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and kindly were the only ones in any conference
convention. The relative position of the children
of friends & the of slave holders will be soon settled
in the next general convention. Some of the leading organs
of the South have decided a column each, re-
spectfully, to our work, endorsing it in strong lan-
guage. I have been an extract - many prominent
editors wish us to accept state aid & make an
explicit public. We have agreed to aid them as
far as we can, without diminishing our present
work - we desire to freedom that as a distinct
organization for the benefit of friends, that our
children may receive a solid & gradual education.
It is true we have now more than friends,
in our schools, but they are under our control
& they attend our meetings.

We are preparing to collect our teachers again
this summer during the 7th & part of the 8th
We for further drilling, & do more has con-
sulted to spend four weeks with them.
The Friday school open about 5 mo 1st & con-
tinue until the 11th mo - we have about
300 white & 1600 colored children in them.
Many of them have been so deficient in education