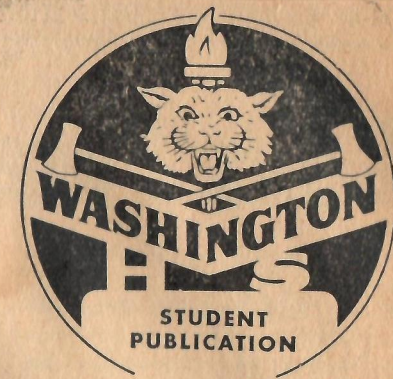


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Ending twelve years of formal education in elementary, junior, and senior high schools, WHS's commencement exercises for the class of '69 will be May 26, 8:00 in the stadium. The three seniors chosen to give speeches are Joyce Neerman, Judy Ragan, and William Palaskas. Introductions will be by Cyndy Bender and Beverly Delladio.

The invocation will be given by Sandra Miller. Dr. O. L. Plucker will accept the class, and Reverend E. Wadlowe, a member of the Board of Education, will present the diplomas.

It is a tradition to turn the class ring around so that the numbers are facing out and change the tassel to the other side of the cap, to show you have graduated.

"The Road Not Taken," "The Best of Rooms," and "The Impossible Dream" are the selections to be sung by the A Cappella Choir.

Those graduating are listed in the surrounding story.

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*Vicki Lynne Norris
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Max I. Overfield
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*Howard L. Peters
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*Nickie Ann Peterson
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Roberta Marie Smith
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Barbara Irene Spencer
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Susan A. Stamey
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Sherrie DeAnn Terrell
Bernard Terry
*Sheri Lynne Thistlethwaite
Daniel C. Thoele
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David Clare Brewer
Gregg Bridgens
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David Paul Brizendine
Major Brooks
Suzanne Moss Broward
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Larry Ray Brown
Loretta Bryan
Barbara Jo Buchan
Dianna Lynn Budy
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John Leland Byers
Ruth Ann Byrne
Daniel Joseph Calovich
Deborah Angenette Campbell
LaMayra Lynn Campbell
Dianne L. Cannon
Michael W. Cantwell
Mona Lynn Carr
*Elizabeth A. Carson
Diane L. Carver
Martin Ray Cernech
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Ruth Alene Church
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Rebecca L. Gibson
Linda Mary Gilmore
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James Oliver Gomer
Robert C. Good
Nicholas Everly Gordon
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Niel Greer
Kyle E. Grigsby
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Sidney Miles Gunter
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Boys Face Military Service

The majority of Washington's senior boys are almost or already 18 and "liable to fulfill their military duty to their country." As the senior boy approaches his eighteenth birthday, he has more to think about than that he will be legally able to drink beer in Kansas. Upon reaching this age of reckoning, a young man must also consider his eligibility for military service, and in doing so, factors other than patriotism must be considered.

To begin with, every young man must report to his local draft board within five days after his eighteenth birthday for registration under the Selective Service System. At the board, he is asked to supply only his name and home address and to sign a registration card. This card is sent to him within a few weeks with his Selective Service number, and it is his for life. It is then his responsibility to fill out and return a questionnaire which is also mailed to him. On the basis of the information provided in this questionnaire, his draft classification will be decided. After receiving his classification, he may appeal it to his draft board if he dis-

agrees.

This basic system of selective service is necessary for the defense of the country and is an obligation to every young man who is a citizen. If he decides to enlist, however, he is taking the threat of the draft from his college years and getting it out of the way. Then he will have no fear that the very expensive years of college will be wasted if he gets called up in the middle of them and doesn't come back. Enlisting will enable a prospective draftee to have his choice of job training or career field. He will also be able to pick the time in which he will go into active duty as well as being free from obligation to join a reserve unit after being discharged.

The fellow who gets his military service out of the way before college will also receive benefits from the "New G.I. Bill" for his further education. Under this, he may receive one month's educational benefits for each month spent on active duty, up to a maximum of 36 months. For full-time students these benefits range from \$130 to \$175 monthly or more,

based on the number of his dependents.

If you are not an American citizen, this is not of any worry to you. But every American male citizen is faced with a period of military service and will be required to fulfill it one way or another.

