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From Our Own Correspondent.

Ottawa, April 7.—The Seventh Day Adventist petition parliament against Lord's day legislation will degenerate from their right, Mr. Smith presided at the Alliance convention today.

Atlay Morrison presented a petition from the Pacific Northern & Quebec railway for an extension of time.

The railway committee reported eight bills including the British Columbia Southern, which would give possession of the Yukon Territory Act.

Mr. Hughes called attention to the fact that the main navigable channel connecting Lake Huron and Superior was entirely in American territory.

A large collection of Indian and Eskimo relics were taken from cases in the Geological Survey by means of false keys.

The transcontinental railway debate was continued by Messrs. Wade, Monk, Demers and Northup. It will probably terminate next Wednesday.

Ralph Smith introduced in the House the union label bill, which was read a first time.

The Duke of Sutherland was the guest of Lord Minto today, and will leave tonight for Toronto en route for Winnipeg and the Pacific Coast.

Alexander MacLean, the newly appointed Japanese commissioner of the Dominion to Japan, leaves here on the Dominion, and will call from Vancouver on May 2nd.

THE U. S. CENSUS. Population is Now Nearly Eighty Millions Outside of Alaska.

Washington, April 7.—The census bureau today issued a bulletin which gives the estimated population of the United States for 1903, exclusive of Alaska and Hawaii, as 79,000,389.

Estimates are Philadelphia, 1,297,716; St. Louis, 1,000,000; Cleveland, 414,900; Cincinnati, 382,244; San Francisco, 353,919; Pittsburgh, 285,000; New York, 3,716,359; Chicago, 1,874,880.

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Law-abiding Citizens Object to President Smith's Assertions.

Washington, April 7.—Senator Burrows presented to the Senate today a resolution which would prohibit the law-abiding people of Utah against the declaration of the Mormon church, that the so-called "Mormon" or "polygamists" which he confessed to be the cause of the trouble.

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SCIBWAB'S BROTHER.

New York, April 7.—Joseph E. Schwab has resigned as president of the American Bond Foundry Company.

NEW ALLIANCES. Russian Press Continues to Discuss Re-alignment of Nations.

St. Petersburg, April 7.—The Russ, in editorial articles against that section of the Russian press which is proposing an alliance of Russia, Germany and France against what is termed the yellow and Anglo-Saxon peril.

News Notes of The Dominion.

Sensational Evidence Given in Libel Case Being Tried in Montreal.

Quebec Boxer Knocked out and Dies From the Effects of the Blow.

Montreal, April 7.—The trial of J. Blackly, of Toronto, on a charge of libel against the Montreal Star, began in the Court of King's Bench today.

London, April 7.—Julius C. Lay, United States consul general at Barcelona, telegraphed as follows to the Associated Press: "An explosion of gas occurred here last night giving rise to a report that a petrol tank had exploded at King Alfonso was leaving the exhibition. The explosion, however, took place a mile from where the King was."

A despatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Barcelona says it has been definitely ascertained that the explosion which took place last night when King Alfonso was leaving the exhibition was due to an escape of gas and that no injury to the King was caused.

Rome, April 7.—The Patria says: "An enormous crowd waited for King Alfonso outside the exhibition building at Barcelona, where there was no military escort, and the crowd was thus enabled to approach the king in a most intimate manner."

BOILER KILLED. Quebec, April 7.—A boxing contest between a soldier named George Wagoner and a young man named J. B. Drolet, which was witnessed by a large number of spectators, resulted in the death of Drolet, who was knocked out by a blow to the head.

AMBERST, APRIL 7.—The thirteen-year-old son of J. Cornwall of this place was seriously injured yesterday afternoon by a fall from a tree.

PRINCE ALBERT, APRIL 7.—Walter B. Yarnstun, charged with murdering a Galician, was sentenced to a term of imprisonment in the Canadian penitentiary.

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NATIONAL DELEGATES ELECTED

Wichita, Kan., April 7.—The Democratic state convention today elected national delegates to the national convention.

MRS. GOULD ARRESTED. Had No Money to Pay Fine and Had to Jail "Hubby."

New York, April 7.—Mrs. Howard Gould was unable to pay a fine of \$10 which was imposed on her chauffeur for speeding her automobile faster than the fine was stated.

THE WEEK AT OTTAWA. Unpreparedness of the Government Likely to Prolong Session.

True Inwardness of the Liberal Finances Reveals Large Deficits.

Ottawa, March 28.—Time is no object with the government. During the past week the unpreparedness of the administration has been made manifest.

Canada's Splendid Donations. The veritable reports of the speeches made at the annual meeting of the Grand Trunk Railway Company.

War May Last For Two Years. Opinion at Harbin That Struggle Will Be Greatly Prolonged.

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