



SANTA BARBARA

YACHT CLUB

John J. Hollister, Jr., 1950

1901-1961

Jack was the grandson of Colonel William Welles Hollister, the great California pioneer of the nineteenth century. Like his father before him, Hollister entered politics and also served in the California legislature. During the two terms Jack served as state senator, he sponsored legislation favorable to yachting, and was widely known in California as a friend of boat owners. (He held the first boating license issued.) One of his pet projects was to establish a harbor of refuge at Cojo Cove near Point Conception. He owned two powerboats and *Cinnawee*, a 40-foot double-ender sailboat. Jack and his wife Cynthia were popular and beloved club members (even though he said he preferred fishing to racing!). The flagpole at the clubhouse was dedicated to his memory.