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## Church Youth To Seek Food For Indians

At least one group of Tor-Barbara and Ventura counties rance youngsters will not have "tricking" on their minds come Halloween eve this year. They are the Pathfinder Youth Club of the Torrance Seventh-day Adventist Church, and they have a Halloween mission.

The 34 members of the local church youth club will be asking for treats of dried foods and fruits, canned foods, warm clothing and bedding for poverty-ridden Navajo Indians.

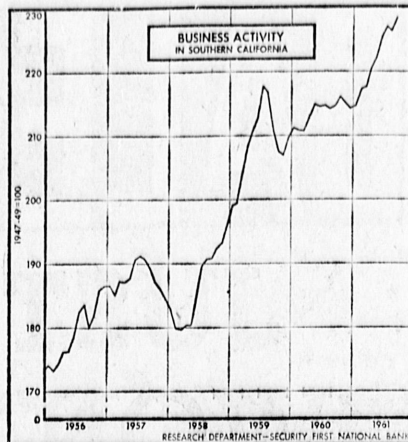
They are joining more than 1,000 Adventist Pathfinder youths in Los Angeles, Santa

these "forgotten Americans," Moraine said, "and we are asking friends in the community who desire to help also."

Moraine said the club's youngsters will be in uniform and they will pull wagons with special placards affixed describing their special mission.

Foods and other supplies collected will be sent to Southland Adventist welfare headquarters in Los Angeles where they will be loaded on vans for shipment to the two distribution points in Arizona and Utah.

"We want to be of help to



## Business Records Strong Advance During September

Southern California's business activity recorded a strong advance in September to establish a new all-time high for the fifth time in six months.

J. J. Weigel, manager of Security First National Bank's Torrance branch, reported.

The bank's index of business activity for the month rose to 228.3 (preliminary), to handily regain the slight decline registered in August, Weigel said. The September reading was 6.4 per cent above the corresponding period of a year ago, he added.

side, San Diego and Kern County areas.

**THE DECLINE** which took place in the Los Angeles area was greater than usually occurs in September, but in most other areas was less than seasonally expected.

Total building and construction in the southern half of the state was at a seasonally adjusted annual rate equal to \$3,569,000,000 (preliminary), virtually unchanged from the levels recorded in the two previous months.

**EVERY MAJOR** area in the Southland reported an employment gain for the month. In the Los Angeles Metropolitan area, San Diego County and Fresno County, employment was at a record high. In most areas, the increases were greater than usually occur during September.

According to Weigel, the unemployment picture for the Southland as a whole has continued to brighten. Unemployment followed a downward trend for the second consecutive month, reaching its lowest level of the year in the Los Angeles, San Bernardino-River-

FOR THE first nine months of 1961, total building and construction was at an average level, seasonal factors considered, equivalent to \$3,572,000,000, or two per cent above the record 1960 level of \$3,503,000,000.

On a seasonally adjusted basis, homebuilding activity in the 14 southern counties increased moderately between August and September. However, it was still below the relatively high levels experienced in the period May through July.

**PERMITS WERE** issued for 11,720 dwelling units, bringing the aggregate for the first nine months of this year to 105,927 units—four per cent above the similar 1960 level, and 16 per cent below the level of the first nine months of the record year, 1959.

Manufacturing employment, building activity, Los Angeles bank debits (which hit a new high), department store sales, and man-hours worked in manufacturing, led the list of nine seasonally adjusted index components which advance from August to September, Security Bank reported.

## LAHC Tops Record for Enrollment

Total enrollment at Harbor College for the fall semester again topped all previous records, William M. McMasters, assistant dean of admissions and guidance, has announced.

Official records just completed show 1,837 student in day classes, an increase of 142 over last year's fall registration. In the evening division, 2,150 students are enrolled, an increase of 153.

Of the day students, 1,296 are members of the freshman class and 541 are sophomores. There are 150 students attending under the G.I. Bill, and 35 visa students from 16 foreign countries.

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