



MITTIE J. TURNER CAMPBELL

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Mittie J Campbell School, Photo from The Public Schools, CISD, 1925-1926

- Mittie J. Washington first married Jesse J. Turner and after his death in 1912, she married E. B. “Ebby” Campbell in 1915.
- Mittie was the founder and principal of the first African American public school in Conroe.
- When the first school building burned in 1919 the school was moved to the Dugan neighborhood, and it was called Mittie J. Campbell School.
- Jesse J. Turner was a minister.
- Mittie’s sister Carrie Pearl Washington married Robert Hines. Carrie wrote two books of poetry and several plays. One of their sons, Melvin, was a dentist.

