. C. H. Buckles and Charles Cahoon; basses,

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A Christmas service of song will be presented by the choir of the Tampa Relights Methodist church this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

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By HOMER MOORE

Coe Clade has been in Tampa for ballet is made up of very pretty girls the last few days resting up for the Florida tour of the San Carlo Grand Opera Company, which will open a four day season at the Victory theater Thursday evening. Aliss Glade was engaged by Fortune Galle for his company last summer, and made her first appearance with the company in Montreal, Canada, in the role of Amin Verdi's Egyptian opera ' Her success was instantancous. Her rich voice thrilled those Canadian opera lovers, and many of them could not understand how a girl of her few years could step from the studio to the stage, and present such an intricate and subtle characterization of the crafty Egyptian princess. Her next field of conquest was the greatest operatic center of the world, Now York City, and there she sang the same role in the presence of critics and audiences accustomed to the high artistic standards of the Metro-politan Opera House. Again she succoeded, and the Tribune has printed a number of excerpts from the New York papers praising her work. So great was her success, and so popular er personality, that the phrase "Coe lade of the Everglades," became ommon talk in musical circles,

I asked Miss Glade how she felt cu the night of her first appearance in Montreal. "As if it were all a theam," she answered. "It did not geen possible that I was actually to ging that great role in a real operacompany in the largest city in Canada. It seemed all so sudden. A few days ago I was just a pupil studying, as I had been for years, down in old lampa, and then, all at once, I heard the orchestra playing the Prelude and adames and Ramphis standing near he wings ready to go on—and it

would be my turn next."

Perone Man of Iron

I asked her it ishe was frightened.

The replied: "I don't know whether was or not, I felt very queer, there no doubt about that, I know as all strung up and was trying and rying to relex, for I knew that singig and relaxation are close friendsnd I was so anxious to do my best o make good, to warrant the confionce placed in me by Mr. Gallo and ir. Perone, the musical director."

What sort of a follow is this Perone? "He is a man of fron. He conducts all the performances and he never seems thred or lacking in energy -and he has not discovered yet that singers are just human beings, cap-hble of great things now and then, but Hable to moments of depression in their work that cannot be avoided. Opera is such old stuff to him that he can't realize how new it is to us who are just making a beginning."

I remarked that I was glad to hear that Perone was just like that, for an easy director would really be a beginner's worst enemy. Miss Glade came back at me in a hurry: "That is all right for you to say but if you were standing there in the wings just about to go on, you would like a soft spot to light on if you should trip and fall. But," she said, "it came out all right for I did not fall," "How did you find Gallo?" I asked.

Sho was aware that he and I have been friends for many years. "Gallo is a wonderful little man. He has more juttlence and teet than any other human being I have ever seen. He never loses his head, no matter what happens, and a great plenty can happen in a big opera company. People get sick and sometimes they think they are sick, and sometimes they get oranky, but Gallo smiles and goe his way as it everything was as placid as I have seen Tampa Bay when there wasn't a breath of air stirring." Sees Florida Future

"Gallo has been Florida?" I asked. of years. He has been here in Tampa a number of times and also over on the East Coast. He expects Tampa to become a great scaport and St. Petersburg a great winter resort. He has told me that both cities have a wonderful future and he wants, not only to contribute to it, but to be a part of it. He wants to make his olupany a permanent institution in Florida and come here every year, it all depends on the reception he gets this year, for there are northern cities that are clamoring for him to include them in his annual itinerary or to extend his season. You know he added an extra week to his New York season this year on that account. The great Contury Theater was just packed for every performance and so he stayed on. If Florida turns out to his performances as they deserve, Gallo will come here every season and Florida will be on the musical

I asked about the company, wanted to know if it is a real opera company, one that will make Flörida a more attractive place for cultured people to live in. Miss Glade replied: "Yes it is a real opera dompany.. It is not a large company but it is by ar the largest and best that travels The singers are real artists. chorus, numbering about 30, can put out more actual sound than an amatour chorus of a hundred. The male

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### Danced on School Program



Mrs. Byron gave a Spanish dance, Estudiantina, and also presented several of her pupils in the fourth annual play given by the Cuesta school last evening at the Spanish casino on Howard avenue.

### American College Clothes are Gaining Prestige in U.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18 .- (Universal | coon is a home-raised product. by the class; Soripture reading; Christmas prayer; duet, "Silent Night;" reading, "Thoughts of Christmas;" selective readings; quartet, "Joy to the World;" a Christmas reading, "Marcia's Dream."

The officers' circle of the First Presbyterian church was entertained by Mrs. J. C. Kelly, Jr., at her home at the Carlton apartments Friday afternoon. Service?)—The popularity of college sports and the tremendous attendance at such affairs are factors tending to rovise the style chart in the United States and seriously threatening the prestige of the British royal family and the brotherhood of the monocle.

It has been said concerning styles for men that the Americans look up to the English for inspiration, that the English look to the Prince of ful vines were the attractive decora-tions. After a brief business session, games, music and song contributed to

accept the better-dressed college boy cloves, coffee, fudge and dates were served to the following guests: Mrs. G. F. Harrington, Mrs. W. H. Bell, as a model for men. This attitude by no means indicates a run of Oxford bags and other absurdities usual-Mrs. J. C. Tims, Mrs. Frank Black-man, Mrs. C. V. Dickens, Mrs. S. S. Cralle, Mrs. W. F. Morse, Mrs. A. J. Hinton, Mrs. R. J. McMaster, Mrs. W. ly associated with the university man but seldom, if ever, actually worn by H. Magee, Mrs. A. W. Boothby, Mrs. S. R. Hopkins, Mrs. C. E. Meade, Mrs. Dorothy Andrews, Mrs. Andrew Sims. Truman Blasingame and Mrs. F. F. Colos.

