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### Six Lion Athletes, Coach Mark 1st Session of Olympic Games Tomorrow

Six Penn State athletes will be among the 5,000 who open the the field. Olympic games at London tomorrow.

King George will launch the games tomorrow in elaborate ceremonies at Wembley Stadium. The competition proper will get under way Friday with 5,000 athletes from 61 nations vieing in

In addition to six participants, the Nittany Lions will be repre-

### Bums Top Cards, **Move Into Second**

The Brooklyn Dodgers rallied St. Louis Cardinals. 3 to 2, at the Dodgers' home field.

into second place in the National league standings, five games back of the league-leading Boston Braves. The Cards and the sprint relays in the dropped back to third place, five Olympics. and one-half games off the pace.

behind the Pirates.

The torrid four-team fight for the American League flag continues at a hot pace. The Boston Red Sox hold down the top spot by a mere four percentage points over the Philadelphia Athletics. A game and a half behind the league leaders, the Cleveland Indians and the New York Yankees are separated by a slim two per-

sented in the coaching ranks by Gene Wettstone, Penn State gymnastic coach, who is tutoring the United States Olympic Gym

In the track department, three proteges of Lion coach Chick Werner will seek laurels.

Rated the best chance of win-The Brooklyn Dodgers rallied ning for the United States is 30-for two runs in the last half of the ninth inning to nose out the sprinter in the early 1940's who equalled the world's record in the 10 meters at 10.2 seconds in the The win boosted the Dodgers Olympic qualifying trials last

The Pittsburgh Pirates hold pion at 5000 meters, will run in down the fourth spot, a half that event at the Olympics, and game behind the St. Louis Cardinals, with the New York Nittany Lion, will compete at dinals, with the New York Nittany Lion, will compete at Giants in fifth place, a half game 10,000 meters as the result of his third place in the qualifying round at that distance.

Two members of last year's triple champion Penn State gym team, Ray Sorenson and Bill Bonsall will represent the Lions in the Olympic gymnastics, in addition to Louis Brodo Bordo. Lion gym captain in 1942.

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# Summer Session Tennis **Fournament Nears Finish**

## Weidman, White **Meet in Finals** of Women's Play

The Summer Sessions Tennis ournament is rapidly approaching the finals, and should be completed by the end of this week.

In the third round of the men's singles. Stark defeated Snider 6-1. 6-2. and will play the winner of the Shuster - Hartman

In another match in the men's singles. Short defeated Gearhart 6-1, 6-0, and will meet the win-

Playoff for the championship in the women's singles will take place between Weidman and White. Weidman qualified for the finals by defeating Masters 6-4. 6-2. and White eliminated Gingrich by a score of 4-6, 6-3. Competition in the championship i

Competition in the mixed doubles has narrowed down to four teams. Snider and White play Klotz and Weidman; Peters and Jesnak will meet Stark and Pan-nacchio to further narrow down

#### Olympic Tumbler

Penn State's head cheerleader in 1948-49 will be an experienced tumbler.

The cheerleader-elect is Bill Bonsall, of Philadelphia, a member of the Olympic gymnastic

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#### Lions Rich In Tailbacks for '48

Penn State will be rich in tailbacks again in 1948.

The hold-overs tentatively chosen to report September 8 for pre-season football drills are Elwood Petchel, of Easton; Larry Joe, of Derry Township; Bill Luther of Osceola Mills; Johnny Chuckran, of Lansford; Bob Harter of State College; and Bill Brown of DuRois Brown, of DuBois.

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