# IN A HIGHER KEY

So Prices-Voices Get Heady.

#### BULLS IN FINE TRIM

Prices Shot Up About Twenty-One to Twenty-Two, and Under Slight Bearish Pressure Later Closed Fourteen to Fifteen

Net Higher.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Oct. 10 .- It was a fairly active day in the cotton market with prices ruling generally firm. The opening was firm at an advance of 8 to 12 points in response to better cables than expected.

Private cabies ascribed the advance in Liverpool to lighter Southern of-ferings and continued prosperous trade conditions. The reports of smaller offerings tended to color the private reports from the South con-cerning the disposition of planters to

hold cotton for higher prices.

Trading during the early session was quiet and seemed to be largely professional in character but as the session progressed and prices con-tinued to work higher, outside business improved somewhat with wire and commission houses with Southern connections goods buyers. Helped by this the bulls pid aggressively and toward the middle of the afternoon caught stop orders with the result that prices shot up about 21 to 22 points above Saturday's finals. Toward the close realizing by room longs and some pressure from bearish sources let the market off slightly but the market was steady at a net advance of 14 to 16 points. Sales were estimated at 300,000

Receipts at the ports today 68.718 bales, against 73,775 last week and 49,646 last year. For the week 400.—000, against 397,869 last week and 229,519 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 15.267 bales, against 11.—658 186 last year and at Houston 13,688 bales, against 13,000 last year. New York. Oct. 10—Cotton spot quiet. 10 points higher, middling uplands 10.55. middling gulf 10.80, sales 2,80 bales. Futures opened firm and closed steady

tures opened in.	Open	High	Low	Close
September				1777
October	10 12	10 16	10 05	10.14
November	10.12	10 12	10.12	10.19
December	10.20	10.32	10 18	10,27
Jan	10.24	10.38	10 28	10 32
Feb	10.26	10.29	10-29	10.35
March	10.33	10.46	10.31	10.40
Apr	10.38	10.49	10.15	10.41
May	10.33			10.42
June				
July				
August				•

New Orleans Cotton. New Orleans, Oc. 10 .- Spot cotton

fairly active at full prices; sales 6,-950 bales, including 2,950 to arrive. Quotations 1-8c higher. Futures opened steady at

vance of 7 to 13 points, Liverpool being better than expected. The weather map was unusually good showing that fine picking weather prevalls generally throughout the belt and the predictions for tomorrow indiat favorable weather will con-The movement is decidedly bearish, receipts at ports being 75,000 against 49,744 last year. Notwithstanding the bearish features, prices throughout the session remained well above Saturday's finals. December opened 9 points up at 10.09, sold up to 10.18, declined to 10.05 and finally recovered to 10.13. The closing was steady net gains 12 to 14 points.

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Octr	ember		10 086	210.00
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Feb			10.336	a) 10.34
Mar	•		10.476	210.44
'pr	il		10.436	010.51
May	V	.,	10.536	910 00

Liverpool. Liverpool, Oct. 10, 4 p. m.—Cotton spot good business, prices 2 points higher, American middling fair, 5.98, good middling, 5.72, low middling 5.42, good ordinary, 5.20, ordinary 4.96. The sales of the day 8,000 bales of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 7.000 American. Receipts 13,400 bales, including all American.

July and august	
August and September	(n)
Sept, and Oct	5.52@
Oct. and Nov	6.490
Nov. and Dec	5.19@
Dec. and Jan	5.4+@
Jan. and Feb	5.49@
Feb. and March	5.50@
Marchand April	5.510
April and May	5.52@
May and June	5.52@

Raleigh Spot Cotton Market. Receipts yesterday, 117 bales. Prices yesterday, 9 7-8 to 10c. Receipts year ago yesterday, 46

Prices year ago yesterday, 9 3-16 to

Receipts this season, 3,778 bales. Receipts same period last year, 2,-213 bales.

