IDENTIFICATION
1. Common name: Discount Surplus

2. Historic name:

3. Street or rural address: 7648 Monterey Street
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95020 County: Santa Clara

4. Parcel number: 84100412

5. Present Owner: Louis Sacculo Address: 75 Eschenburg Dr.
   City: Gilroy Zip: 95020 Ownership is: Public Private X

6. Present Use: Surplus Store Original use:

DESCRIPTION
7a. Architectural style: Mission Revival

7b. Briefly describe the present physical appearance of the site or structure and describe any major alterations from its original condition:

The site is a rather large, two-story building constructed on a rectangular plan and designed in a very stripped-down version of nineteenth century commercial style with its curvilinear roofline and centered flagpole. Window forms and double door aluminum entry are obvious later additions.

8. Construction date:
   Estimated 1928 Factual

9. Architect: Unknown

10. Builder: Unknown

11. Approx. property size (in feet):
    Frontage: 48 Depth: 153
    or approx. acreage

12. Date(s) of enclosed photograph(s):
    Mar. 1936

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13. Condition: Excellent ____ Good ____ Fair ____ Deteriorated ____ No longer in existence ____

14. Alterations: ____________________________

15. Surroundings: (Check more than one if necessary.) Open land ____ Scattered buildings ____ Densely built-up X
Residential ____ Industrial ____ Commercial X Other: ____________________________

16. Threats to site: None known X Private development ____ Zoning ____ Vandalism ____
Public Works project ____ Other: ____________________________

17. Is the structure: On its original site? X Moved? _______ Unknown? _______

18. Related features: ____________________________

SIGNIFICANCE

19. Briefly state historical and/or architectural importance (include dates, events, and persons associated with the site.)

The building is only in fair condition, and it has been painted insensitively so that the facade becomes the signing and has been stripped of most of its original form (including the enclosing of the second story windows); but, nevertheless, it retains enough of its basic form to still add to the unique streetscape of downtown Gilroy.

This housed Vicino and Farrotto's Union Garage in the 1920s - 1930s.

20. Main theme of the historic resource: (If more than one is checked, number in order of importance.)
   Architecture ___ Arts & Leisure ___
   Economic/Industrial ___ Exploration/Settlement ___
   Government ___ Military ___
   Religion ___ Social/Education ___

21. Sources (List books, documents, surveys, personal interviews and their dates):
   Gilroy Museum File - Monterey Street
   Sanborn Map 1888, 1908, 1926
   April 1986

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