

them with the full NAPA System. Improvement in our Distribution Center picture has, therefore, been just as important to our growth as Jobber gains.

These DC changes occurred 1960-1971:

Opened	Closed
Albuquerque	New York City
Altoona	Oakland
Cincinnati	San Francisco
Connecticut	
Duncansville	
Fort Wayne	
Little Rock	
Morgan Hill	
Nashville	
New Jersey	
Normal	
Roanoke	
Sacramento	
Washington	
TOTAL — 14	
NET NEW NAPA DISTRIBUTION CENTERS — 11	

Certainly of equal importance has been the upgrading of existing DC's. In the same eleven year period, no less than 26 NAPA DC's received major overhaul, or were completely rebuilt. Here again, the improvement in physical facilities has resulted in new operating efficiencies, which of course means many additional sales and profit dollars. It's another established trend which must be part of any NAPA forecast.

The past eleven years also saw three new developments in our product lines: the inception of NAPA Brand Lines; expansion of our product lines generally; and improvement of existing lines. Specifically, these changes took place, forecasting yet