The quotations by grades yesterday were strict good middling, 9 15-16: good middling, 9 13-16c.; strict middling, 9 11-16c.; middling, 9 9-16 to

#### Other Cotton Markets.

Port.	Tone.	Mid.	Receipts
Galveston	firm	101/8	20,32
Norfolk			6,01
Baltimore	nom	10 20	
Boston	quiet	10 45	
Wilmington	nom		1 31
Philadelphia	steady	10 80	5
Savannah	firm	9 76	16 79
New Orleans	do	101/2	15 26
Mobile	do	10	2,8
Memphis	do	10 13-16	
Augusta	do	91-16	1 3 82
Charleston	quiet	9 5%	3,01
Cincipnati		78	,
Louisville	firm	10 1/6	
St. Louis	steady	101/8	2
Houston	steady	103%	13 6
New York	quiet	10 55	15,0

Dry Goocs.

New York, Oct. 10 .- In the dry goods market buying is still moderate but the opinion is growing more general that an improvement is bound to be realized in the not far distant future, owing to the large curtailment of production, taken in conjunction with the unusually large business which has been done for export. More interest is shown in the latter section and prices generally are firm.

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urn today in the price of wheat. An-	1
ther potent influence was reported	
hortage in the Roumanian wheat	1
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vas up 1-2 to 5-8c.; May showed a	
ain of 1-4c. Corn is off 3-4c. Oats	1
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	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest	Closing
Wheat- Oct			100	
Dec		1087/8	1073/8	10-7/8@
Oct Dec	17%@1/2	151/2@	473/8	491/4
Oats— Oct Dec	:01/4@	30¼@¾	291/2@5/8	29½ 29¾ 29¾
Pork- Oct Jan		11 35 13 00	11 20 12 70	11 20 12 75
Card- Oct	7 60	7 60 7 45	7 55 7 37%	7 55 7 40
Jan Ribs— Oct		7 45	7 45	7 62
Jan		6 75	6 05	6 671/2

Cash quotations were as follows:
Flour was firm, winter patent \$1905.50, straights 4.006.50, spring patents 5.006.00, straights 4.306.510; oakers 3.003.90, wheat No. 2 spring 1.80.15, No. 3106.111, No. 2red. 1.104.0112, corn No. 2, 3t. No. 2 yellow 52.024, oats No. 20.24. No. 2 white 32.04, No. 3 white 29.03114, ye No. 2 7714, good feeding barley 87.037. 5air to choice maiting 39.047, flax seed No. 1. 0814, No. 1 northwestern 1145.prime timothy seed 2.65, mess pork per bbl 11.20.011.30, lard per 1001b 7.5714.07.10, short ribs ides (loose) 7.6214.07.75, dry salted sholdrs (boxed) ......... short clear sides (boxed) 8.2508.50, whiskey basis of high wines 1.2614, clover contract grade 12.25.

New York Provisions.

New York, Oct. 10, Flour dull, winter catents \$1.45\alpha 5.75\text{ Minnesota patents }4.50\alpha 4.85\text{, to bakers, \$1.00\alpha 4.20\text{, straights }5.10\alpha 5.55\text{.}

Rye flour quiet, fair to good \$4.10\alpha 1.50\text{, to dece to fancy }4.15\alpha 4.50\text{.}

Corn meal steady, yellow western \$11\alpha 1.50\text{, tin dried }3.00\alpha 3.10\text{.}

Rye nom, No. 2 western, 70\text{.}

Barley slow, feeding \$45\text{.} malting \$5\alpha 65\text{.}

Wheat easy, No. 2 red, \$114\alpha\$, elevator ..... May \$110\alpha 0\text{, September ....., Dec. }12\alpha\$. New York I'rovisions.

Oats casy, mixed 34/2639/2 11648, C.R.I&Pac. Sept. 385%.

Beef quiet, family 10.59@11.50, packet 10.00 dl.00, city ext a india mess 11.50@16.00.

weef hams 24.00@25.50.
Cut meats dull. pickled bellies 93/@11 lekled shoulders 8/27/2, pickled hams 10/618 Lard easy, western steamed 8.19, Sept. 8.10; No. 7 quiet, refined firm, continent 8/39, compound 6/66/4.

Park easy 1 amily 15.00@15.53, short clear Park easy 1 amily 15.00@15.53, short clear

ompound 6@6%.

