

Local Principal Almost Wins Vote

A Kansas City School District elementary school principal has lost a bid to become president of the National Association of Elementary School Principals by a slim 85-vote margin.

Mrs. Yvonne S. Wilson, principal of Nelson Elementary School, lost the presidency of the 23,000-member organization by a vote of 3,693 to 3,608 to Mrs. Nellie Quander, an elementary school principal in Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Quander will become president-elect of the association Sept. 1 and a year later will become president.

Mrs. Wilson, who has been principal of Nelson school for seven years, is president of the Missouri Association of Elementary School Principals, an affiliate of the national organization.

The campaign for the post began Feb. 1 and the votes were tallied earlier this month.

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