In the single-breasted sack suits in mixed materials worn by the men this season there is very apparent evi-Dorothy Andrews, Mrs. Andrew Sime, Mrs. Truman Blasingame and Mrs. F. F. Coles.

Circle No. 7 of the First Presbyterian church, Mrs. W. A. Williams chairman, will be in charge of the missionary program tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Sunday school auditorium.

The assigned topic for consideration are the sunday school and school and the sunday school and the sunday school and the sunday auditorium.

The assigned topic for consideration is a church erection program, Florida and elsewhere. Judge E. P. Drumright, chairman of the building comthuslasm in the metropolitan zone College styles as interpreted by frothy young men represent the strip comic influence rather than the actual styles of college hall and campus. school building, will present the plans. The Tampa Heights Presbytorian

The Tampa Heights Presbytorian The foctball season, which opened a church choir will present the Christinas cantata, "The Birth of Christ," by Alfred Wooler, this morning at the 11 clock service, under direction of Mrs. Carl Newborn, organist and discontinuity and students. At Yale the number of rigidly plain sack suits worn indicate, that while the Prince of Wales rector. Soprance are: Mrs. J. T. torial matters the American takes hi apparel leads from others of his kind and gives first preference to university standards. The racecon overcon is everywhere apparent, representing an investment of approximately \$350 The raccoon coat is distinctly an American institution, just as the rac-

Wales and that the Prince looks up of the snap-brim variety. Socks run to nobody,

Thore is a strong tendency in the complete panorama provided by the United States at the present time to various athletic battle grounds of the he wants when he wants it and car not see beyond Sandy Hook.

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but I suppose Af it's necessary I car take gare of the rest of you, too.

are loose-fitting and easy, with comas un-English as one could well imag ine. All of which would seem to in

Father—So you wish to marry my daughter, eh? You believe, young man, that you could support a family? Sultor-Well-er-that is-you see, sir, I was only reckoning on Ellen,

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A composite picture of the American college boys as represented at the football games this year would reveal a tendency toward the informal in matters pertaining to dress. The soft-collar shirt still retains its popularity with the younger men. Clothes pleto absence of any tendency to stress the body lines. Footwear is of the heaviest brogue types. Hats are United States provides a style picture dicate that the college boy wants what

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### Y. W. C. A. Notes

As litting the Christmas season the clubs of the industrial department of the Y. W. C. A. are giving Christmas the Y. W. C. A. are giving constitues programs and gifts to some of the poorer children of Tampa, The week preceding Christmas will be de-voted entirely to programs of this PALM BEACH ARENAS

nature. Tuesday evening, the members of the Kay Kay club of younger girls in business and industry will meet with

20 poor children of Tampa and their mothers for an entertainment and Christmas tree. Vesper Service

For the first time in the history of the Young Women's Christian association, the girl reserves will hold a public Christians, yesher service at 4:30 p. m. today in the First Preshyterian church. All girl reserve clubs will participate including those from Sulphir Springs.

Residence Christmas Tree The girls of the Y. W. C. A. residence and their friends will have a Christmas tree Tuesday, evening at 7:30 o'clock Instead of the regular Bible lesson, the time will be given to Christmas stories and playing of Christmas games. Cafeteria Closes

American Legion. All the ringside boxes are spoken for this coming season and are taken by Palm Beach cottagers, uncluding Guernee and Charles Munn, J. Leonard Replogle, A. J. Drexel Biddle, Jr., Florenz Ziegfeld, Rodman Wanamaker, Addison and Wilson Mizner, Arthur Somers Roche, and many others.
Guernee Munn has taken a box for Careteria Closes

The Y. W. C. A. careteria will be closed all day Christmas. It is one time in the year when everybody wants to be at home or with friends. Y. W. Girls Play Santa Claus Guernee Munn has taken a box for six, for the wrestling and hoxing bouts at the Labor temple, and soon it is

This year the Y. W. C. A. girls will play Santa Claus to about 35 children. Eyery night this week children are being brought to the Y. W. C. A. for a tree and each given to you then the mother is given the could be toy. reported, labor will vie with the American Legion in the excellence of its eal Christmas box to take home with her so that she may do her own plan-ning and fixing of stockings.

on the Ocean bollevard, gave a luncheon to members, of the Lions club of West Palm Beach on Saturday at the Lakeside Inn, Okeechobee City, the city started by Mr., Conners and on his famous Conners highway.

The piece de resistance was venison from a 100-pound deer, a big buck brought down in the Everglades, and Okeechobee striped trout, Floridaggrown endive peas and cranberries

while they eat, as well as stand. The money made is used to send club girls o the different conferences in North

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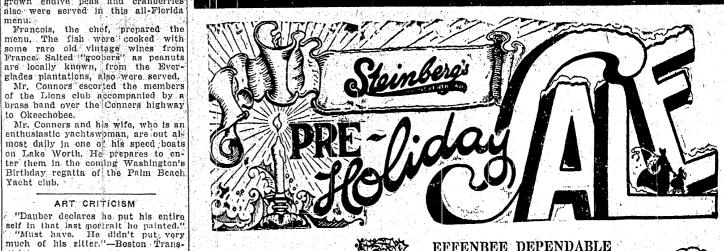
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