

Salt Lake Girl Writes of British House of Commons.

MISS LILLIAN OLIVER of this city has been abroad for some time past studying music and according to reports has been making excellent progress. Recently Miss Oliver visited the British house of commons and wrote her impressions as follows:

It is approached in fear and trembling—this old-world pile of buildings rising so majestically from the banks of the muddy Thames. The very policemen guarding its sacred portals assume an air of far greater importance than that common to the force, and will only permit you to pass at all upon presentation of your "open sesame" and if fares the unwary stranger who is unprepared with a member's name when he hastily tries to escape the grim sentinel's vigilance. We have achieved this—make the acquaintance of the corridor, reminiscent of Pitt, Chatham, Fox and all of those

worshipers who swell the ranks of British statesmen. To the left lies the old historic chamber—silent and suggestive of departed spirits—formerly the house of commons legislative chamber, where Charles the First was tried for high treason before the most high court under Cromwell the Protector, and here condemned to death—a brass tablet now marking the spot where he stood on the fatal day. Sombre and almost sepulchral, today it remains unused save the fine old hammer roof which serves as a quiet resting place for countless cobwebs. Until quite recently, this hall had remained closed to the public for upwards of 20 years, the outcome of an attempt to blow up this part of the commons.

Having succeeded in evading other sentinels in blue, we reached the outer lobby and take our stand in one of the two rows of people waiting expectant on either side of the entrance leading to the inner lobby communicating with the holy of holies—the legislative

chamber—this is consequently sacred to members only.

Having given in our card to the lynx-eyed official, we prepare to exercise Job's much vaunted virtue as we take up our position in the long line. Perhaps an eternity passes before one's name is called and indeed if you happen to be there with a grievance, your member will probably not hurry to see you and perhaps place only a few minutes at your disposal, but should you be of the gentler sex and your business nothing more harmful than to listen to a debate behind the "grille" or to take tea on the terrace of the house, then you probably will soon be relieved of your vigil. Be that as it may the great point to remember is to listen for your name and upon it being called, dart forward and promptly "button-hole" your man. Being ourselves adepts in the art of "buttonholing," we promptly captured our member and were straightway shown the glories of the house, for here the member is supreme, it is truly his own domain and he—the important person—is justly proud of it. Passing unchallenged through needless corridors, we feel again at ease for no mere custodian of the peace dare disturb us now.

The elevator conveys us upward where an official with pompous demeanor conducts us to that relic of an unbalanced past, known as the ladies' gallery, and which is completely fenced

in with a brass fretwork known as the "grille." A motion recently introduced to abolish this monstrosity was defeated, and so the piece of medieval workmanship is retained in all its glory. This barrier, however, did not prevent an unusual scene occurring here during the present session.

A debate on a private member's bill for the removal of sex disability was in progress, when the bill being in some danger of being "talked out," the ladies vehemently registered their protest by many exclamations and the exhibition of a small flag bearing the legend, "Votes for women." They having failed to observe the notice, "Silence is requested," were without ceremony, promptly escorted into Palace yard. The grille, however, still stands a lasting monument to the conservatism of man.

Our member having returned to his post of duty we took the risk of being bored to death listening to the rhetorical flourishes of the professional obstructionists, who may seize on clause after clause of the education bill as the debate drags on its weary way.

The chamber is wrapped in gloom—some rays of mellow light, mere stragglers—serve to make the atmosphere of the place weird and depressing in the extreme.

From behind the grille we crane our necks and peep below—the mace lies on the table—the speaker sits in the

chair, the top of his wig being just visible to us from our lofty perch. On the right sits the government—solemn, earnest and sedate—and we are reminded of Gilbert's line in Iolanthe anent the House of Lords who "did nothing in particular and did it very well."

To the left, the opposition are occasionally moved to skirmishing attacks, harassing the government and by their tactics generally illustrating the frailties of human nature.

Slow, unreal and lifeless seems the debate to us, and we finally decide that the charm of British oratory is infinitesimal when weighed against the allurements of tea on the terrace.

We descend and again our member pilots us through long corridors and winding staircases until—the terrace—where a faint breeze soon succeeds in dispelling our inertness.

The ripples on the river dance in the summer sunshine, and for the moment it appears transformed—beautiful—a thing to love and give thanks for. A blue haze endeavors to obscure the opposite bank, yet serves to enhance the quietude of the scene. A large lazily glides by and a faint rumble of the traffic crossing Westminster bridge meets our ears, the only reminder of the city's proximity and unrest.

We decide over our cups of tea that even such an institution as the house of commons has its compensations.