As one alternative, a lifetime Canadian vacation might be nice, but may prove undesirable in the face of its consequences. The realistic choice is between the draft or enlisting, and should be the young man's alone. The choice is one of his first major decisions, beginning the time in his life when his actions are decided on his own, as an adult, in an adult world.



Exchange Program Desires Families To Board And Help Foreign Students

This year, the WHS finalist for the Americans Abroad summer program is Donna Smithey, junior.

The program Donna hopes to participate in is designed for students who are 15 years of age or older, who are interested in meeting new people, learning or perfecting a foreign language, and

participating in this program, nor do the students have to offer their homes in return for a family stay abroad.

There are two programs, differing only in the length of stay. Program I is for four weeks and costs \$750. Program II lasts for six weeks and costs \$805. Stays

Journalism Dept. Gives Awards

The Washingtonian and Hatchet staffs combined forces in holding the first annual Quill and Scroll awards assembly April 17 in the school cafeteria.

The evening's festivities were formally opened by Elaine Grantham, president, as Master of Ceremonies and Joyce Neerman, vice-president, lighting the candle symbolic of the Quill and Scroll club.

Attending the event were approximately 125 parents, friends, Washingtonian and Hatchet members, and distinguished guests.

The first order of business was the initiation of new Quill and Scroll candidates. They were: Myra Kent, Bill Palaskas, Laura Davidson, John Ramsey, Susan Vernon, seniors, and Ron Cheney, junior.

The speaker for the evening was Dr. Calder M. Pickett, professor of journalism at the University of Kansas. He spoke on high school journalism and its meaning in the school and the community.

Awards were given to those who had done an outstanding job in the two school publications. The two top awards for the year in these publications were to Joyce Neerman, for outstanding work on the Hatchet staff, and to Elaine Grantham for her contributions to the Washingtonian.

Best feature writing in the

Washingtonian was done by Jan Kenton. Sports writing went to Lyle Martinson; editorial went to Mike Lewis and Elaine Grantham. Copywriting accomplishments were given to Linda Ristow and Kathy Story. For page make-up, awards went to John Kessler and Debbie Jones. The advertising in the school paper was accredited to Dave Cox.

Awards were numerous for Hatchet recognition. Copywriting awards for the Hatchet were given to Cindy Bender and Claudette Brame. Also receiving recognition for creative ideas for the yearbook were Claudette Brame and Linda Savner. The best organized section award was given to Claudette Brame, Janice Rosewicz, Cindy Bender, and Barbara Lisher. Responsible for the preparations and duties of Hatchet Ball Chairman was Diane Smith.

Two adults were accredited in helping with the work and responsibilities of publication. They were: Mrs. Smith for helping on Hatchet activities, and Mrs. George Neerman for contributing on Hatchet publication.

A great deal of thanks was also extended to Mr. Arden Schoenig, printing teacher, for his many hours of work in getting the Washingtonian out on time.

Special Events Shape School Year

For the students here at Washington the 1968-69 school year has been a very fulfilling one.

From the very beginning of school on August 28 until its end on June 2, many events and projects have shaped their successful estab-

lished. One of the most notable to make its appearance was the annual Hatchet Ball December 14 with the theme of "An Evening in Athens." Last was Junior-Senior Prom April 26 which was decorated with the theme "Gone With the Wind."

Washington's entire student body took part in the first mock elections in which the 1968 national presidential candidates were voted on. Richard Nixon won by a wide margin, with George Wallace second and Hubert Humphrey third.

Still remembered as the high

discover new worlds, customs, and cultures.

Placements of students are dependent on family availability. It is only the uncertainty of final numbers of opportunities which will be available for the coming year that prevents the guaranteeing of more finalists.

Approximately 70% of all finalists will actually participate in the program.

Selected students will stay with matched families in Western or Eastern Europe, and all are provided with meals, rooms, health and accident insurance, formal European orientation, personal service, supervision and arrangements.

A knowledge of foreign languages is not a prerequisite for

Song Gets Lyrics

On the plains of dear old Kansas
Tapestried in green;
Rise the halls of Washington,
Hail to thee our queen.
Hail our high school,
Dear old high school,
May she ever be
Light that guides and guards us
always,

On life's dark, deep sea.

