

High School Hockey

Mohawks whip Waterloo

OMAHA, Neb., - The Mason City High hockey team advanced to the consolation championship of the state hockey tournament with a 6-3 win over Waterloo Saturday morning.

Mason City, which fell to the Omaha Lancers Friday, plays Dubuque at 11:30 a.m., today for the consolation title.

"It was good to see the kids bounce back," said Mason City coach John Lloyd. "When you lose that first one, if you don't bounce back in the second one, it makes for a long weekend. It was good to see."

Mason City outscored Waterloo, 3-1, in the second period after the two teams battled to a 2-2 tie after the first period. The Mohawks added an insurance goal in the third period.

"You could see the disappointment in the team room before the game," said Lloyd of Friday's loss. "But once they hit the ice they picked things up. But once they got those two goals they relaxed.

"But they picked things up again," Lloyd added.

Mason City received first period goals from Dan Klocke and Jerry Springer. John Anderson scored two goals and Brad Park scored for the Mohawks in the second period, and Jim Shovein scored the Mohawks' third period goal.

"We skated four lines," said Lloyd. "We wore them down late in the second period, and early in the third. They were tired and we were fresh."

Score by periods:	(1)	(2)	(3)	Tot:
Mason City	2	3	1-	6
Waterloo	2	1	0-	3

FIRST PERIOD - Dan Klocke (Mason City), Mike Blaisdell, :39. Jerry Springer (MC), Eric Harlan, 4:07. John Schell (Waterloo). Luke McCarty (Waterloo), Shawn Knoll, 11:50.

SECOND PERIOD - Brad Park (MC), Klocke, Blaisdell, :54. Bob Brady (W), Ben Kutz, 4:04. John Anderson (MC), Harlan, 11:16. Anderson, Blaisdell, Springer (power play), 14:13.

THIRD PERIOD - Jim Shovein (MC), Klocke, Brad Price, 12:46.

Shots on goal - Mason City 10-11-13 - 34. Waterloo 8-10-7 - 25.

Penalties-minutes - Mason City 4-8. Waterloo 9-18.

Goalies - Mason City, Ramy Abu Jobarah. Waterloo, Travis Klima.