



Coach Richert has this large group of Varsity boys from which to develop the 1961 Hughes track team.

Tracksters Anticipate Winning Season

Wind Up in Runner-up Position

Power from returning lettermen will be the watchword for the Hughes Big Red cindermen this year. An outstanding group of athletes graduated last year but the incoming boys from lower grades, who were taking a back seat to the seniors last year, have the opportunity to shine this year. After a good season last year the cindermen of 1961 will have much to live up to.

Coach Paul Richert will greet returning lettermen Pete Schultes, Earnest Kennedy, Sam Rhoden, Roger Bunton, Dave Daley, and Ron Jones. These boys, along with others,

will form the body of the 1961 track team. The running events will be among the strongest for Hughes and will offer the greatest potential as far as scoring points is concerned.

Ron Jones will be running the hurdles for the tracksters in such events as the 220 and 440 hurdles. Pete Schultes, Dave Daley, Don Hardy, and Sam Rhoden will provide power in the sprinting events and the relays. Field events will call on the strength of the team in general. Shot put, discus, pole vault, high jump and broad jump are among the field events which face the boys.

Many junior high boys practice every afternoon for different track events. Training and competition during seventh, eighth and ninth

grades develop potential Varsity athletes in both running and field events.

