

## Personal.

Mr. Daly left Ottawa on Monday for Chicago, where he delivered an address to the Ontario Club.

Sir Mackenzie Bowell has taken up his residence in Belleville. He says he is glad to get a chance to rest a while from active life.

Sir Hercules Robinson, Governor of Cape Town, has telegraphed to Mr. Chamberlain denying any complicity in the secret telegrams.

Sir Charles Tupper, Mr. Hugh John Macdonald, and Lt.-Col. Prior left Ottawa on Tuesday for Winnipeg to open the campaign there on Friday.

Mr. A. R. Dickey, Minister of Justice, was the unanimous choice of the Conservative convention for Cumberland, N.S., held at Amherst on Tuesday.

Mr. D'Alton McCarthy was nominated for Brandon on Tuesday. He replied by telegraph, and the reply is taken as an acceptance of the nomination.

Judge Gregorowski, who presided at the trial of the Reformers at Pretoria, was hooted and groaned at on his return to Bloemfontein, in the Orange Free State.

We congratulate our accomplished Canadian author, Mr. Charles G. D. Roberts, on the fact that a second edition of his admirable book, "Earth's Enigmas," is already in press, the first edition having been exhausted within six weeks.

Mr. Timothy W. Anglin, chief clerk of the Surrogate Court, who at one time was a prominent figure in politics in Canada, died at his residence in Toronto on Sunday afternoon, at the age of 74 years. The deceased was a staunch Reformer.

It is reported that Lord Salisbury has decided to appoint Lord Llandaff, better known as Mr. Henry Matthews, Q.C., who was Home Secretary in the last Salisbury Cabinet, to succeed the Marquis of Dufferin as British Ambassador at Paris.

The Marquis of Northampton, who owns the greater part of Clerkenwell, is building, in the heart of a desperately squalid district, a vast polytechnic institution, in which the humblest classes may obtain, without charge, mental and physical recreation.

On Monday, when Li-Hung-Chang was received in audience by the Czar, he presented his Majesty with the order of the Double Dragon, studded with large brilliants, on behalf of the Emperor of China, and he also presented, on his own behalf, two bronze vases, more than two thousand years old.

Lord Aberdeen proposes to present to Gathineau Point Roman Catholic church a new bell weighing one thousand pounds, in appreciation of the service rendered to Lady Aberdeen at the recent accident that nearly resulted fatally. He has presented the three men who rescued Lady Aberdeen with twenty dollars each.

The lobbyist of the Pall Mall Gazette says it is evident from the character of the deputation of farmers from Norfolk and Suffolk which waited upon Mr. Long, the President of the Board of Agriculture, urging the Government to abandon the Cattle Disease Bill, that the Government will have difficulty in passing the measure.

Those who remember that amusing sample of American humour, "Out of the Hurly-Burly," will be interested in *The Westminster Gazette* note on its author:

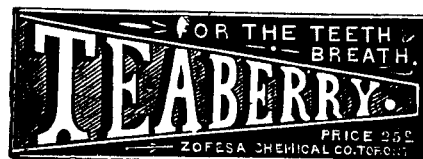
When Max Adeler was in the height of furnishing enjoyment to the Americans he suddenly abjured humour and went into practical work. He is still eccentric, but not at all funny. Max Adeler is now Mr. Charles Heber Clark. He edits *The Manufacturer*, a paper published in Philadelphia, and writes only tariff articles from the highest high-tariff standard. It is he who is the active writing agent in inviting a union of the free-silver and the high-tariff forces which has lately invited public attention. He has had a long rest from fun in this kind of work."

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