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WASHINGTON SOCIETY IN TITLE MASS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (P.)—Many and serious are the tribulations of the hostess to official society in Washington, and not the least of her worries is the necessity of keeping at her tongue's end the proper title and profit for those of her guests who are members of the diplomatic corps.

Tito Selipa, Edith Mason and Federico Chaliapin, with Giorgio Polacco again present as musical director. "Boris Godunoff" and "L'Africana," the latter by Meyerbeer, are announced as novelties in the 1923-24 season, because they never before have been given by the Civic Opera Company. The role of Boris is said by critics to be one of Chaliapin's greatest. Among the revivals announced is that of "Zaza," with Mary Garden in the title role. Miss Garden also will appear in the revival of Messenet's "Cleopatre."

Harry W. Beatty, technical director, is spending the summer in Europe visiting the more famous opera houses of France, Germany and Italy in search of new ideas. He is said to be making a special study of proposed settings in Messenet's "Boris Godunoff," which has become popular with American audiences. The opening of the operatic season November 8 is a departure from custom, as the season will open Thursday instead of the usual Monday and will run one and one-half weeks longer than the usual season of "ten weeks."

Announcement also was made that Atolph Holm will be in charge of the ballet and that Miss Anna Ludmilla would return as premiere danseuse.

FLIRTING IS OFFSET BY BRISK SPORT

Argentina Shows Marked Change from Beauty Parading of Spaniards.

BUENOS AIRES, July 5 (By Mail)—Beauty parading, and idle street flirtations, heritage of the Spanish colonial days, are becoming extinct pastimes in Argentina. The devotion given by Argentine youth to outdoor sports in the last decade, first by the young men and now in growing measure by the young women, is held accountable for the change.

Twenty-five years ago, the young men of Buenos Aires, stiffly attired in black, with high poke collars and French patent leather shoes, devoted their holiday and Sunday afternoons to strolling along the avenues or loitering on street corners with an eye out, mainly, for pretty girls. The girls, decked out with the knowledge that they were to be admired, devoted the same afternoons to "coche" riding, forming a "beauty parade" as the vehicles drew them along the avenues past the groups of young men with whom they might exchange smiles and flirtatious glances. This was about all the outdoor exercise Argentine young folk took in those days, say the older generation.



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CIVIC OPERA TO HAVE NEW SEASON STARS

CHICAGO Aug. 10.—Fernand Anselmi, leading tenor in French opera, will make his American debut with the Chicago Civic Opera, which opens here November 8, according to the announcement made by the company. Arrangements are being made for the appearance of other brilliant guest artists, which will include Mme. Louise Homer. She will appear in a limited number of performances including "Samson and Delilah."

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eral of these "torment athletic formations" have resulted in the formation of two feminine athletic clubs and now it is proposed to found the Argentine Feminine Athletic Federation. The British immigrants are credited with giving the initial impulse to athletic pursuits in Argentina by introducing their outdoor games and pastimes, together with "Sabbath days" as the Saturday half-holiday is called. Favored by a temperate climate, it has gathered such momentum within the past few years that many observers think Argentina will soon take its place among the "outdoor nations" like the United States and Great Britain. Encouragement of outdoor sports is one of the special policies of President Alvear, who shows his interest by kicking off at a big football game, and attending many sport events, while he sets an example himself as a devoted golfer.

ENGLAND MAY HAVE HOME OIL

LONDON, July 19 (By Mail)—The success of recent oil-drilling operations in the northern counties of England and in Scotland have led to new drilling operations on a larger scale. The oil found, while not abundant, is claimed to be of the finest heavy grade and has led that asphalt deposits lie in this section.

Oil has been found in Derbyshire, Staffordshire and Miltoshian. At Hardstoft, Derbyshire, a well drilled about a year ago has produced a thousand tons of heavy oil and the well is still flowing. Five other wells in this section have shown traces of oil but have not yet been pumped. Indications of oil have been found in the Staffordshire coal mines, but the prospects are not believed encouraging for the operator. Most of the test wells have been drilled by the government in order to prove the theory that oil exists in many of the sections of the British Isles. English operators believe that while the result of the drilling so far is not what was looked for, it is possible to produce oil in commercial quantities.



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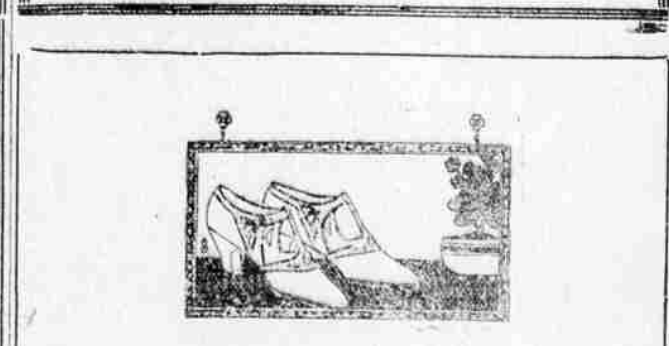
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