

## TODAY'S VALENTINE

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The mother of 11, she has 31 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren.

On her birthday, a friend remarked: "In all the many years I've known Etta Green, I've never known her to say an unkind word about anyone."

This is a wonderful creed to live by, and a Valentine to you, Etta Green, and many more happy birthdays to enjoy.



## Friendship

By Elsie C. Carroll

I did not know what friendship meant  
Till trouble came to me;  
I did not know the many ways  
That friends could friendly be.

I did not know how many hands  
Would help me bear my cross;  
I did not know how many hearts  
Would sorrow at my loss.

I did not know the blessedness  
Of just a word; a tear;  
The pressure of a hand; a sigh;  
The silent standing near

And breathing just a little prayer  
That shines from out the eyes;  
Of just a written line of hope;—  
All these I've learned to prize.

And I have learned the world can't be  
As empty as it seems,  
When all one's love and joy are dead.  
The light of friendship gleams.

And like a little torch it sheds  
A halo in the dark—  
A radiance that warms and spreads  
Until it strikes a spark.

Within the soul made desolate,  
On humble knees I bend  
And pray that I may learn to be  
In times of need—a friend!

## Build Strong

Ursula King Bell

Build your foundation upon the rock of truth,  
And endeavor to steer a straight course,  
Regardless of the waves of discontent and discouragement,  
Which day by day batter away at your rock.  
Take heart! Remember! There is always the lighthouse  
Of strength to guide you through the storms of life.

By James Metcalfe

Before you judge some  
body else... Be sure your  
hands are clean... That you  
are not despicable... Intol-  
erant and mean... And  
even if you feel that you...  
Are quite above suspicion...  
Remember God's supremacy...  
With humble recogni-  
tion... For God and only  
God can judge... The value  
of a soul... And whether it  
is worthy of... That ever-  
lasting goal... Therefore  
you have no right to judge...  
No matter where you  
travel... Unless you are  
empowered by... Judicial  
robe and gavel... And in  
the noble calling you...  
Must exercise great care...  
So that your least deci-  
sion will... Be reasonable  
and fair.

"Give me, Oh Lord, this day,  
The power to do one kindly deed;  
Help me this day, I pray,  
To plant one little seed  
Of faith and hope within the heart  
Of one despondent.

"Give me, Oh Lord, this day,  
The power to lift another's sorrow;  
One word of comfort say  
That will brighten the tomorrow  
Of some sad heart that ever longs  
For one departed.

"Help me, Oh Lord, this day,  
Unselfishly to give;

Show me the way, I pray,  
A better life to live,  
For I shall dedicate this day  
To Thee, Oh Lord."

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Francis Eva ← Alice Alberta (Burt) ← Alonzo Green





*In Memory of*



Alonzo Green

BORN

December 18, 1884

Butler, Utah

DIED

November 3, 1954

Butler, Utah

MEMORIAL SERVICES

held at

Butler L. D. S. Ward Chapel

November 6, 1954 2:00 P. M.

Bishop Clyde V. Buxton, Officiating  
Prayer at Home - Marvin Burton

SERVICES

Prelude Music - Raulin Anderson  
Invocation - Ralph E. Winn  
Vocal Selection - Singing Mothers

"Abide With Me"

Alice Butler, Leader--Acc. Ellen Eklund  
Speaker - Peter M. Mickelson  
Vocal Solo - Lila Burton

"A Perfect Day"

Acc. by Raulin Anderson

Speaker - Bishop Clyde V. Buxton  
Vocal Selection - Singing Mothers

"Rock of Ages"

Benediction - C. Iver Boyce  
Postlude Music - Raulin Anderson

INTERMENT

Murray City Cemetery

Graveside Prayer - Arthur Peterson

PALLBEARERS - GRANDSONS

Dee Swenson, Edward Jenkins,  
Micheal Draper, Leon Green,  
Timothy Draper, Martell Plott

