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The two copies of the Dallas Public Library delinquency notice are being retained as part of this file, the copy of "The Shark and The Sardines" being returned.

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Demo Ranks Split On JFK Luncheon



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A liberal-loyalist Democratic don was appearing in his usual firm off an irate telegram from the President as President of all the people and that his remarks would not be political in nature.

The Democrats will stage their party banquet in Austin Friday night. The Dallas luncheon is expected to be because "for the sake of the party focus on higher education."

Bryant said he sent the notice last week in Dallas, one of the wisest things he has done and was to party politics, the spokesman said.

Talk of a boycott could not be confirmed from other sources, however.

Charles King, president of the Dallas AFL-CIO Council, said, "I am unable to comment at this time."

Oscar Maszy, a leader of the liberal-loyalist Democratic precinct chairman, said he is still trying to find out who exactly has and hasn't been invited.

"I think it would be a serious mistake to exclude the people who have worked so hard for the Democratic Party," Maszy said, but added that he had no information yet they have been excluded.

He plans to meet with the liberal-loyalist precinct chairman Tuesday night, he said, to determine exactly what the situation is.

Meanwhile, a group of Dallas business and civic leaders were to meet Friday afternoon to make some of the final arrangements for the President's visit to Dallas.

Officials were still waiting shortly before noon for the official word on exactly where the

luncheon will be held.

The new Trade Mart on Stemmons Freeway is expected to be the site if Secret Service agents approve it.

Another prospect is the Women's Building at Fair Park.

Bryant, in commenting on the

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committee which is forming the plans for the non-political, invitation-only affair, said it was made up 85 per cent of Republicans.

The complete text of his telegram to the President is as follows:

"From the invitation list so far in Dallas one would think Nixon was coming to meet his dedicated workers. Better not to have come if visit is used to reject supporters and reward opposition. Please do something. We can't win the John Birchers, but we can fire up our own workers in 54."

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