Pork easy, lamily 15.00@15.53, short clear 4.00@15.75, mess 12.00@13.50.

Callow steady,city (\$2 per pkg), 45%@ country Rosin firm, strained common to good

Now2.85.
Turpentine quiet, 55@55%.
Rice firm, domestic fair to extra 31/265 | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20% | 20%

nferiors 13:614.
Cheese firm state full cream small colored fancy 10½, riballwhite fancy: 10½.
Potatoes steady, Long Island 1.0.62.0. Jersey and Southeru 1.50@1.75, Jersey Sweets 1.00, Peanuts dull, fancy hand-picked 5@14, other

reanuts duff, fancy fand-picket 56,47 tomestic 56,65%.

Cabbage quiet, Long Island and Jersey per 107,2,0062.506, bbl. or crate .50£.75.

Cotton by steam to Liverpool 16,66.

Cotton seed oli market was easy, rude f. o. b. mills 23¼, prime summer yeliow 04,65%, off summer yellow nominal, prime, white 356, prime winter yellow 32½6.

Baltimore Provisions. Baltimore, ect. 10 Flour steady, winter patents 5 90 a 6.15, spring patents 5.95 a 6.30. Wheat strong, spot contract Sept. 1.13@113%, 2. 1ed western 115@1/4, Southern by sample 7@!,12. Carn dul!.spot 51½@¾, August55½, Southern white corn 51@-8. Oats firmer. No 2 white 31½@35,No. 2 mixed

Kye strong.
Butter s.eady, fancy imitation 17@18, do reamery 20 6 2; do ladle 14@15; store 1 acked 12:013.
Eggs steady, unchanged 21:0...
Ch-ese firm. large and small 11:0½, metium 11½:0½.
Sugar firm, coarse granulated 5.30, fine 5.3).

Naval Stores.

W Imington, Oct. 10, Turpentine steady, 5214, eccipts 49 casks.
Rosin , 2.45, receipts 194 bbls.
Tar steady, 1.00, rec-ipts 101 bbls.
Crude steady, 2.25@3. 0@3.80, receipts 93 bbls Charleston, O-t, 10, Turpentine firm 52, sales .... Quote A, B, C, 2.55 D 2.55, E .2.70, F 2.75, G 2.83, H 2.80, I 2.95, K 3.70, M 4.10, N 4.55, WG 4.65, WW 4.95. Savannah, Oct. 10—Turpentine quiet, 52¼, eccipts 204, sales 287, exports 2049.

Rosin—firm, receipts, 926, sales 1,768, export-,371. Quote A, B, C, 2.50@.... D 2.55@...., E, 1.61@... F 2.55@.... G 2.77@......, H 2.77½@... L 2.91@..... K 3.55, M 4.17½, N 4.37½. WG 4.55 WW, 4.50.

New York Money.

Stocks and Bends.

New York, Oct. 10 .- There was but sluggish response to an accumulation of various factors favorable to values of securities in today's market. The industrials and especially the iron and steel stocks were lifted out of this ndifference during the course of the day, but the railroad stocks made but little headway. The United States Steel stocks made good resistance to the heaviness in the market and when the preferred advanced to the highest price on the present movement the other iron and steel industrials folother from and steel industrials followed to a higher level. Amalgamated Copper responded to the reports of the active and growing demand for When the shorts tried to get the cotcopper both for spot and for future ton back the price went to 10.36 for the following was lifted on the following the birth shorts tried to get the cotton back the price went to 10.36 for the following was lifted on the birth shorts tried to get the birth shorts tried to get the birth shorts the following the birth shorts tried to get the cotton to the birth shorts tried to get the birth shorts tried to get the birth shorts tried to get the cotton tried to get the birth shorts the birth shorts tried to get the birth shorts tried to get t copper both for spot and for future ton back the price went to 10.36 for delivery. Reading was lifted on a January, or five points over the high reiteration of gossip of a coming dividend on the common stock, which received no authoritative sanction.

