LOBBYISTS HIRED TO UPHOLD TARIFF

Senate Committee Smokes Out So-Called Attorneys for Grange.

THEY PROMOTE NEW LAWS

Contributions to Fight on Reciproc ity Offered by Woolen, Paper and Lumber Interests-Day for Vote Is Fixed.

WASHINGTON, May 11.-Public hear-

WASHINGTON, May il.—Public hearings on the Casadian reciprocity bill
were practically completed by the Senste finance committee today and next
Wednesday was fixed for a vote on the
measure by the committee.

No amendments other than that offered by Bost on the paper clause will
have any chance of consideration, it was
said by a member of the committee. The
Boot amendment, it was added, will have
to be materially modified before it can
be accepted.

It was decided to request officers of
the Associated Press and of the American Publishers' Association to appear
Monday to answer some question regarding the matters under consideration.

Joseph H. Allen, of the firm of Allen
& Graham, of New York, employed to
conduct the right being made against
reciprocity by the National Grange,
acknowledged that M. Wood, president
of the American Woolen Company; Arthur C. Hastings, president of the American Paper & Pulp Association; Chester
W. Lyman, assistant to the president of
the International Paper Company and
Leonard Bronson, general manager of
the National Lumber Manufacturers'
Association, had volunteered contributions to the fight.

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M. I. Graham, of this firm, while he admitted he was not connected with a law firm at all, notwithstanding the statement of W. M. Hull, master of the Michigan Grange, that it was employed as the farmers' legal advisors, was asked if any interests other than the National Grange contributed.

"We have been promised nothing," he replied, "but we do expect that any manufacturer who is interested in this matter and who appreciates what we are deling will pay us for our work; if they do we will be glad to take it."

Senator Williams asked Mr. Allen how it was that, if his firm had not done anything with the lumber people or paper interests, Messra Lyon, Bronson and Hastings had offered to contribute to the cause.

to the cause.
"It was votuntary on their part," replied Mr. Allen. He added that his firm would receive a contribution from any-body who felt like contributing.
When Mr. Graham declined to answer Senator Stone as to whether his firm was to be paid for its work by any persons other than the National Grange, considerable controversy aross as to whether Mr. Graham should be compelled to answer.

Many Interests Employ Firm.

It ended by giving Mr. Graham his discretion, as Senator Stone said his questions were not for the purpose of discrediting the National Grange as an organization, but to ascertain if any of its officers were using it in the name of the farmers to promote special interasts which the National body had mover considered.

never considered.

Mr. Graham acknowledged his firm had been employed in the past by manufacturing concerns to further or oppose legislation. He instanced the good roads movement, in which he said the pay came from automobile manufacturers and carriage-makers, and the fight against denatured alcohol, when the pay came from a manufacturer.

the pay came from a manufacturers' fund contributed by the distillers' asso-ciation and several furniture makers.

"Did you ask manufacturers or sug-gest to them that they contribute to the

nest to them that they contribute to the expenses of the campaign against reciprocity? asked Stone.

"To such as came to me," said Mr. Allen, "I told them it would be a hard sight; but up to date only one manufacturer actually has given money."

Mr. Allen denied that he was con-Mr. Allen denied that he was con-nected in any way with the American Protective Tariff League, but said the league had asked him for the names of the Grange masters. This request was referred to Mr. Bachelder and re-fused. Gallinger then said he had furnished the league with a partial list.

Prospects Not Inviting.

Mr. Allen said the agreement with the Grange as to pay was "not very inviting" and that they would be giad to get out with a deficit.

Replying to a question by Kern he said the Grange will pay the expenses of the campaign and a compensation. "You mean, do you not," said Smoot, "that at present your expenses have run about \$1000 behind what you have received?"

Yes, that was the deficit," was the

reply.

N. J. Bachelder, president of the National Grange, admitted having employed Allen and Graham and was asked many questions by Stone to show that the membership of the Grange was shrinking, but evaded direct answers. He admitted having consulted Allen & Graham on legislation.

"You considered them skillful in manipulating legislative bodies?" asked Mr. Stone.

Stone. In securing what we wanted," was

"And you employed men generally known as lobbyists?" asked Senator Stone, "and who are under the employ of other ..., trusts."
"We did not ask them who else they were working for," said Mr. Bachelder.

PARALYSIS YIELDS TO DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS

Many Forms of the Dread Disease Are Curable by this Remedy.

MR. LUCAS SAYS IT SAVED HIS LIFE

This Cleveland Man Was Getting Worse All the Time When He Began the Treatment, but Improvement Quickly Followed—Read His Grateful Statement.

Fresh proof is furnished almost daily closely and observing strictly the in-of the wonderful power of Dr. Williams' structions regarding diet and bathing. ment of the most severe nervous disorders. No claim is made for the treat ment that is not substantiated by proof that is open to the most rigid investi-guion and the evidence is indisputable that there are many forms of paralysis that are readily curable by these tonic pills. In cases that are not entirely curable the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills often results in such radical improvement that life is once more made worth living to the formerly hopeless

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The Latest Evidence.

The most recent case to come to pub-lic attention is that of Mr. D. L. Lucas, of No. 2183 East 103rd street, Cleveland, Ohio, a man well known in real estate circles in that city. He had a remarkable escape from death as is shown by the following statement:

"My trouble started with a stomach disorder, but I believe that malarial poisoning was the original cause and this was the opinion of the doctors who attended me. Creeping paralysis finally resulted from the broken down condition of my health and I came very near to death. During the greater part of my sickness I could get about the house by holding on to articles of furniture but at times was confined to my

Limbs Were Shrunken.

