

BC Champions Take Wynnychuk

Oil Kings At Kamloops Saturday For 3rd In Best Of Five Series

Vernon Junior Canadian defenceman Harry Wynnychuk will don the uniform of the Kamloops Rockets Wednesday when the British Columbia Junior A Hockey Champions meet the Edmonton Oil Kings in the first game of a best of five series in Edmonton.

The 165-pound defenceman is one of six players from throughout the Okanagan Junior A Hockey League that were picked to bolster the Rockets in the series against the Alberta champions.

From the Kelowna Buckaroos, forwards Bob Gruber, Fred Thomas, Sonny Herbst and defenceman Phil Lardin will also make the trip along with Pen-ticton Junior Vee netminder Dale Harder.

IN KAMLOOPS SATURDAY

Kamloops opens in Edmonton Wednesday with the second game scheduled for the following night. On Saturday Okanagan fans will have a chance to see how the best of the OMJHL stacks up against the best from Alberta when the series moves to Kamloops.

Fourth and fifth games, if necessary, will be played back in Edmonton.

The players were selected for the team following a game between the Rockets and an OMJHL representative team in Kamloops Saturday.



HARRY WYNNYCHUK

Rockets downed the Reps 8-3.

Besides Wynnychuk, Seiko Ouchi, Warren Henry, Bob Stein, Dave Kowal and Wayne Morris were representing Junior Canadian ranks on the team along with coach Odie Lowe.

Scoreboard

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Saturday:

Kamloops 8, OMJAHL Reps. 3