

SANTA CRUZ SENTINEL 6/20/76

Aptos Quilt Will Be Finished

Thirty Aptos women are working on it three days a week — Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday — and they proclaim the Aptos Bicentennial Quilt will be finished before the Fourth of July.

On July 3, it will be on display in the Aptos Library from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Then, on Independence Day, it will be carried in the town's annual parade.

It will share a truck with the Santa Cruz Bicentennial Quilt, then be taken to Santa Cruz to share honors again in this city's parade.

Lucile Aldrich, head lady of the Aptos Ladies Tuesday Evening Society, which sponsors the parade, said she had been informed by the county public works department that the parade may not file onto the Wells Fargo Bank parking lot as previously planned. So the parade will have to turn around on Valencia Drive at State Park Drive.

Aldrich said the State Park Drive turnaround point will avoid the necessity of closing the Valencia-State Park intersection to traffic.

All the motor-powered vehicles in the parade will be asked to go straight ahead at the turnaround point, and the antique cars and other motor entries may park in the Wells Fargo lot.

Mar Vista School will urge its students who march in the parade to carry along bags to help collect the trash.

County government has decreed the parade route must be clean if the parade is to receive future permits.

Aldrich said she hopes there is nothing for the kids to clean up; that the spectators will dispose of their own trash.