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State Aid Question Arouses the Baptists

Editor Bailey Leads the Attack-Drs. Hufham and Blackwell Enter the Fray-Business After the Storm

'urham, N. C., Dec. 12 .- Special .e meeting of the Baptist State Conention was a genuine love feast last night, but today it resolved itself into n very warm meeting and several of courage state aid for Baptist schools. the prominent members of the convention were drawn into a fight that was of such action. The resolution was not expected up to a faw minutes beore it was precipitated.

The main fight was between Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell of Wilmington, Dr. J. D. Hufham of Henderson, and Mr. I. W. Balley, editor of the Biblical Recorder. The report of the committee on general education, which was of the schools as proposed in the re- in this great work. He encouraged the presented by Mr. J. W. Bailey, recommended, among other things, that the egislature be petitioned to so increase as appropriations for public schools hat all schools may be run four months in each school district.

Mr. Bailey made a talk on the report and said that the forces of the state, both political and religious, were pledged to primary education of the masses, and the consolidation of the school districts means that the secondary denominational schools will retrograde and finally die out. "Communism in education is driving out denominationalism in secondary schools," he declared. He referred to the fight of the brethren in Great Britain against contributing to the Episcopai schools and commended them for such action. He believed the church was called upon today, as never before, to educate, and he expressed the hope that the Baptists would patronize their own schools, of all grades. "for we are today facing a crisis in this matter."

Dr. Hufham also made a very earnest talk and regretted to see Mr. Bailey disposed to take a gloomy view of the situation. He said he did not believe there existed any crisis. Instead he would call it a great opportunity. North Carolina, he said, has too broad a spirit of Catholicity to allow the dangers Mr. Bailey feared to befall us. "He who laid the foundation of Wake Forest College," he said, "was

us when they begin their aggressive sion about ten days. campaign in the near future for a division of the school fund." He was in favor of washing the hands of the denomination of state aid absolutely.

with Dr. Blackwell and called on him to desist from his talk. The aged minister said he would not. Finally Mr. Bailey brought the matter to a head by introducing a resolution reaffirming the purpose of the convention to dis- Johnson. They made talks under the and expressed regret for the necessity adopted.

Mr. Bailey engaged in a colloquy

Rev. Dr. Thomas Hume of the university, was recognized and expressed approval of the position taken by Dr. Hutham. He said what we need above schools. He believed in the correlation Convention, has done much to assist port of the committee. The report was then adopted.

The Day's Proceedings

The convention opened this morning with devotional exercises. There was brought to the women a message from some miscellaneous business transact- his field of labor and told of the work ed, and then the fight over the report that is being done. of the educational committee came on. The correlation of the secondary ago, came about when the report of tion hall yesterday. the committee was adopted this morning. The general idea is that each and not encroach on another and that the students will be educated with an idea of sending them to Wake Forest Female University.

President Marsh announced the appointment of the new educational com-

home missions was the special order of the hour. Rev. W. D. Hubard read the report.

The report indicated great prosper- tion the only subject considered was ity throughout the field and recom- the Baptist Female University. It was mended an aggressive movement. as the special order. After a long discusopportunities were many and great sion, which lasted until nearly ten throughout the south. Mr. Hubbard o'clock, a resolution was passed exmade an earnest talk on the subject tending the time for raising the reand expressed the hope that the high mainder of the fifty thousand dollars attitude of the press towards the subtide reached last night regarding for- pledged at Winston to May 1. With eign missions would again be reached the raising of this amount the Baptist

Durham Rev. J. C. Troy responded ment, he was glad to say. German and and thanked the Baptists for their British warships and sailors were actspirit of brotherly love and affection, ing side by side in enforcing just deit was decided that a midsummer mands,

meeting of the Bapiists will be held for the purpose of discussing education and other features of their work. This

meeting will be a religious meeting ed, as unalterably in favor of separa- without business. A committee was tion of church and state, "and here we appointed with Mr. J. W. Bailey chairare," he said, "furnishing the Roman, man, to select the time and place of Catholics with amunition to hurl at holding the meeting. It will be in ses-

Boman's Meeting

The second day's session of the Woman's Missionary Society was held in mediation." Trinity Methodist church this morning, many new workers and delegates the suggestion of the Temps that it having reached here since the session vesterday.