IN CHARGE OF FLOWERS

Butler Ward Relief Society



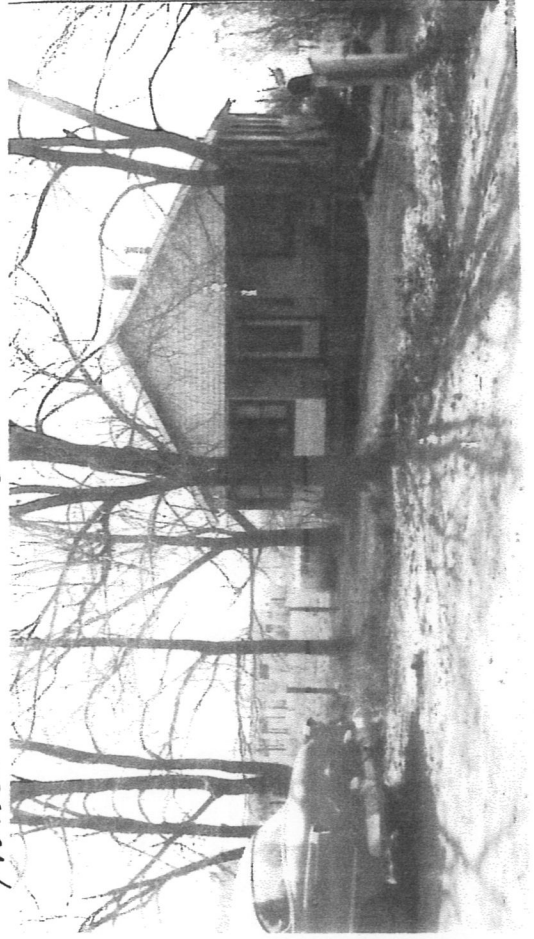
Paper Mill House



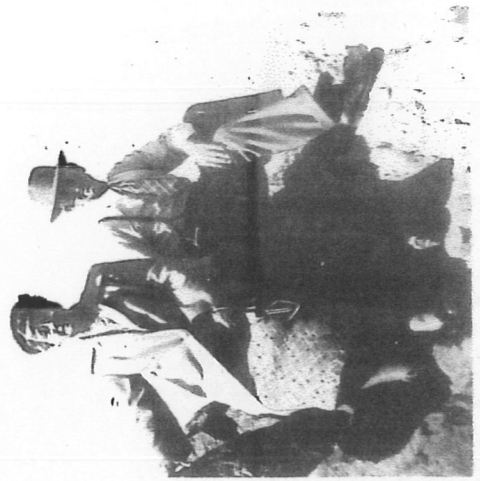
↑ Karen -

Taken 1958

Home on 23<sup>rd</sup> East



Henriette  
and  
Alongo  
Green







Dad - 1925



Mother 1925



Paper Mill House



## **Answer To February Historical Committee Question:**

In the early 1930's, the area known as Butler was very rural and sparsely populated, and the majority of the residents lived on top of the hill. This made the two main routes for visiting the neighboring communities of Union, Midvale, Murray, Holladay, and Salt Lake City via either Butler Hill (70th South, now Fort Union Boulevard) and Brown's/Colebrook's Hill (2300 East). Traffic was very sparse and views at the intersections were unobstructed. The need for any type of traffic control appeared to be unnecessary.

On the morning of October 25, 1932, two girls from Danish Town (now the Danish Road area), Ila Green and her sister Verda Green Reed, who had married a month earlier, rode into Salt Lake City with Dr. J. B. Wallace of Granite to spend the day with their sister Zelma. On the return trip that evening, while traveling south on 23rd East and approaching the intersection of 70th South, they saw a truck coming down Butler Hill. Unfortunately, each thought they could beat the other through the intersection. According to the investigating officer both vehicles were traveling at a high rate of speed when the truck hit the car broadside.

Mrs. Reed was thrown from the car and the car came to rest on top of her. She died of her injuries later that evening at the hospital. Her sister, who had been sitting in the front seat, was thrown into the back seat and suffered a broken arm and internal injuries. Dr. Wallace was also injured. The truck driver was not injured.

There were no witnesses to the accident, but Alonzo Green who lived on 23rd East close to the intersection heard the crash and rushed to the scene to find two of his nieces were involved. He drove to his brother Reuben's house in Danish Town to tell him about the accident and take him to the hospital. This was not only a tragedy for the Green family, but for the whole community.

About two years earlier another fatal accident had occurred at the same intersection and the burned out remains of that vehicle had lain for months in Parley Blair's field (Now Hillside Plaza). The second fatality prompted the installation of the stop signs for the north and south bound traffic on 23rd East at 70th South.

**HISTORICAL  
ANSWERS**





Dad - 1925  
Alonzo (Lannie) Green



Mother 1925  
Mark - Henriette Sangwall  
Green