### The Planet.

DAILY AND WEEKLY Chatham, Ont.

FRANCE OVERWHELMINGLY RE-PUBLICAN IN SENTIMENT.

The French nationalists, after the recent municipal elections, triumphantly declared that the government had been mortally hit, and they announced namerous interpellations in the chamber, which, they predicted, would lead to the government's downfall. On reflection, however, and possibly after a computation of the respective force they backed down and withdrew the interpellations. The government had, with a view of forcing the hand of the nationalists, had M. Gousey, one of the government supporters, raise an interpellation, thus giving the premier an opportunity to state the government's policy clearly

M. Waldeck-Rousseau, by emphatically declaring that the government was apposed to reopening the Dreyfus agitation after the exposition, has taken a strong weapon from the hands of the nationalists. In the course of his speech he admitted that the government was influenced by the voice of Paris, undoubtedly hostile to a rerevival of the controversy.

"A government worthy of the name," said the premier, "must take into account the wishes of public opinion, and these definitely commit the government to the suppression of all efforts to throw France back into the Dreyfus vortex."

The divisions on M. Gousey's motion brought out the position of parties in the chamber. The first portion of the resolution, which divided the chamber into republicans and anti-republicans, showed 439 of the former and 56 of the latter; the second portion, which indicated the position of the Waldeck-Rousseau ministry itself, showed a muster of 274 ministerialists, while the combined opposition-nationalists, disaffected republicans and reactionists -totaled 226.

### A REMARKABLE OLD MAN.

Canadians, irrespective of party will admit that Sir Charles Tupper is a wonderful old man. He is now eighty years of age. Forty-five years ago last Tuesday he entered public life by defeating, in the Nova Scotia provincial elections, of 1855, Hon. Joseph Howe, who afterwards became Lieut.-Governor of Nova Scotia. Sir Charles' entry into public life and his subsequent successes in Cumberland county won for him early in life the sobriquet of "The War Horse of the Cumbers land." His vigor to-day is most remarkable and his energy something that would be astonishing in a politician twenty years his junior. In parliament, on the anniversary just referred to, Sir Charles was given an ovation. The grand old political warrior bowed his acknowledgments of Nobody round the board said another rior bowed his acknowledgments. the reception given him, and asked indulgence while he replied to the kindly manner in which he had been received by both sides of the house. He thanked his friends on the opposition side for their remembrance of the anniversary of his entrance to public life 45 years ago, and he was grateful for the generous manner evinced by the honorable gentlemen opposed to

him politically. His latent humor came out when he declared that if he were as polite as Lord Chesterfield, who apologized to the friends who surrounded his deathbed for taking so long to die, he (Sir Charles) would apologize for so long holding a prominent place in public life. It was not his own desire to continue at the head of his party, but as matters were now, it seemed that he would have to remain till the electors said which party's principles they were enamoured of.

Sir Charles' vitality was never more in evidence. Eighty years of age, and having spent nearly half a century as an active public man, he still appears as the most vigorous and magnetic man on the opposition benches.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier paid him a generous tribute. He was sure that he voiced the sentiments of the whole Canadian people when he said he was glad that he was able to see this day and to congratulate Sir Charles upon his career. It was one of the blessings of political life in Canada that it was possible for politicians to forget that they were divided in opinion-it was a blessing that though the strife of parties was often keen and bitter, yet times come when members of parliament cared to show that nobler sentiments actuated them.

It is noticeable that when anything good comes off in South Africa, the Canadian contingent is apt to be very close to the front.—Detroit News.

Exactly. They went there to fight, and they are doing themselves proud. What is still more impoftant is that if the Empire needed them Canada could turn out 100,000 more of the same kind of close-to-the-front fighters for foreign service, and probably half a million for home defence, The majority of them, too, at some stage of life have seen more or less military drill. Canada is not a military country, but if the necessity arose it could be quickly converted into one great armed camp.

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Rumor has it in Ottawa that Sir Wilfrid Laurier privately admits that he anticipates a reverse at the coming general election.

Twenty-one war correspondents have been killed or have died of disease during the war. The result of this will probably be that in future campaigns the liberties of the war correspondent will be restricted. He has no business in or near the firing line If he is working simply for news his place is as close as possible to the commanding officer, for it is there all information centres.

Dr. F. S. Hoffman, professor of philosophy at Union College, in a North American Review article says: "The one pre-eminent demand of the present hour is a truly scientific theology - not a Chinese non a Roman, nor a Baptist, nor a Methodist, nor a Presbyterian theology, not a Mosaic nor an exclusive Pauline theology, but a theology so cautiously constructed as to exclude fiction, and so profound and comprehensive in its teachings as to include all the facts.

At a meeting of the Toronto civic board of control it was proposed by Ald. Spence to abolish the committee controlling the fire brigade and give the chief the powers now possessed by it. The following interesting discus-

sion followed: "This is the crookedest piece of work ever saw," said the Mayor, excited-y, "It is a dirty piece of work."

Ald. Spence, leaning forward fowards the Mayor, said: "Well, Mr, leaver nor of which the said: "A 500 hours." Mayor, none of us had a \$4,500 cheque

to photograph."-Standing up in his seat, his face al-Standing up in his seat, his face almost purple with rage, the Mayor shouted, pointing his finger at Ald. Spence: "No, nor a convict school master, who drew the blood from a little girl's body and was convicted

"It is a diabolical lie," called out ld. Spence. "It is not," shouted back the Mayor. word, and the secretary went on read

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The Toronto Evening News says with great pertinence and force: "It is remarkable that when the political morality of the Dominion is advancing to a decidedly higher plane the most mmeral government we have ever had should be in office. For the past twenty years parl'ament has been devising laws which would ensure honest representation of the people by safeguarding the vote. The Laurier government in less than three years has managed to nullify every provision of former administrations, to render the ballot rediculous, to debauch many of the officials who have charge of elections and to greatly lower the public estimate of the value of the franchise, by its wholesaie purchase of voters."

AYE! HERE'S THE RUB.

Toronto Sun. The Ontario Government has acted with vigor in prosecuting the parties charged with blowing up a lock on the Welland Canal. Not only did the local officials show themselves fully alert but provincial detectives were placed on the trail and employed at considerable expense in tracing up the crimes. It is now announced that a leading counsel has been engaged by the Government to conduct the prose cution. The attempt to destroy the Welland Canal was a dangerous out rage, but it was not nearly so dangerous to the State as to attempt to de stroy representative government by falsifying the will of the people in West E'gin. How is it that while the Provincial detectives are employed to discover the canal dynamiters they have not yet been set to work to dis-cover the manipulators of the ballots How is it that while the alleged canal destroyers are in jail the ballot forgers are either abroad in Ontario or seeking security in the United States

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### Bonnie Castle Property to be Sold by Public Auction.

Andrew Thomson, Jr., Auctioneer, has received instructions from Mrs. J. W. Carpenter, who is leaving the city, to sell her beautiful residence, known as Bonnie Castle, on Elizabeth Street, opposite the residence of John Reeve, Esq., barrister, on Thursday, May 31st, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m.

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