



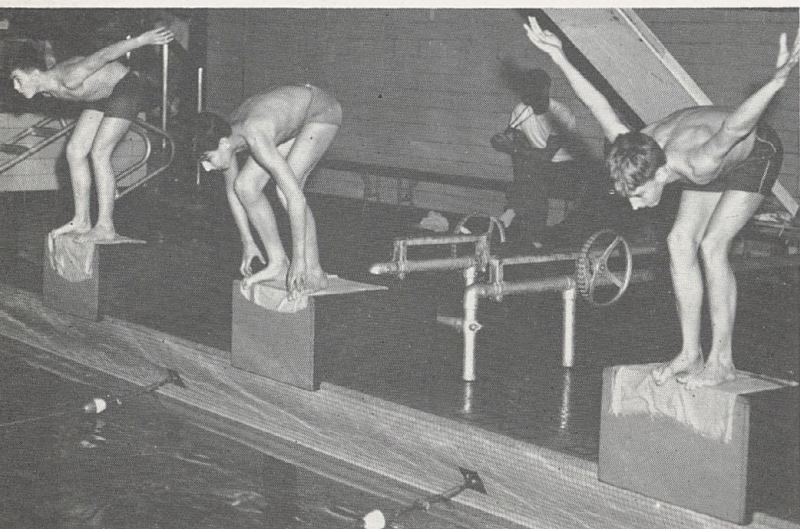
Seated: Ed Koch, Roy Lovett, George Hansen, Mike Bieri, Don Bosse. *Standing:* Coach Will Hundemer, Gregg Bereskin, Steve Owens, Frank Neal, Bruce Hamlin, Steve Thomson, Manager Lou Ramundo.

Swimmers Strive Mightily

The Big Red mermen, under the experienced coach, Will Hundemer, did not live up to expectations, scoring only a few points in the various meets. In the extremely rigid P.H.S.L. competition, Western Hills grabbed the championship easily. The Big Reds tied for last place in the first league meet, not scoring once. The junior team tallied ten points.

A week later, the Hughes swimmers failed to score again as the strong Western Hills team romped to another victory. In a meet with Woodward, Taft, and Central, the Big Reds racked up four points, but finished last.

Ninth grader Bruce Pemberton slashed the 50-yard butterfly record from 29.6 to 29.4 seconds in the final meet.



Hughes merman, Ray Benza (center), attempts to get into the swim of things in final meet of the season.

Bruce Pemberton, second from right, awaits 50-yard butterfly event in which he cut record from 29.6 to 29.4 seconds.

