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Top: Jim Maxwell shot puts; Left: Walt Smallwood sprints past finish line; Right: Bob Batts runs in relay; Bottom: Doug Jones pole vaults.

## **Track Squad Defeats Kirkwood In Dual Meet; Nabs Third at U. City**

The track season for most of the senior division ended May 21 in a triangular meet at Kirkwood. However, the junior division and a few outstanding senior division trackmen later competed in invitational meets at Riverview and Beaumont.

On Tuesday, May 14, the trackmen out-raced Kirkwood at Memorial Field. Jim Seibert took the honors in both the 100-yard dash and the broad jump, while Walt Smallwood took the 100 and 200-yard dashes in the junior division. The combined division totals for the meet were Webster 118 and Kirkwood 109.

In one of the most impressive individual showings of the season, the Statesmen came in third at the University City Finals on Saturday, May 4. Competing in the senior division, Smallwood took first in the 100-yard dash; Mike Williams took second in the high jump and fourth in the 120-yard high hur dles

Walt Smallwood led the Statesmen to a victory over Ladue April

high hurdles and high jump, and Ron Mautz in the shot put and



I have fought valiantly and in the

end have won three inches of newspaper space on behalf of all might, competitive, and muscular girl athletes. Here then, mighty female athletes, are several of our recent achievements:

The senior basketball team ended with an even 2-2 record while the juniors were defeated only by Kirkwood.

Miss Mester and Miss Gelner. led the varsity basketball and junior volleyball teams, respectively, to undefeated seasons.

for a match.

## Varsity Edges Cleveland; Ends With 10-7-1 Record

The varsity baseball squad closed its season with ten wins, seven losses, and one tie by squeezing past Cleveland May 22. BillSouthworth smashed three hits in the 5-4 victory. Randy Stroup received the win, relieving starting pitcher Steve Page.

The Statesmen downed the Ladue Rams 8-6 to close the league record at 4-5. Randy Stroup was the starting pitcher, but John Withers received the win in relief. The victory came on a bases-loaded double.

The varsity went back to its old form in a 10-5 league victory over St. Charles on May 14. Steve Page was the winner although forced to leave the game with a knee injury.

A skimpy attack of four hits led to a 6-4 defeat May 9 at the hands of U. City. This brought the league record to 2-5. Ken Penrod hit a home run; Randy Stroup was the loser in relief of John Withers.

On May 7 Normandy blanked the squad 2-0 on three hits, inspite of the one-hit pitching of Steve Page. Dave Wheeler connected for two hits.

The four-hit pitching of Bob Couch and Randy Stroup, and the hitting of Bill Southworth, beat Lutheran South in a 4-1 nonleague contest May 6. Southworth smashed a triple and a single, two of the Webster's three hits.

The squad boosted its league record to 2-3 by clobbering Hazelwood 9-2 on May 2. The attack featured an eight-run second inning in which thirteen Statesmen batted. Rich Turner and Ron Howren each had a triple and a single,

Webster was eliminated in the first game of the District Tournament by Maplewood on April 27. and winning pitcher Steve Page aided his cause with a double and a single



Bill Southworth slugs one against Cleveland.

Randy Stroup was the losing pitcher in the 5-1 defeat, as the varsity could muster only three hits, including an RBI triple by John Dunkman.

Dave Wheeler's home run on the first pitch of the game failed to inspire the Statesmen as they lost to Kirkwood in a 12-1 disappointment. John Withers was the loser Kirkwood scored against 25 the first time in Webster for league play in five years.

Coach Schuchardt's nine edged C.B.C. 5-4 in a non-league game April 24. Ron Wagner led the hitting with a triple and a single. Randy Stroup saved the game for Bob Couch by retiring the final

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two batters, thus preventing a seventh-inning rally.

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Riverview stopped Webster from starting a streak as they trounced the Statesmen 7-2 on April 23.

Webster's first league victory came April 18 as the team tripped previously undefeated Ritenour 6-4. John Withers was the winning pitcher. The Statesmen eight-hit attack was highlighted by Ron Wagner's two-run homer.





