



SANTA BARBARA

YACHT CLUB

John C. Grim, 1939,40

1903-1950

A dentist who counted many of the Yacht Club members among his patients, John was very active in all club affairs. He also conducted classes for the Power Squadron. When he headed up the Santa Barbara Corinthian Yacht Club, John oversaw the 1939 SCYA Annual Championship Regatta. Later, John concluded the yachting season with a power cruiser log race to El Capitan. He helped to meld and transition the two organizations of sailors (Santa Barbara Yacht Club and Corinthian Yacht Club) into a cohesive group. His family sloop, Valkyrie, a double-ender, was a familiar sight at island coves.