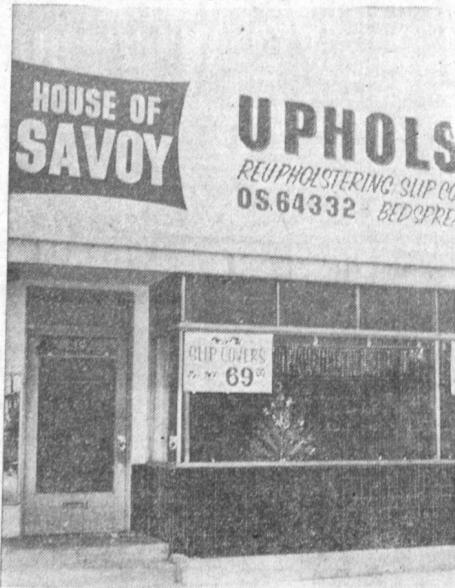


### Grand Opening . . .



REPAIRING FURNITURE is a specialty at the House of Savoy, 204 W. El Segundo Blvd., Hawthorne. Old furniture is completely repaired, reglued, refed and springs replaced where necessary. There is a wide selection of fabrics from which to choose when thinking of custom-made slipcovers.

### Highway Patrol Readies for Yule Battle Against Drunken Drivers

The combined efforts of the California Highway Patrol and State Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control will be matched against the problems of drinking drivers in the coming holiday season, Patrol Commissioner Bradford M. Crittenden revealed this week.

ABC Director Malcolm E. Harris and Crittenden agreed to a joint program for the fifth consecutive year. "Our cooperative efforts have achieved favorable results in the past, and we expect even greater success this year," the commissioner said.

Investigators of the ABC again "will work closely with the patrol in an aggressive campaign to enforce against the excessive drinking problem, both on and off the roadways," Harris added.

### Name Local Man Ass't Chairman Of Alumni Fund

Gordon E. Click, of Rolling Hills, has recently been appointed an assistant general chairman of the 1961 alumni scholarship program.

A UCLA alumnus of 1948, Click will assist in the direction of 400 alumni who interview and screen some 800 applicants from 220 California high schools. Approximately one hundred prospective UCLA freshmen will be awarded these academic scholarships, which vary in value from \$200 to \$600. They are given on the basis of scholarship and include such fields as engineering, drama, music, speech, athletics, home economics, social welfare and public service. Information about the scholarships may be obtained from high school counselors.

Click is an engineering specialist on the senior technical staff of Nortronics Division of the Northrop Corporation. He resides with his wife Ruth, and their two daughters at 2683 Harbor Light Drive.

Our public information program will be directed to every corner of the state to gain increased awareness of this problem as the holidays draw near."

### Rep. King Hits at Deactivation of Missile Base

Congressman Cecil R. King hit at the Air Force again this week charging "misinformation to the public" from the Inglewood Missile Complex.

In addition, King also disclosed the fact that Comptroller General of the United States Joseph Campbell has also vigorously complained that the Air Force "denied basic information" from the Inglewood Complex as his office checked into the missile operations for "unnecessary expenditure of money and manpower."

King said he will confer with members of his National Defense Facilities Subcommittee December 28 to act on the investigation of "Operation Break-Up" — the proposed Air Force action to relocate a part of the Inglewood Complex at Norton Air Force Base in San Bernardino.

### Unemployment Up 33% Over 1959, Reports Director

Total employment in the Los Angeles-Long Beach-Orange County area increased from 2,756,400 in October to 2,761,400 in November, a new record high, Irving H. Perluss, Director of Employment, announced this week. Despite the rise in employment during the period, unemployment also increased in November, in the two county area.

Hiring of temporary workers in retail trade and recalls in the motion picture industry accounted for the employment upswing from October to November. These gains were partially offset by seasonal cutbacks in agriculture and construction. Manufacturing employment also dropped during the past 30 days because of layoffs in aircraft, in metals, and the food processing industries. On the other hand, employment in the electrical machinery group continued to advance to new record levels.

Unemployment rose to 168,900 in November from 156,100 in October. Current unemployment edged up to 5.8 percent of the labor force in November from 5.4 percent in October and 4.5 percent in November one year ago.

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PROGRESS REPORT—Pfc. Neil A. Noworth, of 841 Calle de Arbores in Torrance, makes a last minute check with Battalion Chief Billy Slonecker and William Sprankling, engineer of the Torrance Fire Department, on the progress of the annual "Toys for Tots" collection. Collection barrels, located at the city's fire station, 1701 Crenshaw Blvd., were picked up yesterday and the toys distributed to underprivileged children. Annual project is sponsored by local Marine Corps Reserve.

