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A REMINISCENCE

Nobility! That was the quality the little girl saw radiating all about the tall, slender, scholarly-looking man who passed the house every day.

Clark Lane was his name. The little girl had heard it from her father who was so busy keeping a hotel he had small time to notice how his child was amusing herself. She had learned to read, and she devoured all the books that came her way. Sometimes—not very often—they were suitable to her few years. That particular day

she was reading a paper-backed novel left at the hotel by some strolling player. The tall gentleman noticed the child reading on the doorstep. He gently took the book from her hands.

"This isn't the sort of book nice little girls like you should be reading, my dear," he said. "Have you ever read any of Dickens' stories?"

"No, sir," said the child, abashed. "Or Sir Walter Scott?"

"No, sir." "Oh, my dear child, what a feast you have ahead of you, and how you will like those books! I'll bring some of them over to you from my home. And, let me tell you a dream of mine. My pet dream, little girl, is to give a library to Hamilton, where you and your schoolmates and all the children that will come after you may come to read and learn, from the lives of great men and women, how to live themselves. I'll get my dream, some day. And you'll get your books."

The little girl was Josephine, daughter of Felix Straub, pioneer hotel-keeper, and she was but one of the thousands of children who have been blessed by the vision and beneficence of Clark Lane, the generous founder of Lane Free Library. To keep green his memory and his dream for Hamilton, vote for the library bonds on April 27.

—Stella Weiler Taylor.

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WALTER TOBEY SEEKS TROUBLE FOR HAMILTON

WRITES TO TEXAS TOWN FOR ALL INFORMATION REGARDING "OPEN SHOP" MOVEMENT

Knowing Attempt to Foist Pernicious System on Local Workers Would Create Greatest Turmoil Ever Witnessed in City.

Walter Tobey, part owner, general manager, editor, controller, and everything else of the Hamilton Daily News, a paper well known for its emity of the workingman, especially these organized, has gone a long way to lay a stumbling block in the path of organized labor and incidentally, should he succeed in carrying out what he evidently has in mind, create the worst industrial strife and the bitterest feeling between the workers and the employers that was ever dreamed of hitherto or witnessed in the history of the city.

It is a well known fact that there is strong agitation among the employers in southern Texas for the "open shop" movement; especially is this true along the Mexican border, where white labor has a strong fight against cheap greasy Mexican and negro labor. Mr. Tobey is so taken up with this movement and with the idea of springing it in Hamilton, that he has communicated with G. D. Miller, secretary of the Sherman Welfare Association, which is sponsoring the movement in Sherman, Texas, asking for all information regarding the movement in that city.

The following letter addressed to Trades Council of this city, is self-explanatory of Mr. Tobey's activities in the matter:

"Sherman, Texas, April 10, 1920.
"Mr. A. E. Eggleston,
"Secy. Trades & Labor Council,
"136 Webster Ave.
"Hamilton, Ohio.

"Dear Mr. Eggleston:
"I am sending you a clipping from yesterday's paper of this place, where I happened to be working for a few days; we have "open shop" as the employer calls it, in the following Texas towns and cities: Sherman, Beaumont, Austin, San Antonio and Dallas. So far it seems to be a blessing to organized labor with the exception of a few weak organizations who they are trying to squeeze the life out of. But if you are not prepared for a battle, if organized labor in your city isn't 100 per cent together, it is time to start work to bring about a condition of solidarity among labor's ranks.

"The open shop of Texas stands for: "Closed shop to the union man and woman;
"The destruction of collective bargaining;
"Long hours and low pay.

"In fact to destroy every thing organized labor has accomplished. They favor class legislation, anti-strike laws, compulsory arbitration and slavery; so be ready for them when they start. I work all over Texas, being in the employ of the State Federation of Labor as an organizer, and I know our Texas employers who are so strong for the open shop are the fellows who pay women \$3 and \$4 per week; they are also responsible for flooding the country with Mexicans.

"With best wishes to the labor movement of Hamilton and hoping this warning came in time, I am,
"Fraternally,

"Representative Tex. State Fed. of Labor,
"Labor Temple,
"Dallas, Texas."

