

### Lesmeister And Grayshel Attend O. C. A. Confab

Pete Lesmeister and Charles H. Grayshel, both officers of the Oregon Coast Association, are at a confab of that organization this week at Gearhart, when policies for 1952 will be drawn.

Interested primarily in travel over Highway 101, this organization is doing everything possible to interest tourist travel over the only "all-year" highway in the United States, where winter motoring is equal to summer travel.

Both Mr. Lesmeister and Mr. Grayshel have long been active in the organization.

Membership in the Brookings area in this organization is about as high as any in the entire state on a percentage basis.

### The Wood Frog

When a Wood Frog is resting quietly under a tree or near a puddle of water, it's almost impossible to see him. He's small, and the shades of brown on his back and sides make him seem to be a part of the ground. The only mark on him which stands out is a black patch just behind his eyes.

If he were not such an athlete, the little fellow would never attract any attention. But when there is a disturbance near him,



Wood Frog  
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and he thinks that he might be in danger, he gives himself away by leaping about. Thought small, he is a powerful jumper.

An unusual thing about his leaps is the way in which he lands. The National Wildlife Federation says that he can twist around in the air. When he comes down, he is facing the direction from which he came. This enables him to keep an eye on the enemy or disturbance which had caused him to jump.

Because he is so alert, the Wood Frog usually manages to avoid capture. If, by chance, he makes a slip and gets caught, he often manages to get away by squirming his strong, slippery body.

The lively Wood Frogs live in the woodlands of northeastern United States—from South Carolina, north to Canada. In the winter, they hide away under stones, stumps, logs, and thick piles of leaves and brush. Their long rest ends early in the spring, when the

first sunny days bring them out.

Not long afterward, the female Wood Frogs lay masses of eggs in the woodland pools. Each tiny cluster contains from a thousand to three thousand eggs. While these are being laid, the males croak hoarsely, as if to announce that their families are the only time of the year that about to gain new members. It is they make much noise.

If it is a mild spring, and the water is warm, the eggs hatch in nine or ten days. But in cold water, they may wait as long as 24 days before turning into tiny black tadpoles.

The tadpoles stay in the water until summer, when they begin to grow the legs that will give them the shape of frogs. Soon they are ready to leave the water and join the thousands of Wood Frogs which are hopping about in the shady forests. There they will spend much of their time hunting insects to eat.

At the age of one year, the Wood Frog is an inch longer. He gains a third of an inch a year until, at four, his body is 2 1/4 inches in length. His legs are long and slender, and his toes are pointed. He stays on dry ground most of the time, but the National Wildlife Federation says he is a good swimmer when he does venture into the water.

Interesting information on other wildlife species can be obtained by writing to the National Wildlife Federation, Washington, D. C.

New trustees named for the area are Howard Ray, G. E. St. Marie and H. J. Weigel, elected at a recent meeting.

### Hallowe'en Party

The Fraternal Order of Eagles

will sponsor a Hallowe'en party for the children from 6 to 16 on Wednesday, Oct. 31 at the V. F. Hall, starting at 8 p. m. Parents are invited to come with their children.

There will be treats and games—with plenty of fun for everyone.

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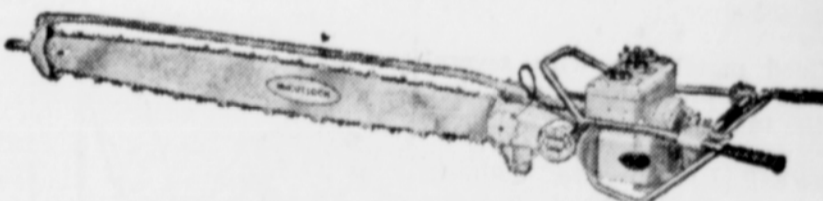
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### SCHOOL NOTES

The high school students body wishes to thank all patrons of the community for their fine support of the annual carnival. The students also wish to thank all the merchants and business people for the many contributions to the affair. Gross receipts totaled \$456.80 and expenses, \$180.25, leaving a profit of \$276.55. Receipts from the carnival will be used for the general fund.

The school is looking forward to two National Assemblies attractions during the month of November. On Tuesday, Nov. 6, Steeple Jack and Jill is billed at 9 a. m. and on Wednesday, Nov. 21, the Mississippians, a negro quartet will make its appearance. The school has scheduled a series of attractions from National Assemblies during the year.

The school carnival last Saturday night was really a success. The main event of the evening was crowning of the King and Queen: Shell Bennett as the queen and Dennis Fadling as the king. They were crowned by the master of ceremonies, Joe Moore.

### LOCAL NEWS

The intermedite Girl Scouts, their leaders and a few parents, met at the V. F. W. hall last Saturday evening for some Hallowe'en fun. All came in costume, and games and refreshments carried out the Hallowe'en theme.

Miss Virigina Akers, representing an elderly laay, won first prize. About 33 were present.

Mrs. Lloyd Weeks, daughter, Gail, and son, Gene, of Grants Pass, spent the week-end here with their husband and father. The Weeks are building the first unit of a new home on Pioneer Road. They expect to move to Brookings about the holidays, depending largely upon the progress of the building. Gene will enter high school and Gail the elementary school.

### To Dist. Conference

Several members of the Chetco Aerie, No. 3087, Fraternal Order of Eagles, went to Cave Junction Sunday to attend the district meeting of the order. A report to the local aerie will be expected soon.



### CHETCO DRUG STORE

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