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Smith River

By ETHEL GOODLIN

The strong south wind blowing a gale Friday night, along with rain over the week-end, caused the Smith River and other small streams to be bank full, but they did not overflow and no damage was reported. Highway crews were busy clearing the highway of limbs and debris, but all roads are open for travel. The weather turned colder, and mountains east of town are covered with snow. Twelve inches is reported at Low Divide, in the mining area.

Mrs. Eva Hill received a letter, written after Christmas, from her grandson, Pvt. Davy Crockett, in Korea. He wrote that he was feeling fine. They had plenty of snow, but so far it was not very cold, and they had a White Christmas, as it snowed all day. Davy is looking forward to the time he can come home. Maybe in six months, he says, he can plan for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hight returned home from Vallejo and Oakland, where they spent a week visiting relatives and friends.

REPUBLICANS MEET TONITE

The newly formed Republican club will hold its first meeting Thursday night at 8:00 p.m., at the Brookings High school, accord to Charles Grayshel, temporary chairman.

Officers of the new group will be elected at the meeting, and an agenda for future action will be set up.

The inaugural meeting will mark the first organization of what Republicans hope will grow into a county-wide organization but is just now being completed.

NEW RESIDENTS

New residents of Brookings are Mr. and Mrs. Les Downing, formerly of Grants Pass. Mr. Downing is employed at the Chetco Drug Store.

CORPORAL DISCHARGED

Cpl. Donald Carpenter, who was with the Marines at Camp Pendleton, received his discharge January 13, and arrived home two days later.

BROOKINGS BOOSTER
Mrs. Earl Carlson of Harbor was a guest last week on Mel Venter's Breakfast Gang radio

program, broadcast from San Francisco.

Mrs. Carlson got in some good words about the Brookings area.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Open Even When He's Closed

Must have been daydreaming on my way to a meeting down in Centerville the other night. My car ran dry before I thought to look at the gas gauge, but I managed to coast into a gas station—and found it closed!

Well, I thought my plans were ruined for sure until I noticed a gasoline can with a sign: "This is emergency gas. Just help yourself and leave the can with \$1.00. Thanks."

Got started, made the meeting on time, and had enough gas to

get back home again—thanks to a trusting friend.

From where I sit, folks who trust their neighbors make the world a better place to live in. For instance, letting a friend express his personal preferences, is one way of trusting your neighbor. Sometimes I prefer a temperate glass of beer in the evening but I'll always ask what you'd like before I pour yours.

Joe Marsh

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