Some of the Southwesterns were firm on account of the general expectation love to start some of the larger shorts.

trivial gains and losses mixed was the net result for the day, with the clos-Bonds were irregular. Total sales (par value) \$3,690,000.
U. S. bonds were unchanged on

Total sales today 800,200 shares, including Atchison 13,700; C. and O., 6,000; St. Paul 17,400; Delaware and Hudson 6,500; Erie 23,500; Louisville and Nashville 5,700; Metropolitan Securities 9,000; Metropolitan Railway 18,200; Misseuri Pacific 39,100; Missouri, Kansas and Texas 11.000; Missouri, Kansas and Texas preferred 7.-700; Norfolk and Western 3.000; Pennsylvania 28,300; Reading 105,200; Rock Island 13,600; St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred 9.000; Southern Pacific 23,100; Southern Railway 5,200; Texas and Pacific 15.-700: Union Pacific 23,100: Copper 50. 909: American Sugar 17,300; Republic Steel preferred 5,000; Tennessee Coal 27,100; U. S. Steel 54,200; U. S. Steel preferred 94,900.

U.S. Ref.2s reg......1013/ | Hork. Val.41/28 ......1081 L.&N.uni.4s ......1114 do do 3s con 1...1041/4 Man.con.Go'dis ..1053 ..10036 ...1051/ Mex.Cen.4s..... 70 do 3s coup... do new 4s reg.....1315/ do 1st inc ...... Minn.&St. L.48..... 95 do new 4s coup..1315 do o'd 4s reg.....1063 Miss.K.&Tex.4s ...1011/6 do old 4s coup...1063/s do 2s ..... do 5s reg ..... .... N.R.R.Mex.co 4s. 781/2 N.Y.Cen.gen.31/2...1001/4 do 5s coup . Atchison gen.4s ... 1021/4 N.J.C.gen.5s .......1341/4 do gen 4s.. ...... 171/2 Northern Pac. 1s... 1041/4 A.C.L.48 .... do 3s ...... N.&W.con.4s......10034 ...102 B.&O.48 .. O.S.L.4s&part ..... 991/4 do 31/48 Penn Con.31/28 ..... 1013/4 Cen.of Ga.5s.....1121/2 do 1st in ...... 82 Reaning gen.4s....101 St.L.&I.M.con.5s..115 105% St.L.&S.F.48 ...... 861 St.L.&S. W.1sts ... 1834

do 2d in.... C.&O.41/68 .... C.B.&Q.new 4s ..... 977/8 S.A.L.1s ...... 86% T.St.L.&W.48..... 79% do col.5s ... C.C.C.&St.L.gen 4s1011/2 Union Pac.4s ...... 1651/4 Chicago Ter.4s ......781/6 Con., Tob.48...... 735/4 U.S.Steel 2d 58..... 843/4 Den.& Rio G 4s....1001/2 Erie prior lien4s.... 995% W.&L. Erie 4s. ... 901/ do gen. ss ......... 877/8 Wis.Cen.ls..... F.W.&Den.C.1st...1101/2 | Col.F.os .... Stocks.

do con.4s......107

do.Deb.B ..... 657

do pref...... 931/6

United States ......115

do pref 79

Am.Cot.seed Oil... 291/4

do pref..... 91

American Ice ..... 73/4

Am. Linseed Oil... 111/2

Am. Locomotive .. 267/

Am.S.&Refin..... 6:3

do pref......1(63)

Am.SugarRefin ...1321/2

Anacon.Min.Co ... 1011/4

Brook.Rap.Tran .. 591/8 Col.Fuel&Iron .... 365/8

Consol.Gas ......210%

Corn Products .... 151/2

do pref..... 71

do pref..... 75

do pref. ..... 783/4

Nat.Lead ...... 221/8

Pressed Steel Car., 35

do pref...... 811/2

do pref..... 515

Miscellaneous-

do pref.....

do pref ....

do pref.....