Anyone who has ever been closely associated with WHS should recognize these words as those of our alma mater. In 1943, eleven years after Washington opened, it was noticed that an alma mater was needed. The melody was taken from Cornell University's school song but there were no lyrics to go with the music.

An open contest for faculty and students was held to find suitable words for the music. Finally a faculty member wrote the lyrics which are printed above. In 1943, the song was adopted as Washington's school song.

for less than four or more than six weeks can be arranged on request. Also, students staying six weeks or longer can live with two different families, if so desired.

WHS students who will have foreign exchange students living in their homes next year are Roy Breedlove and Diane Kepler, juniors.

From a similar organization, People-to-People, two South Korean girls will be attending WHS. One of the girls will live with Anita Wilch, junior, and so far a home hasn't been found for the second girl.

This year our community will not be able to sponsor an AFS bus stop, because the stops are scheduled in those that haven't participated recently. There are only 75 buses available, with over 400 requests for stops.

Restless Youths Ponder Problems, Alcoholic Beverages Tempt Young

"Will you come to my party?"
What's bugging today's teens?

For many teens, getting drunk out-of-their-minds on the weekends is one way of having fun. It's not hard to get a six-pack of beer or fifths of whiskey even if the person is a minor.

Is drinking really that much fun or are kids trying to forget or run away from their problems?

A friend said that he likes to get drunk because it makes him feel good and do stupid things.

He also commented that he really didn't mind the vomiting or hangover later in the night.

One reason that kids drink is that they don't have anything else more fun or exciting to do.

So, one says, it is my life and no one is going to tell me what I should do.

Are youth failing each other? Beer, money, cars, and freedom have replaced the girl-like-mom

have been since the beginning of time.

Perhaps the first new change to appear to returning students was the new principal at WHS for everyone here at Washington, this year. His name is Mr. H. D. Neill and he had taught biology here for many years previously. Through his administration, many changes have come to Washington. Some of the innovations were the after-school sessions to iron out student-administration disagreements and the new future parking lot for student drivers.

The dance schedule during this school year was a full one. First to arrive was Homecoming on October 4, 1968. The theme was "Stairway to the Stars." Next to

and the all-American boy. It ranges from the girl that sits by the phone that never rings and the girl who brings a lot of books home to the boy that calls a girl in the middle of the night and asks her if she'll come to a party because he's lonely.

So who cares if you drive through Peter's six or seven times or get out of your car and make a fool of yourself? No one at all. Maybe that's the saddest part of it all. People need to re-evaluate what things should matter in their lives. It is hard for some to find a purpose and make any sense out of this world.

Youth haven't failed each other, but have lost touch with each other. As the seniors venture out into a new life, they will try to find a meaning to living.

Understanding between youth and society is the key to a good life. We can make our world what we want it for it's our world.

money-making projects were numerous during the year. In December and January Student Council sponsored a drive to raise \$1,000 to build a Baby WHS in Brazil. In February French Club put on the Mardi Gras, something entirely new at Washington this year. In April the band department sponsored the Spring Carnival to raise money for new band uniforms and blazers. The affair replaced the annual AFS Carnival.

Washington was lucky enough to have two foreign visitors to our school during the year. Maristela Artola, the American Field Service exchange student from Uruguay, came to us in August and has lived with Kay Lallier's family. In January Maria Sanchez came to Washington from Argentina for two months. She stayed with the family of Elaine Grantham, senior.

In the last week of October,

point of the 1968-69 sports season is the sweet victory over traditional arch-rival Wyandotte by the score of 61 to 60 during the basketball season.

Yet to be completed are all the events associated with graduation; baccalaureate, May 23, senior breakfast, and graduation itself on May 26. These events mark the end of a very profitable year

"Laugh Out Loud Virities Show," sponsored by the Wyandotte Lions Club, was held May 9. The money raised will be used to buy new robes for the A Cappella Choir.

Rebecca Novak, junior, has been selected to represent Washington High School at Kansas Girls' State to be held at the University of Kansas June 8 through 15 this summer.

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Groups Award Scholarships

The 1969 scholarships annually presented to Washington High School seniors from various PTA's and other groups have been announced.

The winner of the \$200 Coronado PTA scholarship is Linda Ristow.

The Arrowhead PTA scholarship resulted in two winners, Claudette Brame and Jeanne Lucero.

