

Sam Hudson Wins College-at-Large Post

Thanks to a huge plurality in Northville and Plymouth, Sam Hudson, public relations and advertising director for the Plymouth plant of Evans Products Co., won a six-year at-large term to the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees in Monday's election with a total of 5,243 to 4,964 for his opponent, Mrs.

Rosina Raymond of Livonia. Mrs. Raymond polled 3,597 against 2,355 for Hudson in Livonia and had what appeared to be a safe edge of 146 votes with only Northville to be heard from. But then came the bombshell that found Northville electors favoring Hudson, 617

to 192, and giving him a safe margin in the unofficial totals. Hudson: the incumbent who is serving the unexpired term of Charles Kirkpatrick, was seeking election for the first time and realized he was in for a battle when Mrs. Raymond filed as an at-large candidate from populous Livonia.

And it appeared for a time that Mrs. Raymond had the election won until Northville gave Hudson the big edge and the victory. As expected, Hudson carried Plymouth by a wide margin with a total of 863 to 128 for his rival. He also had a slight edge in Clarenceneville, 189-167

and in Garden City which he carried 1,029-970. In fact Hudson had an edge of more than 800 prior to the count from Livonia where Mrs. Raymond was by more than 960 to hold the unofficial 146 plurality with only Northville to be heard from. The tallies were slow coming

from Northville where election officials reported more than 100 in line when the polls officially closed at 8 p.m. They also had to count 80 absentee ballots to further delay the tally. Finally, at 10:15 p.m., almost two hours after the machine precincts in the other districts had reported, Northville came

in with the totals that clinched the victory for Hudson, pending a final official canvass of the votes. The Hudson-Raymond race had the attention of voters in the college district since it was the only contest other than that in Livonia where a field of six sought the lone vacancy.

James Boswell, a newcomer to Livonia politics, won the right to represent Livonia on the Schoolcraft Board after a tight race with Solomon Bienenfeld. Harold Fischer, of Plymouth, was returned as representative of that community with a total of 939 votes and Clarke Oldenberg was re-named to a six-year term as Garden City representative. Oldenberg had a total of 1,596 votes from his home community.

Fischer has been chairman of the Board of Trustees since the first election. Hudson has a Bachelor's



SAM HUDSON

degree from New York University, a Master's from Eastern Michigan University and is working on his doctorate at Wayne State.

He has long been active in Plymouth community affairs, serving as vice president and board member of the Plymouth Symphony Society, past president of the Rotary Club and is a former chairman of the Plymouth Town Hall Committee. In addition he is a member of the committee for Establishment of Materials Management Center at Wayne State University and has been active in Schoolcraft College since the days when the college was just a dream of citizens of the area. His wife, Jessie, is the art teacher at Plymouth High and his son is attending college in California.

TO LIVONIA, G.C., WAYNE?

Study Proposals to Carve Up Nankin Mills School District

The six school buildings and 2900 pupils in Nankin Mills School District could become part of the Livonia, Garden City or Wayne School Districts under alternate plans being studied by the Wayne County Intermediate Committee.

Or, the district — which operates on a kindergarten-through-ninth grade level — may be split up among all three. In any case, the Nankin district has been pegged as one of nine Wayne County school districts without high schools which must be reorganized. A plan is due to the State School Reorganization Committee in Lansing by Dec. 31. Under the new state legislation, the plan requires every district to have a high school.

According to D. Harlan Hudgins, Nankin Mills Superintendent, last enrollment count for all students, kindergarten through grade nine, was 2799. The district, with its five elementary and one junior high school, includes roughly the territory bordered by Joy Rd. on the north, Ford Rd. on the south, Merriman St. and the Garden City limits on east and Farmington Rd. on the west.

The Intermediate Committee has scheduled a meeting, June 2, to discuss the four tentative re-organization plans, according to Chairman William Schunck, also Wayne County Intermediate Superintendent of Schools. "The nine reorganization plans to be discussed on June 2 will only be tentative," stressed Schunck.

"The state legislature in 1964, established the Wayne County Intermediate Committee to study and recommend a K-12 plan for all non-high school districts in Wayne County. The committee will present four plans for Nankin Mills School District and we hope to have time to consider five plans for the Sumpter School District at the June 23 meeting," stated Schunck.

Schunck pointed out that enrollment factors, valuations per child, number of existing buildings, location of the high school and other related educational statistics would be considered as each new re-organized K-12 district is examined as a new, 1968, school district.

Dr. Charles Wells, educational consultant with the Wayne County Intermediate Office of Education, is assisting the 16 member committee with the compilation of necessary educational data to complete their study.

