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Evening Schools Open For Adults

Dr. Willard Spalding, Superintendent of the Portland Public Schools, announces that the Portland Evening Schools will open with a five point program for adults on the evening of Sept. 25. A program has been planned to meet the needs and desires of individuals who wish training in commercial subjects, such as book-keeping, shorthand, typing, business English and business law.

A wide curriculum will also be available to adults and youth who wish to complete high school. Classes for the home maker will include clothing construction, home furnishings, "Making the Most of Your Personality and Appearance," pottery, metal arts, and "Wood-working for Pleasure."

There will also be seventh and eighth grade continuation classes, in addition to courses in citizenship for the foreign-born.

Enrollment dates will be as follows: Lincoln, Sept. 21, 22, and 25; Sunnyside School, Sept. 25th; Abernethy, Sept. 25th; Boise School and Central Library, Sept. 25th; Jefferson High, Sept. 25th.

School Expenditures For Negroes Nil

NEW YORK—Information disclosed in the school report for 1941-42, showing the status of public education in the city of Atlanta, Ga., is indicative of what will continue to be the rule if the Democratic Party is allowed to dominate the affairs of the country, with its fingers clutched about the nation's purse strings, Dr. C. B. Powell, assistant to the Director of Publicity of the Republican National Committee declared this week.

Negroes form one-third of the population of the city, and constitute fifty per cent of the school population.

Type of School	No. for Whites	No. for Negroes
Elementary	42	11
Junior High	6	2
Senior High	4	1
Night Schools	3	4

The school expenditures are as follows:

Kindergartens, per pupil \$99.45, Negroes 0; a typical day school for Whites \$3,110,384.26, for Negroes \$573,665.86; a typical vocational school for Whites \$74,697.48, for Negroes 0.

For teachers' annual salaries the following figures reveal a hitch for incentive to teacher preparation:

Principal, Junior and Senior High \$3000-3099; No. of White teachers 18, Negroes 0; Department Heads \$2900-2999, No. of

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WITH DEWEY IN PORTLAND, ORE.



LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Cy. Denton and Mrs. Janice Lewis of Acme Club, Mrs. James Braggs of Multnomah County Voters League, Mr. Ralph H. Faulk, Editor Portland Inquirer, Gov. Thomas E. Dewey, Republican Presidential Candidate, Mrs. Pearl Buckner, Mrs. Thomas E. Dewey, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Cox, Republican Committeeman and Committee Woman and Mrs. Ralph H. Faulk, all Republican Workers.

A scheduled conference of Negro Republican workers and leaders with Thomas E. Dewey, Republican Presidential nominee, was among the things that had to be cancelled when the Dewey Party finally arrived in Portland on Tuesday. Delayed by two train wrecks which caused the party to be eight hours late in arriving, all but the most important part of Mr. Dewey's program was left out. Yet with the lightning routine he was forced to follow, he still found time to have a chat and pose for pictures with those Negroes that were present. Among those invited to meet with Mr. Dewey in the conference originally planned for 11:00 A. M. Tuesday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Cox, Dr. De N. Unthank, Mr. and Mrs. William Graves, Mrs. Gwendolyn Davis of Vanport, Rev. L. O. Stone, Rev. J. F. Smith, Rev. Browning Allen, Miss. Geneve Turner, Mrs. Lillian Baker, Mr. Ralph H. Faulk, Mr. K.

L. Culp and Mr. and Mrs. James Braggs.

After the first delay of the Dewey Special, the train was reported to arrive at various times and continual changes were made in the original schedule. When the party finally arrived (minus the train) only a few of those invited to the morning conference could be found. A new delegation was hastily formed of those present which included Mr. and Mrs. Arthur A. Cox, Mrs. James Braggs, Mrs. Janice Lewis, Mrs. Pearl Buckner, Mr. Cy Denton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph H. Faulk.

Included in the Dewey party were three Negroes, two of them press representatives. The third was Mr. Dewey's personal messenger Frank Simpson of New York who was injured in the wreck (Cuts over his right eye). The newspaper representatives were Julius J. Adams of the Amsterdam News, New York and Ralph D. Matthews, managing Editor of the Washing-

ton, D. C. Afro-American. These three Negroes have been on the Dewey Special all the way across the country. Both men were lucky in that they were not injured in the wreck. Mr. Adams said, "I was typing a story of the wreck we had just passed when suddenly my typewriter and the table on which I was writing came back and hit me a terrific blow in the solar plexus. I think I still feel it." Asked by a local correspondent how they were enjoying their trip, they both agreed that they were having a fine time. This was Mr. Adams first trip with a presidential nominee, but Mr. Matthews had made the trip once before with a Republican presidential nominee but never in history with a Democrat.

Mr. Simpson said that he has been with Mr. Dewey since he was District Attorney of New York. Went to the state house in Albany, N. Y. with him and will go with Mr. Dewey to the White House on January 20, 1945.

Dewey Stresses "Jobs For All"

Jobs Not Doles Aim of
Next President

NEW YORK — Gov. Thomas E. Dewey struck close to the hearts of the masses of the American people last week in a message to the State Federation of Labor when he stressed the need of a "way of solving problems" that would provide not doles, but jobs for all.

In New York, the Legislature has established a Post-War Planning Commission, which will have at its disposal a billion dollars worth of work in state and local projects to cushion the shock of the ending of war production.

Just as preparations have been completed in the state to provide jobs for the men and women of the fighting forces and the many millions now engaged in war industry when hostilities cease, Governor Dewey has indicated he has plans for a similar program for the entire nation.

The Governor called attention to the job labor has done in the war effort in New York State, pointing out that, "This is a great record and it has been made by you thru the responsibility and character you have given to the organizations you represent. I like to think the State Administration had made some contribution to that record by having an understanding of your problems and being prepared to co-operate realistically in the maintenance of industrial peace."

"I know of no reason," the Governor said, "why the stability which you and the New York industry and the State Government together have achieved cannot be duplicated nationally."

Earlier this year Gov. Dewey recommended, and the Legislature passed a law establishing a Commission Against Discrimination to study practices of discrimination because of race, creed, color or national origin, and to make recommendation designed to enact laws to eliminate such discrimination. This move on the part of Governor Dewey was a major stroke to wipe out Jim Crowism in the State, and make New York the first state in the Union to take steps to bring into being a permanent FEPC.

Permanent F.E.P.C. Is Discussed

A meeting for discussion of forming a permanent F.E.P.C. was held at the U.S.O. on Wednesday, September 20. Mr. Angelo Herndon was the principal speaker. This is a national movement intended to bring about legislation that will place the F.E.P.C. under permanent government agencies.

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Registration Is Now Open at the County Court House, Fifth Ave. and Salmon Street, Room 141

In order to VOTE in the November Elections you first MUST register. In order to register you will have to go to the County Court House.

To reach the County Court House take the Williams Ave. bus or the Alberta trolley car or the Sellwood bus. Get off at Salmon Street (1000 S. W.) and walk two blocks west.

From St. Johns or Interstate bus transfer at Oak Street to the Mississippi bus or Broadway trolley. Get off at Salmon Street and walk two blocks east.

From Vanport ride bus to end of line (9th and Oak), walk east on Oak to Broadway and take the Broadway trolley or Mississippi bus. Get off at Salmon St., Walk two blocks east.

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