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airport. After visiting the fair border for the past century.

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Business Barometer

Bank Clearings (Debits)

(SOURCE: Bank of America, downtown, West Santa Cruz and East Santa Cruz branches; County Bank of Santa Cruz, head office, East Santa Cruz, West Santa Cruz, Harbor and Front-River branches, Aptos, Felton, Soquel and Boulder Creek; Wells Fargo, downtown and Opal Cliffs branches.)

	April '67	April '66
Total Debits	\$70,199,399	\$74,115,607

City Building

(SOURCE: Building Inspector, City of Santa Cruz.)

	April '67	April '66
Total Valuation	\$ 261,150	\$ 458,561
New Residential, single family (1)	\$ 17,000	\$ 94,644
Multiple (0)	\$ 0	\$ 125,000
New Non-Residential (15)	\$ 200,425	\$ 128,036

County Building

(SOURCE: Building Inspector, County of Santa Cruz.)

	April '67	April '66
Total Valuation (127)	\$ 693,031	\$ 1,293,644
New Residential, single family (30)	\$ 443,635	\$ 889,300
Duplex (0)	\$ 0	\$ 0
Apartments (3)	\$ 17,400	\$ 75,800
New Non-Residential (96)	\$ 231,996	\$ 328,544

Real Estate Lending

(SOURCE: Title Insurance and Trust Company.)

	April '67	April '66
Transactions (loans)	180	608
Total Valuation	\$ 3,881,575	\$ 9,864,720

Electricity Customers

(SOURCE: Pacific Gas and Electric Company.)

	April '67	April '66
Number in S. C. District	37,322	36,449

Water Customers

(SOURCE: Water Department, City of Santa Cruz.)

	April '67	April '66
Number in S. C. District	7,016	7,009
Amount Billed	\$ 76,400	\$ 82,644

(NOTE: Water bills are sent out on a bi-monthly basis and the number quoted reflects roughly half of the total number of customers of the city water department in and out of the city.)

Postal Receipts

(SOURCE: Postmaster, Santa Cruz.)

	April '67	April '66
Total Receipts	\$ 66,086	\$ 59,595

Telephone Subscribers

(SOURCE: Santa Cruz office, Pacific T. & T. Company.)

	March '67	March '66
Total Stations	49,043	46,455
Gain over previous month	84	219

(NOTE: This includes subscribers in Santa Cruz, Aptos, Ben Lomond, Boulder Creek and Felton Exchanges.)

Vital Statistics

(SOURCE: Santa Cruz County Health Department.)

	April '67	April '66
Total Births	106	121
Total Stillbirths	1	1
Total Deaths	98	96

(NOTE: Totals cover entire County of Santa Cruz.)

Unemployment Claims

(SOURCE: Local office, Calif. Dept. of Employment.)

	April '67	April '66
New and Renewed Claims	863	739
Average Weekly Claims	1,353	891

The Sentinel Circulation

	April '67	April '66
Average Paid Circulation	18,537	18,320