The main features of the session were talks by Dr. R. J. Willingham, Dr. F. McConnell and Rev. Livingston M. head of "Messages from the Field." Dr. Willingham, who is secretary of

the foreign mission board, told of the mission work that is being done and of the needs of the foreign field. The wo- Guayra, has not yet been reported men are playing no little part in send- to the foreign office, but the officials ing the gospel to the heathern lands, and the North Carolina Mission Socieall things is christian men in our ty, an auxiliary of the Baptist State gravity.

> women in their work and told them of the great needs of the incoming year.

Dr. McConnell of Atlanta, who is at the head of the Sunday school board.

Rev. L. Johnson, corresponding secretary of the North Carolina board, schools of the denomination as told told many of the facts contained in in this correspondence several days his annual report, read in the conven-

This morning the second day's session, was opened with devotional exschool will remain in its own field ercises. The subject was "Christian Needs and Bible Answers" Then there was a moment with each society, representatives from the various societies making talks lend telling of the

work being done in their own way. After the talks of the three field remittee with Mr. J. W. Bailey as chair- presentatives the roommendations of the central committee for the ensuing At this point Dr. Marsh announced year were made. Then there was open that the report of the committee on congress, the subjects being "How?" "Why?" "What?"

Female University Report

At the night session of the conven-

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Whence Mediation Must Come

Paris, Dec. 12 .- A foreign office official made the following statement today: "No exchange of views has occurred between the European powers concerning the Venezuelan situation, and no such exchange is intended, as it is definitely held that the affair is one in which the United States should be left free to take the initiative in

This statement was called out by was time for Europe to speak in the interest of universal peace.

The official said: "'It s fully recognized here and at the other capitals that the United States is the only power in a position to act as an intermediary. Hence there is no intention on the part of European powers to take concerted or individual action."

The release of the French steamer Ossum seized by the Germans at La accept the unofficial reports of her release, thus relieving the incident of its

Threaten te Bombard

Williamstad, Dec. 12 .- The foreign residents of Puerto Cabello, Venezuela, are taking refuge on board the German war ship Vineta and the British war ship Ariadne which threaten to bombard the town.

No Interior Forces

Berlin, Dec. 12 .- There is reason to believe that neither Great Britain nor Germany proposes to despatch an expeditionary force into the interior of Venezuela, both powers intending to confine their operations to the coast. It is understood, however, that a joint force will occupy the cable station at La Guayra enabling direct communication with Lurope by way of Willemstad, It is stated in official quarters that Germany believes the only feasible method of punishing President Castro and his coadjutors is to deprive them of their monetary supplies, which can be effected by seizing the custom house.

The reports of the sinking of the Venezuelan war ships are doubted here pending confirmation.

War ships Sail Tomorrow

London, Dec. 13 .- No official news concerning President Castro's arbitration proposal can yet be obtained. The ject is divergent. The Conservative Standard and the Liberal



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ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., Feb. 5, 1902. I have not enjoyed good health for the past five years, and were it not for Wine of Cardui I would still be

a sufferer today. I was troubled with profuse menstruation, was very irregular and often menstruated every three weeks instead of at the proper periods. Each time I would have severe cramps and bearing down pains with backache unfitting me for office work, and compelling me to lie down for several hours each day and sometimes the entire day. I used several remedies and spent hundreds of dollars trying to get relief, but all of no avail. Fortunately, one of your Ladies' Birthday Almanacs came into my hands and I became much interested, naturally hoping that it would cure me as it had cured others. I took my first dose that night and kept up the treatment religiously. My vitality, which had been well nigh spent by the heavy loss of blood, was gradually restored. Insticed a marked absence of pain at the next period, also a more natural flow kept up the treatment for four months and found to my joy that I was entirely well, and the functions of nature were performed naturally and easily. Wine of Cardui is certainly a grand medicine and gladly do 1 give it entire credit for my wonderful restoration to health.