831/4 | Union Pacfic ..... 105 do pret.... ...100 . 4534 do pref...... 4134 C.&G.Western..... 105/8 Adams......230 ...1821/2 Wells-Fargo .........237 Chi.T.&Trans...... 63 do pref....... 141/2 Amaig. Copper ... 623 .... 81% Am.Car&F ..... 235%

Col. Southern ..... 191/2 do 1st pref ...... 51 do 2d pref..... 261/2 Del.&Hudson ..... 1731/ D.L.&West .....29434 Den.&RioG...... 29 do pref...... 82 do 1st pref.......1531/ do 2d pref...... 477 Hock Valley ...... 82 do pref...... 871/2 III.Central .....1427/8 Iowa Central ..... 251/2 do pref...... 46 Kan.C.So .. do pret..... 411/ L.&N ..... Manhatten L .....1541/8 Met.Securities ..... \$13/4 ... 555% Min.St.P.&S.S.M. 81

Distillers' Sec ..... 295 Gen. Electric ......... 171 Int. Paper ..... 171/2 Met.St.Ry ......1201/8 do pref ......1321/6 Missouri Pac ......1003/4 North American.. 91 M.Kan.&Tex. ..... 171/8 Pacific Mail...... 33% do pref ...... 543/4 People's Gas......1023/4 NR.R.of Mex.pref 79 N.Y.Central ......1295/8 N. & W ...... 713/4 Pullmn, Pal, Car...224 do pref..... 901/2 Republic Steel..... 12 On.& Western. . 84% Pennsylvania .... 1331/2 Rubber Goods ..... 201/2 P.C.C.&St.I. ..... 713/8

do pref...... 83 do 1st pref ...... 86 U.S. Leather..... 91/2 do 2d pref ...... 781/2 do pref..... Rock Island Co ... 191/8 U.S.Realty & Imp 62 do pref ...... 723/4 St.L.&San.Frisco.. U.S.Ruober ...... 24 do 2d pref...... 593/4 do pref..... 81 S.L.&So.West'n ... 22 U.S.Steel..... 187 do pref ...... 481/4 do pref..... 705/2 Southern Pac ..... 691/4 Va.-Ca.Chem.Co... 343/4 Southern Ry ...... 327/8 do pref.....107 do pref...... 91 Whatinghouse El.1611/2 Tex.Pac.P ...... 333/8 Western Union.... 52 T.St.L.& W .......... 311/4 | Standard Oil........642 do pref...... 1934 .

S. A. L. Stocks and Bonds. Baltimore, Oct. 10, S. A. L. common 15%@16 preferred, 323/4@33. A. C. L. common 1.35@136, preferred...

### Ware & Leland's Cotton Letter.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 10.—The market acted very well today. There was no with the unusually large business which has been done for export. More interest is shown in the latter section and prices generally are firm.

Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Excellent foreign demand for flour caused an upward

Chicago in the southwesterns were firm on acount of the general expectation that the government's estimate of corm that the government's estimate of corm and this will have the same effect lished after the close of the market would dissipate the impression of some late official estimates of the extent of half a cent or more. For this reamonths. Rather ragged showing of pelicy on an advance of 10 1-2c that

dom at 10c and below. Then every-thing led traders to buy on every de-cline and stick to their cotton. There was bound to be a change when holders could sell at a good profit. But around 10 1-2c there will be a different situation, even should a scare of shorts run prices higher. There will be actual cotton for sale over 10 1-2c. On a sharp advance new sentiment is likely to grow cautious. We would wait for another break before buying. WARE & LELAND.

VALUABLE STATISTICS.

Table Showing Age Limit for the Employment of Children in Factories.

The following is furnished, on re-quest, by the United States Bureau of Labor, Department of Commerce and Labor and is up to date:

Alabama—Twelve. Ten if dependent or having dependent parents.

Arkansas—Twelve. Ten if dependent nt or having dependent parents; foureen if illiterate.

California—Twelve. Colorado—Fourteen. Connecticut—Fourteen. Illinois-Fourteen. Kentucky-Fourteen

Louisiana-Boys, twelve; girls, four Main-Twelve. Maryland-Fourteen, unless depend

nt or having dependent parents.
Massachusetts—Fourteen.
Michigan—Fourteen. Minnesota--Fourteen. Missouri-Fourteen. Nebraska-Fourteen; ten during va-

New Hampshire-Fourteen; twelv

New Inampsinte Fourteen, twelve luring vacation.
New Jersey—Fourteen.
New York—Fourteen.
North Carolina—Twelve.
North Dakota—Fourteen; twelve Ohio-Fourteen.