"The paralysis came on slowly but was never complete. I had trouble with my kidneys and my liver was torpid all the time. My lower limbs shrunk perceptibly. I suffered some with shooting pains, my appetite was feeble and I was altogether in a terrible condition.

"When the disease was at its worst I called my wife to my bedside and told time and if I kept on in this way there would be no help for me. I had taken Dr. Williams' Pink Pilis for Pale People some time before and been bene-fited and I told her I thought that if I gave them a thorough, persistent trial they would do me good. She agreed with me and I started taking the pills. After a few doses I saw that the medicine was helping me and I continued the treatment, following the directions

MR. HILD SAYS REDUCTION

WOULD BE DELAYED.

Burden of 12 Per Cent on Present

Gross Income Declared All Company Can Bear.

Figures were given in an address by General Manager Hild, of the Portland

Railway, Light & Power Company, be-

fore the Portland Ad Club yesterday in support of his contention that the 3 per

cent gross tax proposed to be placed on power and light companies would create

such a burden that further reductions of rates would be impossible. The

weekly luncheon of the Ad Men yester-

weekly luncheon of the Ad Men yesterday was attended by more than 100
members. The menu fas a facsimile
of the first edition of The Daily Oregonian, published in 1821. The speakers
beside Mr. Hild were Edgar B. Piper,
managing editor of The Oregonian, and
B. F. Irvine, associate editor of the Oregon Journal.

Mr. Hild discussed the "no-seat-noride" ordinance and said that no more
impracticable thing could have been

The improvement in my condition continued and I took the pills for eight months when I was able to get about, and could walk any reasonable distance. I know that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People saved my life. My shrunken limbs are now restored to their normal condition and I am nearly free from the pains and the kidney and liver compli-

"I know that if I had not taken the pills I would not be here today and to show that this is not my opinion only I will say that I recently met in a business way, in one of the hotels of Cleveland, an eminent physician, the chief executive of a fraternal order of which I am a member. I described to him the treatment I had taken and he asked me what had caused my paralysis. I said, 'Indigestion.' The doctor was much interested and addressing a subordinate in the order he said: 'I want you to meet Mr. Lucas. He is a living, walking testimonial to the efficiency of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. After all he has gone through it is a wonder he is alive.' This was a great deal for a physician to say and confirms what I have stated absolutely." (Signed) D. L. LUCAS.

The evidence in such cases as that of Mr. Lucas should convince the most skeptical but because many of the cures by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are so marvelous as to challenge belief, the following offer is

\$1,000 REWARD-The Dr. Williams Medicine Company will pay the sum of One Thousand Dollars for proof of fraud on its part in the publication of the foregoing statement of Mr. D. L.

Schenectady, N. Y., May 1, 1911. I hereby certify that the Dr. Williams I nerety certify that the Dr. Williams Medicine Company has instructed this bank to pay for its account the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to the first person presenting the proof necessary for the collection of the reward offfered above. J. E. VAN EPS, Cashier. Union National Bank, Schnectady, N. Y.

No sufferer from paralysis, locomotor staxia, St. Vitus' dance, or any nervous disorder resulting from or dependent upon a run-down condition of the system can afford longer to neglect Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, the great blood builder and nerve tonic. Sand today for a copy of our booklet, "Nervous Disorders a Method of Home Treatment." It will be sent free and postpaid to any address, upon request. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists throughout the world or will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 80 cents per box; six boxes, \$2.56. Address: The Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y. No sufferer from paralysis, locomotor

EARNINGS TAX OPPOSED The company has taken in \$24,000,000 and has expended \$40,000,000. We can be taxed so that we cannot borrow any more."

The club went on record as opposed to both the "no-seat-no-ride" ordinance and to the 3 per cent gross tax, as well.

Edgar B. Piper treated in a humorous vein the frequent advice received on how a paper should be run, and concluded with reminiscences pertaining to the facesimilie of The Oregonian published in 1861. He pointed out that the same names, in many cases, were found in the advertisements of the merchants in the issue of 1861 as can be found in The Oregonian of today. He referred to H. L. Pittock's long term of management of The Oregonian. He said he felt that in a sense The Oregonian typified Portland to a larger degree than any other institution. The club went on record as opposed B. F. Irvine told several stories and paid a high tribute to the Ad Club.

HOME RULE LAW JOLTED (Continued From First Page.)

the sale of liquor for beverage purposes in the town. Cities and Counties Divorced.

The court in deciding this case calls attention to the easy method in which the constitution may be changed, saying that it is as easy to amend the c stitution under the initiative as it is to pass a statute, and consequently such amendments, so passed, should, in the opinion of the court, be liberally interpreted.

ride" ordinance and said that no more impracticable thing could have been suggested. He said he feit that the people were desirous of securing efficient service, and efficient service consisted of a speedy delivery of the passenger from his home to the place of his business. In his judgment, the ordinance would be the greatest disturbing factor of retail husiness that could be devised, for it meant delay, the lengthening of schedules and unnecessary inconvenience. It is held that the amendment so changes the organic law as to divorce municipalities from the county of which they form a part, "in effect, separating political entries with respect

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