Our enjoyment is, however, short-lived—a muffled cry greets our ear, accompanied by the ringing of a bell. Is it a fire we wonder. Our guide laughs and dashes through the entrance into the house as a policeman appears shouting, "Vision, Vision." The cry resounds on all sides—in the house, on the terrace, in Palace yard. To the uninitiated it is mystifying. Later our member enlightens us—the wanderers have to be gathered in to be locked in the "aye" or "no" lobby, there to record their vote. "Alas! but your cup of tea," we commiserate. "Yes, but think of the pleasure of having done my duty to my constituents!" he laughs as he bids us adieu.

MEN PAST SIXTY IN DANGER.

More than half of mankind over sixty years of age suffer from kidney and bladder disorders, usually enlargement of prostate gland. This is both painful and dangerous, and Foley's Kidney Cure should be taken at the first sign of danger, as it corrects irregularities and has cured many old men of this disease. Mr. Rodney Burnett, Rock Port, Mo., says: "I suffered with enlarged prostate gland and kidney trouble for years and after taking two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure I feel better than I have for twenty years, although I am now 61 years old. For sale by F. J. Hill Drug Co."

Salt Lake News Co. has removed second door south Keith-O'Brien's.

DR. FINN'S TESTIMONY INTERESTING.

Dr. Thomas Finn of Boonsboro, Mo., who has practiced medicine for 32 years, says he has used every prescription known to the profession for treatment of kidney and bladder diseases, and says he has never found anything so effective in both chronic and acute kidney and bladder trouble as Foley's Kidney Cure. It stops irregularities and builds up the whole system. For sale by F. J. Hill Drug Co.

OUTING EXCURSION TO GARFIELD.

Twenty-five Cents Round Trip.

Via Salt Lake Route, Sunday, Special train 2 p. m. Visit the smelters and enjoy the mountains and the Great Salt Lake. Special train returns 5:30 p. m. Auspices Real Estate Assoc'n.

LABOR DAY AT SALT LAKE.

Last day of the season. Thirty trains. Forty-five minute service. Matchless bathing. Good music, fine dancing.

Labor Day is ladies' and children's day at Wandanere.

WE SHALL BE CLOSED ALL DAY MONDAY, LABOR DAY

We extend to the wage workers of this city and their families and friends our best wishes for a glorious time Monday—May the day be a great success, say we.

ON TUESDAY MORNING NEXT

Over 5000 pairs of New, crisp, snowy, Lace Curtains of the best grade, the choicest Portieres, Couch Covers and Table Covers go on sale at prices that wouldn't cover cost to manufacture.

Without Exception The Greatest Autumn Sale of Lace Curtains, Portieres, Couch Covers and Table Covers

A Sale on a Much More Lavish Scale Than This Store Has Ever Attempted. Begins here Tuesday Morning, September the 4th.

When we say that every effort of the past is completely overshadowed and eclipsed by this sale, we make a statement that will convey to thousands of Utahns the tidings that the impossible has been accomplished! There is hardly a home in Salt Lake but has profited through the unexampled Bargains our Curtain sales afford. For years no other organization has met or attempted to meet the offerings that has made these curtain sales the most famous in the west. In almost every home plans for Fall purchases of Draperies wait on this sale! And here it is with a Bargain fullness beyond your most fanciful dreams. Extra salespeople will be ready to give you prompt service.

The Regular 15c Curtain Swisses

In the newest patterns, full yard wide, go in this Sale, per yard—

9½c

All \$1.50 Tapestry Table Covers

4-4 and 6-4 sizes. Newest designs and colorings. Go in this Sale, each—

99c

6-4 and 8-4 Tapestry Table Covers

All novel designs and colorings, \$2.25 values. Go in this Sale, each—

\$1.56

8-4 and 10-4 Tapestry Table Covers

In Brocade and Oriental effects, usual price \$2.50. Go in this Sale, each—

\$2.20

8-4 and 10-4 Tapestry Table Covers

In Oriental, Oriental and Rep effects, value \$4.50. Go in this Sale, each—

\$2.85

8-4, 10-4 and 12-4 Tapestry Table Covers

In the most designs and colorings, regular price \$5.50. Go in this Sale, each—

\$3.60

This Sale of Scotch Cable Net and Ruffled CURTAINS

IS THE NEAREST APPROACH TO GIVING AWAY THE MOST DESIRABLE CURTAINS THAT ANY STORE EVER MADE. LOOK AT THE PRICE REDUCTIONS.

