



## *Start of something big*

Mason City and Ames high school hockey players line up for a faceoff Friday night at the 6th and N. Tyler rink. The game started a bit late but Mason City wasted no time and scored 6 first-period goals enroute to a 9-0 victory, its second in four starts this season and second against Ames. Randy Pierce led the way, scoring a hat trick plus one (4 goals). Ned Anderson added 2 goals while Dave Wilson, Todd Fitzgerald and Tom Mackin had one apiece. Pierce, Anderson and Mackin, along with Mike Aspeborg, also recorded one assist each. Goalie Jack Odegaard, in his first start at that position, went all the way to get the shutout. Mason City will skate at home again tonight against Des Moines Lincoln, beginning at 8 p.m. (Staff photo by Tris Pauley)