At the June 23 meeting the Nankin Mills School District, a non-high school district in the "north" area of Wayne County, will be studied statistically and educationally from four K-12 approaches:

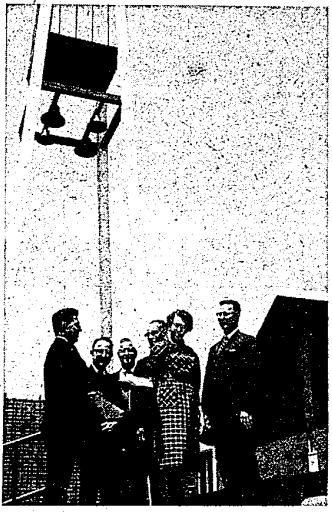
- Nankin Mills and Livonia School District
- Nankin Mills and Garden City School District
- Nankin Mills and the Wayne School District
- Divide Nankin Mills on

a natural boundary (Hines Drive) and annex to adjacent districts.

Each of the proposed K-12 districts exist solely for the committee to assist them in studying as many plans as possible. Public hearings will be held

when the Wayne County Intermediate Committee has decided, after careful consideration, which plan offers the most advantages for the children of the combined districts.

Prior to submitting the final plan, local school district public hearings will be held.



THE PAUL M. CHANDLER Scholarship Fund was officially launched Monday — thanks to the contributions of scores of residents who remembered the late Observer publisher and State Senator with nearly \$1,500 in donations. Turning over a check to Lois Waterman, Dean of Student Affairs at Schoolcraft College, was Joel LaBo, chairman of the Scholarship Fund Trustees. Participating in the ceremonies at the Schoolcraft campus were (from left, back): Livonia Schools Superintendent Ben Yates; Clarenceneville Schools Superintendent Louis Schmidt; College President Dr. Eric Bradner; and Livonia Mayor Harvey Mookke. Yates and Schmidt, with LaBo, were Trustees of the Fund.

Shoots Garden City Man In Gun Brawl

At 3:54 a.m., Saturday morning, June 12, a friend dropped Clyde E. Tubbs off at the Farmington Township Police Dept. Tubbs, who lives at 32241 Alvin, in Garden City, had bullet wounds in his left side, and another one in his left arm.

He was taken to Wayne County General Hospital, and Officer Ed Moore, of the Garden City Police was sent there to question him. Tubbs was reluctant to give out any information, but Moore was able to get the name of Timothy Barnes, of 1846 Fielding, Detroit, as the one who did the shooting.

According to the information now available to the Garden City and Farmington Township Police, the sequence of events was as follows:

Tubbs and his wife Jeanette have been separated and on Friday evening she and Barnes went to the Tubbs'

home on Alvin Street to remove the furniture—or some of it at least.

Tubbs was there when they arrived, and an argument started. Tubbs pulled a .22 and fired it at Barnes. The two men then fought for the gun and Barnes got it.

He fired one shot at Tubbs—missing. The second shot hit Tubbs in the arm, just above the elbow, and then went into his left side. Thus the two wounds.

Det. Russ Conway of the Farmington Township Police, operating on a lead from the Garden City Police, spotted Mrs. Tubbs' car on Tulane Street, in the Township. He arrested her, but she was subsequently released. Det. Richard Mager, of the Garden City Police, then arrested Barnes, at the latter's home on Fielding. He has been charged with attempted murder.



FLOWER BEDS in the Campus Mall at Schoolcraft College have the attention of Dr. Eric Bradner, college president, and visitors from Michigan State University as workmen plant flowers donated by Kiwanis Club No. 1 of Livonia. The group includes: (from left) Elmer



HARRY TENNYSON

Arrest Detroit Youths

According to Farmington Township Detective Russ Conway, the arrest of 10 year old James Kilgore, and 18 year old Dennis Edwards, both of Detroit, has solved a long list of breaking and entering in a number of suburban communities, including Livonia and Nankin, as well as Farmington Township.

Among the homes the two youths are accused of breaking into are those of Winslow Zaydel, 2484 Westmoreland; Frank Stre, 2214 Hamilton; and Arthur Higgins, 28245 W. Nine Mile; all in Farmington Township, in Livonia. They are said to have broken into the homes of Daniel Kari, 1835 Purlingbrook; and Harry Gleason, 19351 Hillcrest. Their Nankin Township victim is said to have been Harold Kilgore, 68st Apache.

Det. Conway, and other Township officers traced the youths to Detroit, and arrested them there.

