

# From the Archives

*The Arroyo Seco Parkway, formerly known as the Pasadena Freeway, is acknowledged as having started California's freeway building boom. It was dedicated Dec. 30, 1940, and Governor Culbert L. Olson's car led the long procession as part of the opening ceremonies. This photo was taken looking south from Avenue 26. The historic stretch is designated as a National Scenic Byway.*

