

London, May 24th.

Immediate advances in wages, prices, and demand for labour are foreseen, and certain exceptions to the eight-hour rule are advocated. In general trend the report is not un-

Chatham's future depends largely upon the verdict of the citizens which will be given to-morrow. This was the statement of the Chatham press the day before an industrial by-law was voted upon. As it was carried by a large majority, Chatham is contented. The proposition calls for a loan for twenty years of \$20,000 to Cornelius Bros., Grand Rapids, Mich., re-payable \$1,000 yearly. The city is secured by a mortgage and personal bonds of Cornelius Bros. The company will manufacture brass goods and expects to employ 25 hands at the start, increasing in a year to 100.

The particulars and number of school district respondents.

Big Fish Lake, No. 149, \$1,000
Lake Bend, No. 1511, \$1,000
Mountain Grove, No. 16, \$1,000
Strathmore, No. 1587, \$1,000
Poznan, No. 1555, \$1,200
Cochrane, No. 142, \$5,000
Willow Hollow, No. 1, \$1,000
National Park, No. 102, \$1,000
Dowling, No. 511, \$1,000