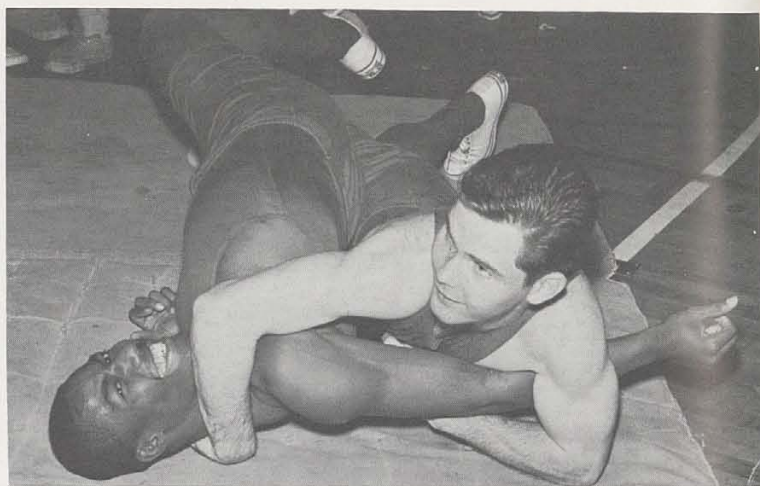


Jerry Smith and LeBaron Steele, district champions, represented Hughes in the State Meet.



Bill Benton puts the pin on Benny Miles in a practice match.

The Big Red wrestlers, under the expert coaching of Mr. Morris, won the first Public High School League championship and placed fourth in the District. Standouts among this year's matmen were Jerry Smith and LeBaron Steele, who advanced to the state competition, and Benny Miles, loser of only three matches. Bill Benton and Benny Miles were co-captains of the team.

Hughes Matmen in P.H.S.L. Records as First Champions

Bottom Row: T. Pierson, M. Bolan, J. Smith, E. Smith, G. Dunn.
Second Row: K. Cordes, B. Benton, J. Craynon, L. Steele, J. Davis,
P. Bennie, R. Campbell. **Top Row:** Coach Morris, R. Simpson, M.
Winkfield, B. Miles, G. Plair, W. Frye, E. Kennedy, Manager.

