

she thought she was doing
pretty well - not making
money, but keeping afloat
until she had David go
over her books about Jan 1.

Then he convinced her she
needed to be earning money
because of their ^{financial} indebtedness.
Dana & Nancy talked it over
& decided that she'd better close
up shop and go back to work.
David felt her business
would never be more than
a "hobby" and she needed
more than that.

I wish she had hung
in there, but she probably
did the right thing.

~~Sam~~ She sold out her
merchandise at almost cost
& closed business about Jan 17.

She was so clever with her
display of her merchandise - it was
a cutey-cute shop.

I now have to redecorate the
Kitchen, bath, and Parlor and it
is really a job.

March 25, 79 - Sunday

Monday afternoon a week ago we started
for Los Angeles. We left at 2 P.M. and
so stayed in St. George overnight.
We arrived in L.A. at about 2:30 Tues. morn.

I stayed with Charlotte & Bryan.
They are doing well - have a cute baby
girl (6 mos) and are very happy. ~~It~~
~~After~~ ~~moving~~ we went to the state
Roadshow which Bryan was in. He
also choreographed some of the dances.
He was in the ball-room dancing
group when he was at B.Y.U.

~~Then~~ Bryan went to the tool show
& was able to solve one of the problems
of one of his machines readily & at
low cost. This was worth the whole
trip. We went over to St. Stewart's
orchids (in L.A.) and I got two
orchids and Charlotte bought a
Cymbidium to try to bloom in her
home. Hope it works.

Tues. morn at 4 A.M. we started
for San Francisco & arrived at 12 noon.
We had some lovely weather in
San Francisco.

Friday took us down to
"Aur's orchids" and I bought
another orchid. Dad bought his
a couple of house plants.

Saturday evening we went with
Ly to a lovely affair - dinner dance
at their ward. \$6.00 per ~~couple~~ ^{plate}.