### Governor Reports Plans for Aid At Long Beach School Conference

In an address before the annual meeting of the California School Boards Association in Long Beach, Governor Edmund G. Brown last week pledged his administration will "not shortchange the future" by skimping on education.

"We will remember that government has no higher concern than education," the Governor said. "I can tell you today," he said, "that I will support every progressive measure for which we can pay the bills."

"We are going to maintain a balanced budget. But I do not view education and economy as natural-born enemies."

"I believe deeply that the State of California has no more gilt-edged investment than the funds we spend to educate your youth," the Governor said.

Governor Brown pointed out that California education faces many challenges, including a tripling of population during the next 40 decades.

"The pressures of population during the next 40 years. We have 3.3 million students enrolled in our public schools," he said. "They will have increased to 7.25 million in just four decades."

The pressures of population growth, he said, will require California to expand its public system "at the average rate of about 6,500 teachers and classrooms per year. That is the same as adding more than 150 elementary schools and 45 high schools every year."

### Moveup Brings New Superintendent To Local Shell Oil Co. Refinery

Harry K. Sutherland, former chief technologist at Shell Oil Company's Wood River, Ill., refinery, has been named superintendent of Shell's Wilmington-Dominguez refinery, according to refinery manager.

Sutherland succeeds J. B. St. Clair who has been named superintendent of Shell's refinery at Houston. A Ph.D. graduate of the University of Illinois in organic chemistry, Sutherland started his Shell career in 1938 in California with shell Development Company, Emeryville.

In 1947 he was transferred to New York and held various assignments until returning to California in 1951 at Modesto, California where he was assistant director of Shell Agricultural Research Laboratory for two years.

Sutherland became assistant manager of Shell's Technological Department in 1955 and served in that capacity until transferred to the post at Wood River.

Sutherland and his wife, Harriette, have three children, Henry, 11, Sarah, 9, and Mary Jane, 4.



HARRY K. SUTHERLAND

### Gas Companies Mark 5-Week Service Record

Five consecutive marks for record daily natural gas send-out were established last week by gas companies serving southern California, according to George Babbe, gas company division manager.

An average of 2.5 billion feet was distributed on each of the record days, Monday through Friday, by the Pacific Lighting System, which includes the Southern California and Southern Counties Gas Companies. Each day's total exceeded the previous record high mark of 2,303 billion cubic feet set on January 14, 1960.

Thursday provided the highest sendout for the week with some 2,655 billion cubic feet respectively, while Monday's sendout reached 2,317 billion cubic feet and Friday's mark was 2,488 billion cubic feet.

Babbe pointed out the five record figures were achieved without any curtailment of service to industrial gas customers.

"We had sufficient gas for all needs of our domestic and interruptible customers, as well as for any requirements for smog abatement which might have arisen," he said.

### EARLY GREEK COINAGE

Early Greeks used bronze containing small percentages of nickel for their coins.

### Food Giant Will Give Tickets to 'Gulliver' Movie

Food Giant Markets are giving away free holiday entertainment this week end! The grocery chain will give away 1500 free tickets to the year's number one holiday movie, "The 3 Worlds of Gulliver," in Superdynamation and Eastman Color, on Christmas Eve. The Columbia picture has just opened at theaters and drive-ins throughout Los Angeles, and will run through January 3, 1961.

Starring Kerwin Mathews as the seaman Lemuel Gulliver, whose travels lead him to Lilliputians, and on to still stranger countries, the movie fantasy is an adaptation of the classic "Gulliver's Travels" by Jonathan Swift.

No purchase is necessary for a chance at winning a pair of free tickets to this exciting movie. Names and addresses may be left at any Food Giant Market. Drawings will be held on Saturday evening, December 24, and names of winners will be posted on the market doors. Winners need not be present at the time of the drawing.

### Two Contracts Awarded to Area Aluminum Co.

The U.S. Army Ordnance District for Los Angeles County, this week announced the award of over \$4,000,000 in ordnance contracts during the past five weeks to county contractual firms.

High on the list were contracts for \$52,749 for design and development of a demolition kit, and \$27,500 for research and development of a rifle and breech, which were awarded to Harvey Aluminum Inc., of Torrance.

In all, 14 contracts were awarded.

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