WHITE OR CREAM SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS, 2½ yards long, value 60c. In this sale, per pair—

25c

Hundreds of pairs of Point d'Esprit effect NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS, in white or cream, and ruffled white SWISS CURTAINS, worth 70c and over, go in this sale, per pair—

36c

PANEL EFFECT LACE CURTAINS, in white or cream, 2½ yards long, value 70c, go in this sale, per pair—

44c

2 YARDS LONG RUFFLED WHITE SWISS CURTAINS, regular 85c, in this sale, per pair—

49c

DAINTY RUFFLED WHITE SWISS CURTAINS, bordered with clusters of tufts—2 yards long—value 90c, in this sale, per pair—

67c

2½ yards long LACE SWISS STRIPED EFFECT CURTAINS, and 3 yards long, fine dotted Swiss Curtains—usual lengths at \$1.25 go in this sale, per pair—

88c

HEMSTITCHED RUFFLED PINK WHITE SWISS CURTAINS, with 5 neat hemstitched tufts in border, 2 yards long and 40 inches wide, regular price \$1.75, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.10

60 inches wide NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS and ruffled Bobbinet Curtains, with either lace or Battenberg insertion and valing, all worth at least \$2.00 go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.24

LACE INSERTED WHITE RUFFLED WHITE SWISS CURTAINS and Madras weave white lace curtains, 2½ yards long and 40 inches wide, the best \$1.25 value, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.48

RUFFLED WHITE PLAIN SWISS CURTAINS, embroidered Fleur de Lis ruff, 2½ yards long and 40 inches wide, value \$2.00, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.69

40 WHITE CABLE NET CURTAINS, plain center effects with scroll and floral combination borders, 2½ yards long and 52 inches wide, on sale, per pair—

\$1.83

25 WHITE CABLE NET CURTAINS, size 2½-50, go in this sale, per pair—

2.20

IVORY CABLE NET CURTAINS, size 2½-50, value \$4.50, go in this sale, per pair—

\$2.85

ESTABLISHED 1864

F. Amerbach & Co.

ONE PRICE TO ALL NEVER UNDERSOLD

Radical price Reductions on Bonne Femme and Arabian CURTAINS.

READING THESE PRICES MEANS MONEY TO MANY. NOTE THE SAVINGS. IT'S SUCH A CHANCE AS THE "REAL" ECONOMIST WILL USE TO SECURE THE SEASON'S DRAPERIES.

DENTELLE ARABIAN CURTAINS, the pattern outlined with cord, one of the most popular curtain creations in the market, value \$3.00, go in this sale, per pair—

\$2.10

ARABIAN COLORED CALEDONIAN CURTAINS, size 3½x50, value \$4.50, go, per pair—

\$2.45

BIGGE COLORED ARABIAN CURTAINS, with corded ribbon and bow knot effect border, size 3½x50, value \$5.00, go, per pair—

\$3.60

WHITE AND ARABIAN COLORED BONNE FEMME CURTAINS, made on double thread cable net with bridal wreath, bow knot and fleur de lis combination border, value \$5.50, go in this sale, per pair—

\$3.85

REVERSIBLE COLORED ARABIAN CABLE NET BONNE FEMME CURTAINS, corded on both sides, size 3½x50, value \$7.50 in this sale, per pair—

5.30

85 ARABIAN COLORED CABLE NET CURTAINS, with double corded border, size 3½x50, go in this sale, per pair—

\$6.40

LIGHT BIEGE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS, a novel design, size 3½x50, value \$10.00, marked down to, a

\$7.20

CLAY LACE INSERTED ARABIAN BONNE FEMME CURTAINS, size 3½x50, worth \$10.00, go in this sale, each—

\$7.80

This Sale of Madras, Grenadine and Battenberg CURTAINS

IS A MARVELOUS BARGAIN EVENT IN EVERY SENSE OF THE WORD. THE FOLLOWING PRICES CANNOT WELL MAKE YOU UNDERSTAND HOW PHENOMENAL THE VALUES REALLY ARE—THEY ARE ONLY A GUIDE TO THE SAVINGS.

200 CROSS STRIPED GRENADINE CURTAINS, 3 yards long and 40 inches wide—

77c

ENGLISH CROSS STRIPED MADRAS CURTAINS, size 3½x50, value \$2.25, marked down to, per pair—

99c

CHAMPAGNE COLORED OR CREAM ENGLISH CROSS STRIPED CURTAINS, value \$2.50, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.36

HANDMADE WHITE BATTENBERG CURTAINS, 3 yards long, and 40 inches wide, worth \$2.50, reduced to, per pair—

\$1.36

CREAM COLORED ETAMINE CURTAINS, with colored satin cross stripes, value \$3.00, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.65

REAL BATTENBERG CURTAINS with real Battenberg edging and real Battenberg motif in corner. Size, 3½x50. Value, \$2.75. On sale, per pair—

\$1.88

SNOWFLAKE CROSS STRIPED MADRAS CURTAINS in either cream or champagne grounds. Value \$3.25. Go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.98

