

# Vikings tie Bucks

Vernon Vikings and Kelowna Buckaroos battled to a 5-5 tie in B.C. Junior Hockey League exhibition play Monday before 600 fans at the Vernon Civic Arena.

For 18 of the 21 players in uniform for the Vikings, it was their first taste of junior A hockey and Coach Joe Tennant thought his team responded well.

Tennant said, "For a bunch of rookies, they did well. They were nervous tonight, and hesitated too much around the net, but they'll be alright."

For the Bucks, it was their third tie, along with a win and loss, in exhibition play.

## TOOK LEAD

Kelowna took a 1-0 lead in the first period when defending BCJHL goal scoring champion Perry Schnarr scored on a powerplay.

However, in the final minute of the opening period, Clyde Goodswimmer tied the score for the Vikings.

Bucks opened up a 4-1 lead early in the second period when Wayne Krebs, Perry Schnarr on a breakaway, and Schnarr again on a powerplay, scored within the opening five minutes.

Randy Merritt narrowed the gap to 4-2 at 7:38. Goodswimmer then scored his second goal at 14:37, and seconds later, Darcy Wilkinson tied the game on a powerplay.

Rick Benningshof put Kelowna back in the lead at 6:08 of the final period when

he blasted in a rebound, on a powerplay.

## TIED GAME

Merritt, with his second of the night, tied the score again at 14:20.

Rare in an exhibition game, there were no fights. Bucks picked up 13 of 23 minor penalties and Vikings' defenceman Brian Maser was handed a misconduct.

Kelowna goalies Mike Corcoran and B. J. Murphy

combined to block 39 shots while Vernon netminders Darrell Furmanek and Keith Ferner turned away 36 shots.

Tennant was particularly impressed with Goodswimmer and Ferner. The young netminder allowed only one goal in the 27 minutes that he played.

## THREE POINTS

Wilkinson added two assists along with his goal, but the Vernon coach feels the speedy

centre can still improve a lot more.

The same two teams meet again tonight in Penticton at 8 p.m.

Vikings will have several line-up changes including the insertion of Darrell Billsten, Gary Huth, and Bill Ranson. Billsten played last year with Vernon, Ranson was here for one-half of last season, and Huth was captain of Chilliwack Bruins.

# CFL's top two teams do battle in Edmonton

EDMONTON (CP) — Edmonton Eskimos will have a new look tonight as they face Montreal Alouettes in a Canadian Football League interlocking game.

Coach Ray Jauch said Monday at least 10 lineup changes have been made, primarily due to the knee surgery performed last week on wingback Don Warrington.

The most visible change—and perhaps the most important—will have defensive end Ron Estay punting. He becomes the fourth Eskimo punter this season, following Garry Lefebvre, John Beaton, and Walt McKee.

Lefebvre, also a flanker, was sidelined with an injury, Beaton was inconsistent and McKee was released Monday



gave against Ottawa Rough Riders. The team leads the Western Conference by one point over Saskatchewan of Roughriders with two games in hand.

The Eskimos lost 38-25 to Ottawa, their 1973 Grey Cup rival. They lost to Montreal last season.

Jauch said he expects Harrell's return to help the running game but did not say whether Tom Wilkinson or Bruce Lemmerman will start at quarterback.

The Eskimos will face a weary team. Montreal, which leads the Eastern Conference, was battered in a 20-17 triumph Saturday over British Columbia Lions in the opener of their annual western swing.

Coach Marv Levy said the



**KELOWNA BUCKAROOS'** Perry Schnarr has given notice that he has no intention of surrendering his BCJHL goal scoring title.

Schnarr, who scored 64 times during the 1974-75 season, blinked the red light three times as the Bucks battled to a 5-5 tie with

Vernon Vikings in an exhibition game Monday. However, on this play Vikings' goalie Darrell Furmanek guessed right

and stopped the speedy winger.

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## New proposal, but no peace

CHICAGO (AP) — A new contract proposal that relaxes the controversial Rozelle Rule and could cost the 28 club

cooperation based on increased economic and general benefits, improved working