

## **NORTH FROM FLORENCE**

**Florence, Oregon is still a neat little town. The Old Town next to the river stays the same for maximum tourist attraction. The bridge into town is a drawbridge and our friend Kim Anderson says she can't remember the last time it opened!**



**The highway North of Florence is beautiful but is crooked with few passing lanes, and offers spectacular views of the Oregon seaside.**

**There are several tourist spots such as the Sea Lion Caves and Seal Rock, and Heceta Head lighthouse, which cause much congestion to say the least.**



**We made it to just south of Newport, OR to The Thousand Trails, Whalers Rest Resort. We are seeing that all the State Parks are full. This year we have to make reservations for every park we use. There is more of the Boomer generation traveling than there are parks to stay in. No new parks have been built to accommodate the crowds.**

**Dave & Bonnie**