ISS GRAY took Wine of Car-| but it does cure menstrual troubles. dui and stuck to it. That is which sap the body of its strength

says she "kept up the treatment ing-down pains. Wine of Cardin is religiously". She is rid of her ter-rible suffering because she took this cured hundreds of thousands of womild and simple remedy, because she men suffering from leucorrhoea. did not put off the treatment. She bearing-down pains and all the comdid not take it a day or a week and mon menstrual disorders when the then stop. She took Wine of Cardui | have taken it according to the direcand gave its curative qualities time tions on the bottle. If you will secure to build up her weak parts, regulate her functions and cure the terrible pains in her back. And Wine of Cardui so used will never fail to every day you will have the same benefit any case of female trouble relief Miss Gray enjoys. Never let however serious it may be. Wine of anyone sell you a substitute for Wine Cardui cannot restore dead organs, of Cardui.

what she means when she and result in back-breaking, bear-



which great institution has a faculty sire to see fostered." He believed that thousand as last year. Wake Forest, the Baptist Female Untversity, the excellent schools at Ox- tion was devoted largely to the re- twenty-five, of these there is a lady ford, Murfreesboro, Mars Hill, Bute's port of the committee to nominate the principal, matron and trained nurse. Creek, Bethel Hill and others would different boards for the year. This Last year the debt was \$42,000, and it continue to flourish and accomplish a great and good work.

At the conclusion of Dr. Hutham's moment. The fight was on and state ald to the university was really the bone of contentied. He expressed surprise at some things Dr. Hufham said in his plea for state education. Dr. Hufham expressed the opinion that there was a field for all, he said, but he, for one, wished it understood that we are not to depend on state instltations for the sources of our inspiretion and power.

At this point Dr. Blackwell came into the fight with flying colors. He deprecated the aid of certain schools, re- Mrs. Norman and the Methodists of postponed until tomorrow. ganted as desominational, were receiv- Durham and the state upon the reing from the state. He declared with cent death of Rev. W. C. Norman. emphasis that it was unwise, un-Bap- Feeling talks were made by Rev. Mr. tistic, and fraught with grave compli- Skinner, Dr. W. C. Tyree and others. cations. The position of Baptists has The resolution was passed. On behalf been known for generations, he declar- of the Methodists of the state and of

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all right

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a graduate of the State University, in naming the amount for home mis- University debt and the debt on Chowwith six of the members Baptists, of Atlanta, secretary of the mission all of the piedges not be paid gy that James Hall and others who helped to board, was introduced and made an time the churches will raise the relay the foundation of our Baptist em- carnest plea for the cause. His ad- mainder. The debt must be paid is the pire were educated at the University, dress was eloquent and forcible. At verdict of this convention! by The spifft of Catholicism is in our state the conclusion of the address the The report of President Vann was and, no one will try to throttle the amount was fixed for home missions read and this opened up the subject spirit of education, such as we de- at ten thousand dollars instead of Six The report showed an enrollment of

The afternoon session of the conven- The teaching force is composed of

committee reported on missions, Sun- is now \$19,000. During theizear three day schools, and education boards and legacies left by will amounted to \$70,the report was adopted. The commit- 000, but this fund is not yet available talk Mr. Bailey was on his feet in a tee on woman's work also feported and and will never be for the purpose of endorsed and recommended the work paying off the debt. being done. It showed that during In connection with the repert on the the past year the women of the denom- University the report of the century

ination raised over eleven thousand fund movement was made and both dollars for missions. During the sum- were considered at the same time of mer months twenty-four young ladies the \$39,599 pledged at Winston last went out and taught schools in the year. Little more than \$31,000 has mountains and rural districts free of been collected and turned over. Decharge, this being under the direction ducting all that has been collected on of the woman's board. During this the fifty thousand dollar pledge there time they taught eleven hundred pu- is yet some fifteen thousand dollars to be paid.