Here is the clipping as it appeared in the Sherman Daily Democrat, published at Sherman, Texas, on April 9:

"WANTS INFORMATION ON OPEN SHOP MOVE

"G. D. Miller, secretary of the Sherman Welfare Association, which is sponsoring the open shop movement in Sherman, is in receipt of a letter from W. L. Tobey, of the Daily News of Hamilton, Ohio, requesting information in regard to the progress of the open shop movement here. In the letter it is stated that it is desired to start the movement there, and all information on the subject is wanted."

The question is, what does Walter Tobey hope to gain by this move of his and in whose interest is he doing it? Is he doing it in the interest of the Hoover, Owens, Rentscher Company, the Niles Tool Works, Black & Clawson, Champion Coated Paper Company, the Estate Stove Company, the safe companies or some of the other many big industrial plants of the city? We don't believe he is, because we don't believe that any of these firms would sanction such action on the part of Mr. Tobey. What, then, is the big idea?

Does Mr. Tobey hope by this method to create bitter feeling between the workers and their employers, causing strikes, violence, and turmoil, which would again give him cause for abusing union labor? Does he hope in this manner to partly repay those to whom he is indebted for his very existence? He surely isn't doing it for the benefit he would obtain in his own plant where "open shop" conditions have existed for many years. He knows from experience that "open

shop" methods are a failure. He knows that he has advertised throughout the country for help in his plant, giving out that there is no trouble at his plant, and he knows that printers have come from all parts of the country to accept positions from him, only to turn away when they learned the existing conditions. Again we ask, ask, "What is the big idea?"

Never before, in the history of Hamilton, has the relations between the workers and the employers been so harmonious as they are today. All pulling together. Yet here is a man at the head of a daily paper whose influence should be used to further that harmony, attempting to bring in a system that if successful in getting in, would shake the very foundations of the industrial life of the city.

The Texas labor representative says that the "open shop" in Texas stands for closed shop to union men and women, destruction of collective bargaining, long hours and low pay; in fact the destruction of everything that organized labor has accomplished, and of course that is what is means in Hamilton if it once secures a foothold. Can you imagine what this would mean to Hamilton with its 5000 union men and women when a union man or woman was denied admittance to a shop unless they first gave up their membership in the union, and when they are told that they must work ten hours instead of eight and at a much lower rate of pay? Can you imagine the strikes and violence bound to be engendered by such methods?

And what do the men who would suffer most, outside the workingman himself, think and say of this man who, by the methods he has adopted, seeks to destroy the friendly relations existing between the workers and their employers, which if it is destroyed means great losses to them and perhaps destruction of their business—we mean the merchants, the real estate man and the business man in general.

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- FOR HOSPITALS AND HOMES.** Every year thousands of men and women are turned away from church hospitals because of lack of room. The children's homes are compelled to turn away more children than they can receive.
- FOR HIGHER EDUCATION.** OF the 450,000 American students in institutions of higher grade, one-half are in institutions founded and supported by the churches. Many of these institutions have had no great endowment campaigns, but their needs are just as pressing as the needs of larger schools, and you have only to read their list of alumni and alumni trustees to see the value of their contributions to America.
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- FOR THE CHURCHES' WORK ABROAD.** Indians came first from the Orient thirty years ago; nearly all plagues are Oriental plagues. So long as China has only one physician to every 400,000 people the Orient will continue to be a menace. So long as one-third of the babies of India die before their second year our own babies are not safe. A Christian doctor or teacher sent abroad is working for America as truly as though he worked at home.
- FOR PASTOR'S SALARIES.** The preacher is called the "ungotten man," and well he may be. Eight out of ten preachers are paid less than \$20 a week!

Each denomination has its own detailed budget, and will administer its own funds. Your pastor has copies of the budget; examine them for yourself. In the week of April 25th-May 2nd you will be given your opportunity to help. You can do it with the full satisfaction of knowing that every dollar of your gift has its post assigned to it in advance.

Every dollar for better America and a better world. When your church calls on you give—and give with your heart as well as your pocket-book.



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