



State and district officers were present for the 50th anniversary meeting of First district, Oregon Federation of Women's club, held April 3 at Talent City hall and Talent Methodist church. Shown here during luncheon are (left to right) Mrs. John Baldwin, president of Talent Federated Women's club, hostess group; Mrs. Wallace L. Smith, Portland, third vice president of the Oregon Federation of Women's clubs; and Mrs. William Harms, Grants Pass, president of First district.

### Hilton Hotel Will Be Scene of Charity Ball

Portland-Portland's social calendar anticipates the most exciting event of this season. The gala Hilton Charity ball is slated for Thursday, May 9, according to Mrs. Thaddeus B. Bruno and Mrs. George Os-good, cochairmen.

The elegant "First Nighter" will highlight the grand opening of the \$12,500,000 23-story luxury hotel. Cosponsors are the Junior League of Portland, Oregon, Inc., and the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults, two organizations now serving necessary community causes in many diversified fields.

The \$100 ticket per couple presents a prize package. Every guest couple will have delightful "First Nighter" accommodations available at 4 p.m., on May 9. Cocktails will be served at 7:30 p.m. in the International club, Pavillion, Galleria and Tree lounge. Following the cocktail hour, party-goers will be seated in the grand ballroom for dinner, at spacious tables appointed to serve just eight people.

Friday morning guest couples will be served beverage and brunch in Peter Canlis' restaurant and the International club. Checkout time is not until 2 p.m. However, those who prefer to remain, may request accommodations for May 10 by contacting the Hilton hotel reservations office.

"After the Ball Is Over" the benefits continue. A great percentage of the ticket dollars will be returned to the community through the services and projects of the Portland Junior league and the Oregon Society for Crippled Children and Adults. This courtesy and consideration has been granted by the Hilton hotel.

For those interested in reservations for the Inaugural night, the Hilton Charity ball committee announces Mrs. Raymond L. Farmer, 4110 Southwest Greenleaf Court, Portland, CAptol 3-7410, as ticket chairman.

### Shady Cove PTA Announces Coming Events

Shady Cove—Two events of importance to Shady Cove Parent Teacher association members have been scheduled.

The first is a regular association meeting Monday, April 8 at 7:30 p.m., when a decision is to be made on whether the PTA unit will be continued or a Parent's club will be organized. A committee, selected earlier, is to report on findings they have made in this reference.

The other event, the unit's money-raising event of the year, will be a program by Negro minstrel singers, the Mississippians, who will appear Tuesday, April 16 at 8 p.m., in the Shady Cove school gymnasium. Tickets for adults and students will be available.

During the Monday evening meeting members of Wohanka group, of Camp Fire Girls, will lead the flag salute and the School chorus, directed by Richard Gannaway, will sing.

After the business meeting an adult education film will be shown and discussed by James Collier. Each Monday evening films are shown in the seventh and eighth grade rooms for all interested parents.

Refreshments will be served by mothers of students in the third and fourth grades.



To highlight the 50th anniversary of Methodist church are (left to right) Mrs. Kathleen Severance, Mrs. James K. Watson, and Mrs. T. M. Stott, all Grants Pass, and Mrs. John Mansfield, Medford. More than 70 women from all parts of the district attended the luncheon.

### Northwest Gardeners Plan Show

The largest assortment of plant material, specimen trees, rare lilies especially groomed for the event, and more than 400 blooming roses will feature the second annual "Gardens on Review," to be presented April 17 to 21 at the Portland Memorial coliseum.

Termed the largest garden and flower show ever to be presented in the Pacific Northwest, the production will incorporate the entire arena and exhibit area of the coliseum. Located in the main arena will be a colorful theme garden, designed by Huntington and Roth, Portland landscape architects.

The theme garden will feature such rarities as a florabunda pink crabapple tree, which is more than 30 years old and stands 15 feet high with a 20 foot spread; a 40 year old cypress tree; a 25 year old Spanish Pin Fir and a 40 year old weeping Norway Spruce.

The blooming roses include

#### Kaffeeklatsch

Hornbrook - Mrs. Lester Nye was hostess at her home on Friday for a German kaffeeklatsch. Guests were Mrs. Thomas McHenry, Mrs. John Benzing and Mrs. Donald Bachman, all of Yreka. Members of the little informal club were all born in Germany.

such breath-taking varieties as Goldcup, Fusilier, Moonspire, Alain and White Bouquet.

Jan DeGraaff, world renowned lily hybridizer and grower, from Gresham, will provide more than 560 rare lily specimens of new types and varieties.

"This year's effort will be the biggest ever undertaken by the industry," states George Caldwell, George Caldwell Wholesale nursery, Portland, chairman of the show board. "We have the task of out-doing last year's show, which garden lovers and experts from all over the country have acclaimed as one of the finest indoor productions ever staged," he said.

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