Rev. Mr. Simms introduced a resolu-The report of Wake Forest was to tion of condolence and sympathy for have been considered tonight but was

VENEZUELA IS PRE-PARING FOR DEFENSE

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ference of the Washington government is not the gracious act of condescension on the part of the United States that it has been represented as being. The real reason for not applying the Monroe Doctrine, the paper adds, is not that Venezuela has misbehaved, but that United States is powerless to avert the punishment.

The statement that the United States will only interfere in such dispute to prevent the loss of territory is an-idle boast and will remain so as long as the United States does not possess a navy equal to the combined navies of the great powers of Europe. The Imperialist Outlook says there is no benefit in this affair of having Germany on the British side. The English are in a false position sentimentally, however, they may be justified by international law.

England's Position Reviewed

London, Dec. 12 .- Lord Lansdowne. cretary of state for foreign affairs. as a guest of the United Service Club at the Hotel Cecil this evening. He made a conciliatory speech, in which he reviewed England's position. He said he did not believe that in any part of the world the English were open to the charge of having inveterate antipathy against any one. They certainly need not have inveterate antipathy even against Venezuela. If that Republic would desist from committing outrages against their sub-Jects and British property, if it would pay its just debts to its creditors, if it would reply to diplomatic representations made in perfectly courteous language, if it did that, England need have no quarrel whatever with Venezuela.

agree that matters have already reachsions this year. Dr. F. G. McConnelly an Institute will be wiped out. 'Should ed the stage at which arbitration is appropriate. The Chronicle maintains that if the United States identified it- is allowing herself to be towed in the self with the arbitration proposal and guaranteed the execution of the award Great Britain would be glad enough to have her chestnuts thus pulled out of the fire, but the paper points out 237 students, 9 less than as year ago. that no such situation exists.

The war ship Samora is being commissioned for service in Venezuelan waters. She is expected to sail tomor-

Little Removed from Piracy

London, Dec. 12 .- The considerable

wake of a German ironclad. The Daily Mail contends that Great Britain has nothing to do with Gera practical Englishman to sink the Venezuelan ships. The British must go their own way in collecting debts. They will not involve themselves in any great expeditions. If the Germans choose to send a force to Caracas that is their concern.

Berlin, Dec. 12 .- The Némeste Nachpopular irritation caused by the iden- richten, writing before the arbitration tification of Great Britain with Ger- proposal was known refers to an unmany finds expression in various quar- official suggestion that the United ters. The Daily News declares: "We States might mediate. It says that if are no longer masters of our own the United States had earlier underhousehold. An itinerant, energetic em- taken to guarantee satisfaction of the peror has stolen our independence in Anglo-German demands extreme acthe intervals of partridge shooting at tion might have been averted. Now Sandrigham. We are 'accordingly in- the matter has reached such a point volved in operations little removed that the unbounded audacity of the from piracy.". The paper asks what is Venezuelans must be punished and re-

the bargain under which Great Britain paration for gross insults exacted.

man tactics. It would never occur to has been increasing since his college

Audacity Must Be Funished

Anxiety for Archbishop London, Dec. 12,-The weakness of the Archbishop of Canterbury, who in the House of Lords on December 5 while he was speaking on the education bill, has become extreme. Dr. Sir Thomas Barlow was summoned this evening to consult with the physicians in attendance upon the archbishop. After the consultation a bulletin was issued to the effect that Dr. Temple had lost strength during the day, and that his condition was causing anxiety. Special prayers for his recovery will be offered in all the English dioceses Sunday.

Revive Whipping Post

Richmond, Va., Dec. 12.-A bill : revive the whipping post in Virginia will be introduced by Delegate S. M. Newhouse of Culpepper and will probably become a law.



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