The winners of the Welborn PTA \$100 scholarship were Don Haussler and Randall Whitlock.

Winning the \$100 scholarship from Stony Point South was Claudette Brame.

Finally the winner of the Wyandotte County Council \$100 was Jeanne Lucero.

The scholarships are determined in the grade schools by consider-

ing only students who went to the sixth grade at that certain school. The student need not have attended the school for the entire six years to obtain the scholarship.

In the junior highs, the student obtaining the scholarship must have graduated from that junior high from which the scholarship had been given.

To obtain a scholarship from the Wyandotte County Council, the student must have received a grade of C or better, be respected socially, and be reasonably certain of going on to college after graduation.

Janitors Deserve Praise For Work

All the school year round, students see men in gray uniforms sweeping floors, taking down posters, and doing other jobs that must be done in order to keep the school clean.

When you were out in the hall messing around trying to get back to your room before the bell rang, you usually ran into a man with a big broom blocking your way. After you got past him, you stood back and watched him sweep up the paper that you threw down.

There have been many times when you've gotten a little perturbed because you left the room and were dying to get into the restroom but could not because the janitor was in there cleaning. You might have been a little perturbed, but considering the way you and everyone else left the restrooms, aren't you really glad that that janitor was in there cleaning?

Sweeping floors was not the only job that the janitors have had all

Baseballers Second In Regional

Advancing to the finals of the regional tournament by whipping the Sumner Spartans 4 to 0 in the first round, the Wildcat baseball team was downed by the Ward High Cyclones 5 to 4, the third time Ward has beaten Washington by one run this season.

Sophomore Hurler Mike Hampton, threw his third shut-out of the season in the first game of the day against Sumner. Hampton allowed only three hits and allowed only two men as far as third base.

Hampton, Les Anderson, and Box Box led the hitting heroics when each got a hit in the three run seventh inning which iced the contest for Washington.

Ward gained its berth in the final by knocking off the hapless Wyandotte Bulldogs, who failed to win a single game this season, 3 to 0.

The Wildcats gained an early 2 to 0 advantage when pitcher Dennis Tidwell surprised Ward with a long triple to score a run. Anderson followed Tidwell and rapped a base hit to left-center to bring

home Tidwell.

Ward came back though, in the fourth inning a home run by Tom Lynch over the short right field fence sparked the Cyclones to a 3 to 2 advantage.

After Ward scored in the sixth, Washington rallied for two runs in the top of the seventh. Aided by an error and a squeeze bunt Washington tied the count going into the last inning.

Ward ruined the hopes for a trip to the state tournament

Sellers Leaves

Mr. William Sellers, assistant principal, will terminate a long career at WHS July 1, when he becomes the assistant superintendent of the Atchison, Kansas, school district.

Mr. Sellers' 17 years of teaching and being assistant principal will officially end June 30. Having a math major, Mr. Sellers put it to use after teaching science his first few years until he was transferred to math where he became chairman of the department. This year will end Mr. Sellers' sixth year as an administrator.

Swimming Courses Offered

For the fourth year, Washington will be offering summer swimming courses for beginner and intermediate swimmers. The sessions will be for students under high school age and over three feet, six inches in height.

formation or forms can be obtained from The office at WHS.

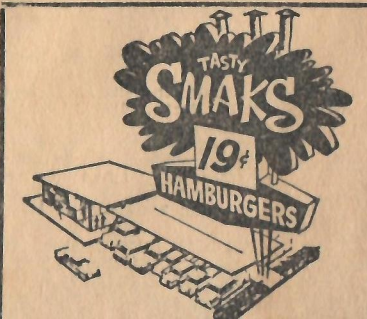
Most enrollment will be by mail but Wednesday morning, June 3 at Washington from 8 a.m. to 12 noon will be reserved for enrollment. Some

for Washington by loading up the bases against Hampton in the seventh, who returned the second game to try and save a Wildcat victory, then a scratch single just barely falling in front of left fielder Pat Yates scored the clincher to send the Ward High forces to Wichita today to represent the Kansas City area in the state tournament.

Washington ...1-0-0 0-0-0 3-4-5-1
Sumner0-0-0 0-0-0 0-0-3-2
Batteries: Mike Hampton and Mark Evans; Rufus Caruthers and Leroy Mitchell.