Oregon—Fourteen.
Pennsylvania—Thirteen.
Rhode Island—Thirteen; uring vacation. South Carolina—Eleven, unless de pendent or having dependent parents welve after May 1, 1905.

South Dakota-Fourteen, except uring vacation.
Tennessee—Fourteen. Texas-Twelve. Vermont-Ten. Virginia-Twelve.

Washington-Fourteen; twelve ependent or having dependent par-West Virginia-Twelve. Wisconsin-Fourteen.

Foreign Countries. Austria-Twelve. Belgium-Twelve. France-Thirteen. Denmark—Ten. France—Thirteen. Germany-Thirteen. Great Britain-Eleven. Italy-Twelve. Manitoba—Sixteen. Netherlands—Twelve: New South Wales—Fourteen: thir-cen, by permission of the minister. New Zealand-Fourteen. Norway-Twelve. Ontario-Fourteen.

Quebec-Boys, twelve; girls, four-Queensland--Fourteen. Russia-Twelve. South Australia, Thirteen. Spain—Ten. Sweden—Twelve. Switzerland-Fourteen.

Victoria—Thirteen. In Oklahoma it is a misdemeanor o employ children under fourteen it a factory more than ten hours a day and in Porto Rico it is punishable to work children under sixteen in a fac ory more than six hours in twenty-

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New Bern .... 9:00 Cove .... 9:30 

 Dover
 9:42

 Kinston
 10:12

 Falling Creek
 10:22

 7:37 7:47 LaGrange ..... 10:32 Goldsboro .... 11:05 R. S. HOWLAND, President. S. L. DILL. Superintendent.

Morehead City. 7:17

Newport ..... 7:36

Havelock · .... 7:50

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	Lv. Lv. Lv. Lv. Lv. Lv. Ar.	Louisburg Franklinton Youngsville Wake Forest Forestville Neuse Millbrook Raleigh	.7:35 a. m. .7:47 a. m. .7:57 a. m. .8:00 a. m. .8:15 a. m. .8:25 a. m. .8:45 a. m.
	Lv.	Raleigh Louisburg	.6:30 p. m. 8:15 p. m.
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		Hamlet Train.	
	Lv.	Hamlet	6:30 a. m.
	Lv.	Cognac	6:41 a. m.
	Lv.	Hoffman	6:52 a. m.
	Lv.	Keyser	7:01 a. m.
	Lv.	Pine Bluff	7:04 a. m.
	Lv.	Aberdeen	7:09 a. m.
1	Lv.	Southern Pines	7:21 a. m. 7:23 a. m.
	Lv.	Manly	7:26 a. m.
8	Lv.	Niagara	7:33 a. m.
	Lv.	Lakeview	7:35 a. m.
	Lv.	Vass	7:44 a. m.
	Lv.	Cameron	7:53 a. m.
	Lv.	Lemon Springs	8:08 a. m.
	Lv.	Sanford	8:15 a. m.
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	Lv.	Osgood	8:18 a. m.
	Lv.	Pittsboro	0.00
	Lv.	Moncure	8:28 a. m.
	Lv.	Merry Oaks	8:36 a. m.
	Lv.	New Hill	8:44 a. m.
	Lv.	Apex	8:55 a. m.
	Lv.	Cary	9:04 a. m.
	Ar.	Raleigh	9:21 a. m.
	Lv.	Raleigh	6:45 p. m.

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Lv. Weldon ..... 6:30 a. m. Lv. Roanoke Junction ... 6:40 a. m. Lv. Bolling .... 6:40 a. m. Summit ..... 7:05 a. m. Littleton ...... 7:15 a. m. Vaughn ..... 7:29 a. m. Manson . . . . . . 8:12 a. m. Middleburg . . . . 8:18 a. m. Greystone ...... 8:23 a. m. Henderson ...... 8:30 a. m. 5:30 p. m. Dickerson ..... 7 Watkins ..... 8:06 a. m. Henderson ..... 8:33 a. m. Lv. Kittrell 8:55 a. m.
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