40 HANDMADE IMPORTED WITH BATTENBERG CURTAINS and H.M. Snowflake Voile Curtains. All go in this sale, per pair—

\$2.65

THE REGULAR \$15 TWO TONED EFFECT CROSS STRIPED FLAKED VOILE CURTAINS. Go in this sale, per pair—

\$2.85

A Sale of Irish Point and Brussels Net CURTAINS

THAT SHREWD HOME FURNISHERS WILL THANK US FOR—VERY SELDOM INDIVIDUALS ARE SUCH ECONOMISTS OF FURNITURE—HERE OR ELSEWHERE—

200 WHITE IRISH POINT CURTAINS, size, 2x40—go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.69

40 WHITE IRISH POINT CURTAINS—a neat, tasteful design—size, 3½x45—reduced in this sale to, per pair—

\$2.85

EXTREMELY TASTEFUL WHITE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS with mercerized novelty borders. Size, 3½x50—regular \$5.50 on sale, per pair—

\$3.85

200 WHITE IRISH POINT CURTAINS—a dainty floral scholl pattern. Size, 3½x45. Go in this sale, per pair—

\$3.98

60 IMPORTED WHITE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS with designs applied in Battenberg and \$6.50 White Irish Point Curtains. Size, 3½x50. All go in this sale, per pair—

\$4.40

150 WHITE IRISH POINT CURTAINS with elaborate renaissance insertion border and renaissance border effect White Brussels Net Curtains, usually sold at \$7.50. All go in this sale, per pair—

\$5.30

150 WHITE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS. One of the daintiest and neatest designs. Go in this sale, per pair—

\$6.40

4 YARDS LONG WHITE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS. Regular price, \$12.00. In this sale, per pair—

\$7.90

SCALLOPED EDGE REAL ST. GALL WHITE BRUSSELS NET CURTAINS. Value, \$14.00. On sale, per pair—

\$10.70

We Expect This to be The Greatest Sale of Portieres and Couch Covers This Store Ever Knew.

EVERY ITEM REPRESENTS A MATCHLESS MONEY SAVING. THERE ARE TEN TIMES AS MANY BIG BARGAINS AS WE HAVE ROOM TO PRINT. PRICES LIKE THESE WILL DO THE BUSINESS.

REVERSIBLE ORIENTAL STRIPED COUCH COVERS, bought to retail at \$1.25, in this sale at—

55c

TURKISH STRIPED COUCH COVERS, worth \$1.50, marked down to—

69c

1.75 COUCH COVERS, 45 inches wide, go in this sale

99c

NEGUS AND PERSIAN COUCH COVERS, 3 yards long and 50 inches wide, value \$2.00, on sale at—

\$1.18

REVERSIBLE BROCADED TAPESTRY PORTIERES, worth \$2.50, in this sale, per pair—

\$1.36

60 inches wide ORIENTAL EFFECT COUCH COVERS, usual price \$2.75, reduced to—

\$1.69

ROMAN STRIPED TAPESTRY PORTIERES, worth \$3.00, go in this sale, per pair—

\$1.98

THE NEW CROSS STRIPED COUCH COVERS, 3 yards long and 60 inches wide, a bargain at \$4.00, go in this sale at—

2.40

HANDSOME FIGURE TAPESTRY PORTIERES, four new styles, value \$4.00, a

\$2.60

150 KASHUA COUCH COVERS, 60 inches wide, marked in this sale, at—

3.10

150 CORDED DUPLEX PORTIERES, Persian bordered effects and brocade tapestries, all go in this sale, per pair—

\$4.40

150 KASHUA COUCH COVERS, 60 inches wide, marked in this sale, at—

\$4.40

ROPE FINISHED DUPLEX AND ARMURE PORTIERES, worth at least \$4.50, in this sale, per pair—

\$6.40

ALL 19.00 COUCH COVERS go at—

\$6.85

ALL 110 PORTIERES go at—

\$7.20

ALL 11.00 PORTIERES go at—

\$8.20

ALL 12.50 PORTIERES go at—

\$8.60

ALL 15 PORTIERES go at—

10.80

ALL 20.00 PORTIERES go at—

13.40

The Regular 20c Fish Nets

Full yard wide, used extensively for Sash Curtains. Go in this Sale, per yard—

11½c

All 50c door panels in this Sale, each—

26c

All 75c door panels, in this Sale, each—

38c

All \$1.25 door panels, in this Sale, each—

68c

All \$1.50 door panels, in this Sale, each—

79c

All the 15c Silkalines

In the newest colorings and patterns. Go in this Sale, per yard—

9½c

Yard Wide Drapery Sateen

In the prettiest patterns and colorings, for comforter coverings, regular 25c. In this Sale, per yard—

16½