Washington ...0-2-0 0-0-0 2-4-9-2
Ward0-0-1 2-1-0 1-5-9-3
Batteries: Dennis Tidwell, Ron Jones (4), Mike Hampton (6), and Mark Evans; Steve Hansen, John Cornish (2), and Bob Verbeck.

**Best
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Seniors**



The House of Wax has been granted to Persidio, Texas, providing they install an air conditioner. It's been rumored that Haight Asbury is going to move in with Greenwich Village.

Pennsylvania Avenue in Washington, D. C., is to be renamed Sunset Strip, and the California smog will be used as an anti-balistc missile cover.

Yosemite National Park will go to the bottom of Death Valley and the whole thing will replace the old Madison Square Garden.

In order to commemorate the monkeys that have been used in the space program, Balboa Zoo will be located on Cape Kennedy.

The redwood forest will go toward beautifying (camouflaging) Birmingham, Alabama.

Little is known about what the celebrities are going to do when catastrophe strikes, but Jack Benny is looking for low-rent housing to fit his pocketbook. So far all that he has been able to find is on an Indian reservation in Oklahoma.

The only other problem is what to do with the fiftieth star on the national flag. When California goes down, Atlantis will rise, so Donovan can become king and join the United States.

So the only thing left to do is go see California while it lasts and for people in states that border California to hurry and buy their surfboards!

year. They wax the floors on most school vacations and they were the ones who had to scrub the initials off the desk in history class which took you two weeks to put on.

Many students will leave this school now and as many will next year. Isn't it a very good thought to think that those men **did** clean this school? Who wants to remember their old high school with paper thrown in the halls?

The \$5.50 course will be run in four two-week sessions beginning on June 6, June 20, July 7, and July 21.

Enrollment forms should be going home today from area elementary, junior high and parochial schools. If these forms are not received, in-

sessions may be filled by that time.

It is suggested that parents enroll as quickly as possible because over 800 students signed up last year and not all of the students' enrollments can be handled.

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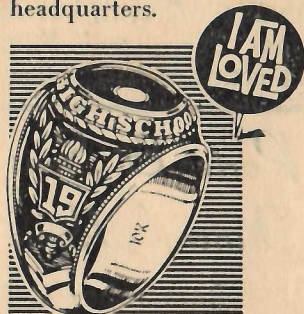
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Previous Records Go Down Drain

For the second time this season, Roy Phillips broke the school's record in the javelin with a 213-foot toss. Phillips' old record was set at the Argentine Relays with a 203' 2 1/2" throw.

Today and tomorrow the track men finish their season at the State meet at Emporia. This follows on the heels of the Regional meet where they took fourth.

Washington's 32 points followed Wyandotte, 83; Shawnee Mission North, 78, and Shawnee Mission East, 48. There were only four class 5A teams at the Regionals.

In the class 4A schools, Sumner led the pack with 71, Miego was well back with 54 and then another big drop to Argentine's 37. Olathe was close behind with 33, followed by a tight grouping of Ward

TEAM SCORES

CLASS 5A

Wyandotte 83, SM North 78, SM East 48, Washington 32.

CLASS 4A

Sumner 71, Miego 54, Argentine 37, Olathe 33, Ward 31, Leavenworth 30, Pittsburg 6, Turner 3.

CLASS 5A RESULTS

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES—1. Rich Morsden, Wyandotte, :14.8; 2. Mike Harris, Wyandotte, :15.1; 3. Larry Williams, Wyandotte, :15.2; 4. Luke Miller, SM North, :15.5; 5. Charles Young, SM East.

100-YARD DASH—1. Frank Johnson, Wyandotte, :09.8 (Record, Former record, Frank Cindrich, Wyandotte, :09.9, 1960); 2. Jim Garner, Miego, :10.3; 3. Tim Nagorey, Ward, :10.3; 4. Darrell Thomas, Leavenworth, :10.6; 5. Steve English, Miego.

MILE RUN—1. Ken Wisner, SM North, 4:25.4; 2. Bill Good, SM East, 4:26.5; 3. Terry Smith, SM North, 4:26.5; 4. Mark Thompson, SMM North, 4:34.9; 5. Ron Hembee, Wyandotte.

