

free of insolvency and any chance to recover any deposits of any amount of their deposits but a small percentage of their deposits.

The assessments proposed are that each bank shall pay 1/2 of 1 per cent of the average daily deposits, every month, until four such payments have been made, and 1 per cent of the average daily deposits in the depositories' guarantee fund. Then the contributions to the fund will be decreased to 1-20 of 1 per cent for 10 semi-annual payments, or longer, if withdrawals have been made in the meantime, until the assessments guarantee fund shall have reached 1/2 per cent of the average daily deposits.

Such a fund, it is thought, would be sufficient to protect the depositories of the state in any emergency, and the fund would be administered, virtually without cost to the banks and depositories of the state so long as the banks are maintained in a safe condition.

Historical Society Will Hold Meeting

Officials of the Utah State Historical Society have planned an interesting historical entertainment for their annual public meeting, which will be held in the hall of the House of Representatives at the State Capitol on Monday, Jan. 30, at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited to attend. The speakers will be Andrew Jenson, president of the society, Dr. John A. Widtsoe, president of the University of Utah, and D. W. Parrot, secretary of the organization. The state legislators will be guests of honor.

According to J. R. Letcher, who has long been associated with the society, this year's meeting is to be the best ever held. One of the reasons for holding it at the capitol is that a personal guide may take the visitors for an inspection of the historical and picture exhibit of relics on the ground floor of the capitol, which have attracted the attention of thousands of tourists.

To Consider Opening Of L. D. S. University

To consider the advisability of opening the Latter-day Saints' University on Monday, a special meeting was held this afternoon at 4 o'clock by members and officials of the general Church board of education, the city board of health and the city board of education. Every aspect of the health situation will be considered, and if it is thought advisable the L. D. S. university will open on Monday. Definite announcement will be made later.

Aged Man Knocked Down By Warm Springs Car

George Clark, 72 years of age, 22 Second East street, was knocked down and seriously injured this morning by a Warm Springs street car. The accident happened at the corner of Second West and South Temple street. He was picked up and rushed to the emergency hospital, where his injuries were treated, after which he was taken to the Dr. W. H. Groves L. D. S. hospital. Several ribs were fractured, his nose was broken, and painful facial and internal injuries were suffered.

Mrs. Clark learned of the accident soon after it occurred and followed her husband to the emergency hospital. A report from the hospital this afternoon is to the effect that Mr. Clark's condition has not changed since he was brought in.

Propose Irrigation From Artesian Wells

That an adequate supply of water for the irrigation of farm lands can be supplied from artesian wells, and that a sum of money should be appropriated by the legislature for the purpose of demonstrating the feasibility of the scheme is the recommendation of the state land board in its biennial report to Governor Simon Benson. By reason of the success of such a venture in Cedar City, where Chester Haskell, irrigation engineer of the U. S. department of Agriculture is operating, this matter is being brought to the attention of the legislature at this time.

Legislative Notes.

Conflict of dates was regretted by the state senators yesterday when a letter from Governor Simon Benson invited the senators to be represented at the interstate conference on the Colorado basin project, tomorrow. The

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will go far toward solving the financial problems of the state. The bill pays particular attention to the man with small property holdings but a considerable income, who is at present virtually exempt from taxation. Mr. Argyle says there are thousands of such persons in the state, not only the apartment house dwellers of the cities, but also among the alien employees of some of the larger industries, who at present it is almost impossible to reach.

The senate yesterday declined an invitation from the city of Logan, through Mayor Roy Bullen, to be present in that city today, when the 145th arrived.

Senate joint memorial No. 1 was the first measure to receive the signature of President Funk at the present session. It is Mrs. Hayward's equal suffrage measure.

Employment of L. E. Camomile, an experienced newspaperman of Salt Lake City, was announced by the committee on revision and printing of the senate yesterday. Mr. Camomile will edit all bills to conform to style and for palpable errors, thus relieving committee members of a large amount of drudgery, and giving them time to take up questions of law and of policy that may arise in connection with measures

the record of both houses. Alma Greenwood, representative from Utah county, and a Democrat, claims that the cutting was done on his motion, and that the effort to give the credit to Mr. Croft, a Republican, is simply a misstatement of facts, made for political purposes.

Rep. Frank R. Newman, Salt Lake county, who was made chairman of the house military affairs committee yesterday, is in favor of abolishing the state national guard and creating a state constabulary. Mr. Newman believes that more efficient work of character the guard originally was intended to perform; and that the cost of maintenance will be far less.

COL. HOUSE CONFERS WITH PREST. WILSON

PARIS, Jan. 17.—Col. E. M. House, who has been ill for several days, was so much improved that last night he had a conference with President Wilson, who drops to the colonel's apartment. As a precautionary measure, however, Col. House's physicians probably will forbid his attending the

The statement follows: "Negotiations between M. Paski, representing the Polish and Gen. Pilsudski have resulted in the establishment of a basis of agreement. Upon this basis a reconstitution of the cabinet is expected with M. Paderewski at the head of the new ministry. The terms of the promise include a definite agreement upon delegates to the peace conference. M. de Maski, president of the Russian duma has been decided as delegate by both sides." announced.

BILL TO ABOLISH SUB-TREASURY

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The house today adopted a provision of the legislative appropriation act to abolish the secretary of the treasury on July 1, next, and to abolish the treasury departments at Baltimore, Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati, New Orleans, New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis and San Francisco.

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