Scholars Fund Nets \$625 From Fishing Contest

The Livonia Mall fishing contest was a tremendous success for the more than 6,000 kiddies who took the "big ones" and took them home and for the Dollars for Scholars fund which netted \$625.

The pools in the Mall were busy throughout the three days of the contest in which the youngsters paid a dime to fish and all had bites and catches.

And the entire proceeds went to the Scholars fund. The check will be turned over to the committee later in the week.

Livonian Back From Dominican Republic

Marine Corporal Bruce W. Freels, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Freels of 2017 Angling Road, Livonia, is serving with Company "L" of Battalion Landing Team 3/6, returning from the Caribbean to Camp Lejeune, N. C.

He was among the first group of Marines to be withdrawn from Santo Domingo, capital of the Dominican Republic, when the BLT resumed its training tour in the Caribbean.

Name Harry Tennyson Auto Show Chairman

Harry Tennyson, a Livonia Chevrolet dealer, has been appointed chairman of the committee for the Detroit Auto Show, sponsored by the Detroit Auto Dealers Association.

Continuing as show manager is Boyce Tope, DADA executive vice president.

Tope, who has been with DADA since 1933, will be managing his ninth auto show this fall.

Tennyson succeeds Harold Johns as committee chairman. Continuing as show manager is Boyce Tope, DADA

will be in charge of the show scheduled for November 27 through December 5 in Cobo Hall.

Tennyson served as president of the Detroit Chevrolet Dealers Association in 1960-61 and now is chairman of the Association's Scholarship Committee, which has set up a program awarding two \$4,000 college scholarships each year to children of Chevrolet dealers.

Active in civic and club affairs, Tennyson is a member of Kiwanis Club No. 1, the Greater Detroit Board of Commerce, the Livonia Board of Commerce, the University Club, and the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club.

He has been a member of the DADA Board of Directors since 1963, served on the Finance Committee in 1963 and 1964, and was a member of the Auto Show Committee in 1964, in charge of advance ticket sales. Last January he was elected secretary of DADA and a member of its Executive Committee.

Honorary doctor of laws degrees were conferred upon Carl R. Anderson, dean of field services at Eastern Michigan University, and Otis Yabema, director of field services at Western Michigan University.

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10 from Area Receive Degrees from Central

At Central Michigan University's 73rd annual commencement June 12 area students received degrees. They are:

From Garden City: Emory Curtis Daniels, B.S. in education; Gustie Laura McGlothlin, A.B.; Henry Franklin Mason, B.S.; and Janet Ruth Rives, A.B.

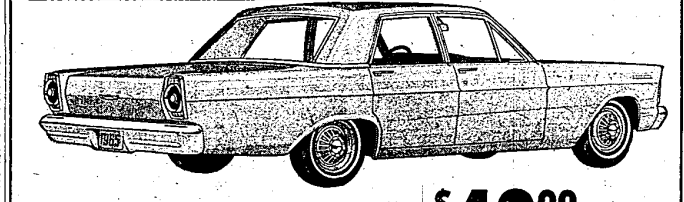
Livonia residents: Brian L. Pretzer, B.S.; Donna Dee Sanders, B.S.; and Lawrence James Thompson, B.S.

John Louise Cogsdill, B.S., and Patricia Louise Harrington, B.S. in education, from Farmington, were among those receiving degrees; and

Alice Marie Gates of Wayne received an A.B. degree.

The University awarded 688 bachelor degrees, 64 master of arts degrees, eight master of business administration degrees, three master of music degrees, two master of science degrees, four Ed. S. (education specialist degrees) and 18 persons received either teaching or secretarial certificates only.

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Livonia Woman Dies In Crash

Mrs. Helen George, 56, of 33909 Richland Ave., Livonia, was killed and her husband, Henry Sr., and son Henry, Jr., were seriously injured in a head-on collision Sunday morning on an exit ramp of I-94 at 26 Mile Road in Calhoun County.

Henry Sr., and Henry, Jr., who resides at 28160 Fourth, Taylor Township, are in serious condition in a nearby hospital. The accident happened when the car in which the Georges were riding "crashed into one driven by James Burk, 36, of Halo, Ky., who, according to sheriff's deputies, was attempting to enter the freeway on the exit ramp.

Services for Mrs. George were conducted in the Schrader Funeral Home in Plymouth in charge of Rev. Henry Walch with burial in Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

She had resided in Livonia since 1935 when the family moved there from Detroit.

Surviving are her husband, Henry George Sr.; a son, Henry Jr.; two daughters, Mrs. Alice Villorot of Plymouth and Louise George of Livonia; one brother, Dwight Donipier of Dearborn Heights; and two grandchildren.