880-YARD RELAY—1. Wyandotte (Larry Williams, Alfred McKelvy, Frank Johnson, Richard Morsden), 1:29.4 (Record, Former record 1:29.7, SM North, 1968); 2. Washington, 1:29.6; 3. SM North, 1:31.0; 4. SM East.

LONG JUMMP—1. Cliff Beahm, SM North, 20-7 1/2; Don Gill, SM North, 20-6 1/2; 3. Mark DuBow, SM East, 20-6; 4. Jim Bozich, Washington, 19-8 3/4; 5. Tom Dorosh, Washington, 19-0 3/4.

31 and Leavenworth 30. Pittsburg had six and Turner placed in one event to get three points.

The season has been kept alive with the strength of the javelin and the dash men. Phillips' shiny dart has placed consistently and the sprint people, led by Mike Burton, have always been in contention.

Proof of the speed of the sprint squad is in the times at Regionals. Burton took second in the 220-yard dash with a time of 21.9. Frank Johnson, Wyandotte, beat him out by a tenth of a second. Burton tied the old record while Johnson set a new one.

The 880-yard relay team, anchored by Burton, took another second place. Their time was 1:29.6, one-tenth of

CLASS 4A RESULTS

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES—1. Paul Graham, Sumner, :14.7; 2. Doug Rose, Olathe, :15.0; 3. Everett Morgen, Sumner, :15.0; 4. Mike Lee, Sumner, :15.6; 5. Rick Robson.

100-YARD DASH—1. Anthony Glen, Sumner, :10.2; 2. John Garner, Miego, :10.3; 3. Tim Nagorney, Ward, :10.3; 4. Darrell Thomas, Leavenworth, :10.6; 5. Steve English, Miego.

MILE RUN—1. Dale Syers, Argentine, 4:36.8; 2. Mark Riscoe, Miego, 4:37.9; 3. Clifton Russell, Sumner, 4:38.6; 4. Rich Dean, Miego, 4:37.9; 5. Richard Yeater, Leavenworth.

880-YARD RELAY—1. Sumner (Don Young, Brian Rollins, David Parker, Anthony Glen), 1:30.3; 2. Ward, 1:33.2; 3. Leavenworth, 1:31.6; 4. Olathe, 1:32.8; 5. Pittsburg, 1:34.0.

LONG JUMP—1. Brian Rollins, Sumner, 22-8 1/2; 2. Don Young, Sumner, 21-6; 3. Rick Welter, Ward, 21-3 3/4; 4. Tim Bowerman, Olathe, 20-11 1/4; 5. Gary Wisenski, Olathe, 19-10 1/2.

JAVELIN—1. John Russell, Argentine, 191-5; 2. Jim Williams, Miego, 180-0; 3. Paul Rabtke, Leavenworth, 157-8.

SHOT PUT—1. Don Ritter, Argentine, 52-10; 2. Ernie Olson, Argentine, 51-6 3/4; 3. Jim Schumm, Miego, 49-7 1/4; 4. William Olds, Sumner, 49-2 3/4; 5. Tim Keagy, Argentine, 47-3 1/4.

a second below the old mark. Wyandotte lowered the record time further by crossing the wire at 1:29.4.

The team was hurt this year by sickness in the long distance runners. Tom Strothman was virtually the only one left. He took fourth in the 880-yard run.

The season did see an increase in the number of boys out for track with an unusual amount of dedication and spirit.

Coach Clayton Wolfe was pleased by the performance of his coaching staff also.

The mile relay team took a second place behind Wyandotte as the Bulldogs posted a new mark of 3:23.3 against the old record of 3:23.7. Washington finished at 3:24.3.

MEDLEY RELAY—1. Sumner (Maurice Townsend, Don Young, Rodney Reddick, Michael Lee), 3:43.0; 2. Olathe, 3:43.0; 3. Argentine, 3:43.5; 4. Miego, 3:43.9; 5. Leavenworth.

220-YARD DASH—1. Anthony Glen, Sumner, :22.5; 2. Dean Nagorney, Ward, :22.6; 3. Don Payne, Leavenworth, :23.0; 4. Darrel Thomas, Leavenworth, :23.3; 5. Steve English, Miego.

