



Back Row: Fred Randall, Manager, Allen Boelens, Manager, Fred Merkle, Robert Tarte, Walter Moline, Gerald Huizing, Manager, Trueman Elmendorf, Bruno Adams.
 Fourth Row: Earl Brown, Kenneth Beust, Henry Van Dam, Edward Vanden Berg, Chris Kuriss, Ward Butterfield, Clayton Nead, Butler Brown, Edgar Weaver, Manager, Joseph Ghareeb, Head Manager.
 Third Row: Jonathan Mead, Francis Worness, Coach Harold O. Steele, Dan Ferney, William Duncan, Marcus Bepaloff, Fred Hughes, Henry Gibb, James Hotchkiss.
 Second Row: Robert Harding, William Donaldson, Wilbur Warren, Walton Jones, Charles Halbert, Dudley Taber, James Vonk, Donald Hoebeke.
 Front Row: James Pickett, Garrett Buth, Herbert Boshoven, Jack Uhl, Ekdal Buys, Sanford Farrell, Andrew Liger, McKinley Anderson, Lawrence Buck.

TRACK

While basketball was still holding sway in the field of sports, aspirants for the track team began to pound the lower hall to get in trim for the track season.

Creston gave Central its first inter-high school competition, and the result was most satisfactory, as Coach Steele's proteges won by a score of $63\frac{1}{2}$ - $40\frac{1}{2}$. Some fine marks were made in this meet. Anderson leaped 5' 10" in the high jump, with Boshoven close behind. Buys shoved the iron ball out $44' 3\frac{1}{2}"$. Sandy Farrell climbed $11' 1\frac{1}{2}"$ in the pole vault, and also made a creditable mark in the broad jump. All of these augur well for Central's chances in future meets.

A well balanced team from Tech came within five points of victory in the next meet, but Central won by the narrow margin of $54\frac{1}{2}$ - $49\frac{1}{2}$. The result was in doubt until a slam in the high jump cast the balance in Central's favor. Anderson and Boshoven were tied for first in this event, although the former failed by two inches



to come up to his mark of the previous meet. Buys bettered his record in the shot put, tossing the weight 44' 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " to take first place. Buck of Central made the fine leap of 21' 4" in the broad jump to win that event, besides taking second in the century.

The third meet of the season saw Central subdue Catholic 71-33. Steele's men showed too much reserve strength for the Cougars. Central was strong in its specialty, the field events, but Pickett won the mile, Hughes the 440, and Uhl the hurdles to represent Central in the track events. Boshoven earned points in the hurdles and high jump, while Buys tacked another inch to his shot put record, winning the event with a toss of 44' 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

Central won its final dual meet of the season from Union by a score of 61 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 42 $\frac{1}{2}$. Gold and White stars continued to improve in their specialties, with the result that some fine marks were attained. Farrell vaulted 11' 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " to win the pole vault. Buck leaped 21' 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " in the broad jump with Farrell but an inch behind. Pickett turned in a fine performance in the mile although he placed second. Buck also won the century in the time of 10:5. Buys tossed the shot an even 45 feet to win that event easily.

Central invaded South field the following week and captured the city and regional title with a score of 28 6/7 points, six points ahead of South, its nearest rival. Many fine performances were turned in. Farrell tied the city pole vault record of 12' 1" to take that event, as well as the broad jump. Buys took second place in the shot. Hughes upset the well-known dope bucket by placing second in the 440. Pickett took a second in the mile, in a very close finish. Boshoven and Uhl placed third and fourth respectively in the high hurdles, and Uhl took third in the low hurdles. There were disappointments also, such as the failure of Anderson to place first in the high jump. Our only points in that event came from a seven-way tie for third and fourth, with Boshoven and Anderson representing Central, for 6/7 of a point. Another disappointment was the failure of the relay team to qualify for the State meet, due to the fouling of Buck at the beginning of the race. The team did place fourth, however. The meet was really decided by the surprises which occurred, such as Boshoven's places in the hurdles and high jump, Hughes' second place in the 440, Liger's tie for third in the pole vault, and Buck's third in the broad jump.

Central now stands a good chance of placing high in the State meet. Following that is the novice meet at Houseman Field, for those not going to the State meet, and the Indian Relays at Houseman Field.

Central has won four dual meets this year and lost none, which brings its record to but one defeat in a dual meet in four years. This, coupled with the performances of this year, is indeed an enviable record.