2-MILE RUN—1. Mark Townsend, Ward, 10:02.9; 2. Louis O'Bermeir, Miego, 10:16.5; 3. Frank Pugliese, Leavenworth, 10:23.1; 4. Clifton Russell, Sumner, 10:34.6; 5. Jim Shiner, Olathe.

Ward Aided By Luck -- or Something

Breaks? Luck? Prayers? You can call it anything you want, but Ward High School has it.

The icing was put on the cake last Friday night in the finals of the Regional baseball tournament when in the hot

Today In Salina

State For Two-Man

Led by the hot shooting of Dave Brewer and Jerry Webb, the Wildcat two-man golf team copped first place in the regional tournament at Leavenworth last Friday.

Both Brewer and Webb were medalists. Brewer shot a 76 and Webb carded a 77. The margin of victory for the two-man was a slim one stroke margin over Shawnee Mission North, 153 to 154. Bill Keck, North, led all golfers with a 75.

The Wildcats slipped to 5th place in the four-man competition. Washington scores were Mark Coble, 82; Ron Finch, 88; Jim Hawkins, 85; and Fred Toevs, 92, for a total of 347.

Topeka West Came out on top in the four-man contest with a 337. North followed closely with a 338.

Webb and Brewer will be the only Wildcats represented at the state meet today in Salina. Only the top two teams in the two-man and four-man divisions and the top five medalists will compete in the

Two-Man Results

1. Washington	153
2. S-M North	154
3. S-M East	156
4. Topeka Hayden	158
5. Topeka West	170
6. Atchison	176
7. Leavenworth	178
8. Turner	183
9. Marysville	191
10. Wyandotte	211

Four-Man Results

1. Topeka West	337
2. S-M North	338
3. Atchison	342
4. S-M East	344
5. Washington	347
6. Wyandotte	366
7. Marysville	366
8. Topeka Seaman	378
9. Leavenworth	380
10. Turner	396

Medalists

Bill Keck, S-M North and Bob Walrafen, Topeka West, 75; Dale Brewer, Washington, 76; Jerry Webb, Washington, 77; Dick Clancy, S-M East, 76.

league prospects, Phil Harvey, Washington, and Marty Ritschel, Ward. The outcome . . . those who don't remember probably can guess. It was 2 to 1 with the winning run being pushed across in the last inning.

schools. Ward's record is always impressive, but they fail to play tough Sunflower competition as Washington does.

The winner of the athletic competition could influence the choice of any eighth

JAVELIN—1. Jim Pearce, SM North, 244-7. (Record. Former record, 209-7, held by Bob Winn, SM North, 1968); 2. Bob Obee, Wyandotte, 229-3; 3. Roy Phillips, Washington, 213-0; 4. Chris Schweder, SM North, 188-11; 5. Jerry Weaver, SM North, 178-4.

SHOT PUT—1. Dan Wendt, SM North, 52-11½; 2. Hal Edwards, SM East, 52-5¾; 3. Ray Martin, SM North, 51-11½; 4. Larry Bassett, Wyandotte, 51-6½; 5. Lee Sanford, SM East, 48-4½.

HIGH JUMP—1. Dan Neal, SM North, 5-10 (fewer misses); 2. Tim Pickell, SM East, 5-10; 3. Denny Seay, SM North, 5-10; 4. Ken Nixon, SM North, 5-10.

DISCUS—1. Hal Edwards, SM East, 167-10 (Record. Former record, 164-9½, Mark Hantle, SM North, 1966); 2. Bill Sutherland, SM East, 159-2; 3. David Scott, Wyandotte, 154-8; 4. Steve Sallor, SM North, 147-10; 5. Mike O'Leary, SM North, 141-3.

POLE VAULT — 1. Jess Graber, SM North, 135-5¾; 2. (tie) Bob Wallace, Wyandotte; Spencer Thomas, Wyandotte, 13-0; 4. Floyd Alexander, Wyandotte, 12-6; 5. Dick Butler, SM East, 11-6.

MILE RELAY — 1. Wyandotte (Frank Johnson, Alfred McKelvy, Harold Brown, Carl Williams), 3:23.3 (Record. Former record 3:23.7, SM East, 1964); 2. Washington, 3:24.3; 3. SM North, 3:31.0.

440-YARD DASH—1. Carl Williams, Wyandotte, 49.7; 2. Harold Brown, Wyandotte, :50.1; 3. Al McKelvy, Wyandotte, :50.9; 4. Mike Turbak, Washington, :51.1; 5. Joe Bruner, SM North.

180-YARD LOW HURDLES — 1. Larry Williams, Wyandotte, :20.1. (Only entry.)

880-YARD RUN—1. Kim Wisner, SM North, 1:56.6; 2. Randy Willis, SM East, 1:59.0; 3. Steve Strup, SM North, 1:59.1; 4. Tom Strothman, Washington, 1:59.5; 5. Darrel Chamblee, SM East.

MEDLEY RELAY—1. SM North (Ken Dixon, Dave Pfanmiller, Don Gill, Joel Bruner), 3:38.2; 2. Wyandotte, 3:39.4; 3. SM East, 3:42.4; 4. Washington, 3:43.7.

220-YARD DASH — 1. Frank Johnson, Wyandotte, :21.8; 2. Mike Burton, Washington, :21.9; 3. Louis Monroe, Washington, :22.6; 4. Greg Barner, Washington, :23.1; 5. John Lehman, SM East.

2-MILE RUN—1. Dale Harvey, SM East, 9:48.0; 2. Bill Good, SM East, 9:56.2; 3. Ron Hendee, Wyandotte, 9:58.9; 4. Terry Smith, SM North, 10:04.4.

HIGH JUMP—1. Bruce Adams, Miego, 6-2; (tie) Larry Sautler, Leavenworth; Don Young, Sumner; Tim Bauerman, Olathe, 5-8.

DISCUS—1. Jim Schumm, Miego, 167-7; 2. John Tirabasso, Argentine, 153-1; 3. Tom Vachelor, Olathe, 148-11; 4. John Russell, Argentine, 148-6; 5. Rick Lander, Miego, 144-10.

POLE VAULT—1. Ken Hare, Miego, 11-11½ (fewer misses); 2. Larry Carroll, Sumner, 11-11½; 3. Danny Childs, Argentine, 11-6.

MILE RELAY—1. Leavenworth (Leland Thomas, Rick Meyer, Mike Gorley, David Rogers), 3:29.8; 2. Ward, 3:31.5; 3. Olathe, 3:31.8; 4. Sumner, 3:31.1; 5. Argentine.

440-YARD DASH—1. Mike Lee, Sumner, :50.0; 2. Dave Novick, Miego, :50.9; 3. Glen Anthony, Sumner, :50.9; 4. Tom Martin, Ward, :51.4; 5. Bob Matz, Argentine, :51.8.

180-YARD LOW HURDLES — 1. Doug Rose, Olathe, :20.3; 2. Rick Robson, Pittsburg, :20.4; 3. Ron Dickerson, Leavenworth, :20.4; 4. Everett Morgan, Sumner.

880-YARD RUN—1. Jerry Riscoe, Miego, 2:00.1; 2. Mark Townsend, Ward, 2:00.3; 3. Lowell Davis, Turner, 2:03.7; 4. Jim Staley, Olathe, 2:05.6; 5. Mark Riscoe, MMiego.

tournament when in the bottom of the seventh inning Ward came from a 4 to 4 tie to win 5 to 4 on a cheap hit.

Three times in baseball this year, Ward knocked off Washington by one run, twice coming in their last appearance at bat. Both games were won on a bloop single to left field. Both hits came off Mike Hampton, who as only a sophomore has that Ward luck plaguing him.

Last year the same story prevailed. Ward won the two regular season games by scores of 11 to 10 and 3 to 1. The Regional saw a pitching duel between two major state meet today.

Basketball this year saw one point the margin of difference between the two schools. Although Ward didn't sink a last second shot for the win, they did overcome a seven-point halftime deficit to come out on top by one point, 61 to 60.

Ward did defeat Washington convincingly in football, but is their top rating in the area polls justified? Who does Ward play? None of the Shawnee Mission powerhouses — North, South or West. Yes indeed, Ward has a small enrollment, but Manhattan, Miego and Sumner don't compare to the Topeka

or ninth grader undecided whether he should attend Ward or Washington.

It seems as though Ward has something extra on their teams . . . or is it somebody extra up above?

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