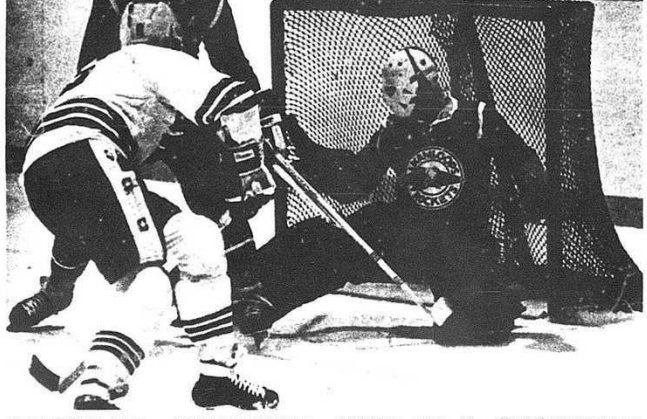


# Elks keep winning



DEAN HASCARL bangs the puck past Kamloops goalie Ian McEachern to

make the score 1-0 during Sunday's BCHL game at the Civic Arena.

McEachern made 46 saves, but his heroics weren't enough as the

Vernon Canadians dumped the Rockets 5-2. Hascarl scored twice to lead the winners. (Daily News Photo)

## Canadians bounce back to gain weekend split

Dean Hascarl scored two goals, including one into an empty net, to lead Vernon Canadians to a 5-2 win over Kamloops Rockets in B.C. Junior Hockey League action Sunday night before 425 fans at the Civic Arena.

In other weekend action, Bellingham Blazers thumped Nanaimo Clippers 8-3, Clippers edged Blazers 5-4 in overtime, Penticon Veas slammed Langley Canadians 8-3, Revelstoke Bruins beat Kelowna 5-2, Revelstoke trounced Langley 8-1, and Chilliwack Cougars beat Abbotsford Flyers 5-4.

In Bellingham, Chris Tucker scored three goals to lead the Blazers past Nanaimo. Brian Law, Bruce Harris, Dave Brockhill, Jack Wright and Bob Manning also scored for Bellingham.

Brent Dagit, with two goals, and Rick Siemens scored for Nanaimo, which was outshot 42-23.

**BCHL STANDINGS**

TEAM	W	L	PTS
Merritt	10	0	20
Vernon	10	0	20
Revelstoke	12	0	24
Kelowna	10	0	20
Penticon	10	0	20
Kamloops	10	13	20

**CHAST DIVISION**

TEAM	W	L	PTS
Bellingham	20	5	40
Nanaimo	11	11	22
Chilliwack	12	13	24
Langley	10	12	20
Abbotsford	11	12	22
Delta	2	17	4

"The victory, avenged an 8-4 loss to the Rockets, on Saturday, in Kamloops. Vernon is in sole possession of second-place in the Interior Division, 13 points back of Merritt Centennialia.

Canadians came up with one of their best games of the season on Sunday. They peppered 81 shots at the Kamloops goal and only the outstanding netminding of Ian McEachern kept the score respectable.

**TOOK LEAD**  
Rockets took the lead, after only 12 seconds, when Clint Fehr slipped a shot through goalie Len Lof's legs. Vernon Coach Greg Kiviat obviously wasn't happy with what he saw and he pulled Lof four minutes later.

Hascarl tied the game, on a powerplay at 8:23, and Rich Creehan put Canadians in front with just 30 seconds to go in the first period.

Defencemen Dave Schneider and Larry Pearson put Vernon in front 4-1 before Albi Graves narrowed the gap with a shot from the slot at 15:30, of the second period.

Hascarl shot the puck from his own blue line, at 19:44 of the third period, to round out the scoring.

**46 SAVES**  
McEachern finished the night with 46 saves while Trent Smith, who relieved Lof, blocked 39 shots.

Kamloops was assessed six of 10 minor penalties, one major, and Vernon's John Neeld picked up a 10-minute misconduct.

**BEST GAME**  
It was the first game in recent memory that Canadians' big time of Terry Lowe, Dale Siroz, and Neeld was held scoreless. However, the other forwards certainly picked up the slack. Creehan and Brian Matthews turned in outstanding performances while Hascarl enjoyed his best game of the season.

On Saturday, Murray Matheson and Mike Mewig scored twice to lead the Rockets. Fehr, Walter Leskiv, Jay Kozak and Doug Lidster added singles.

Dave Dowton, Hascarl, Neeld, and Pearson countered for the Canadians.

Kiviat said, "The big difference in the two games was checking. At home, we played the man - finished our checks."

Canadians are idle until Friday when they battle the Buckaroos in Kelowna.

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Grindrod Elks stretched their unbeaten streak to 11 games with two wins in North Okanagan Hockey League action over the weekend.

**NOHL STANDINGS**

TEAM	W	L	T	PTS
Grindrod	10	0	1	21
Vernon	6	2	1	13
Westside	5	2	1	12
Rutland	4	5	0	8
Wagtail	2	7	0	4
Revelstoke	2	10	0	4

Elks edged second-place Vernon Sport Cougars 6-4 on Saturday and then hammered the lowly Revelstoke Selkicks 8-2 Sunday.

Grindrod, with 21 points, now has a commanding eight point lead over the second-place Cougars.

In Vernon, Elks, used skating and precision passing to beat the hard-hitting Cougars.

**SCORED THREE**  
Ron Haggardt scored three goals for Grindrod while Ken Haller added a pair. Rick Harris rounded out the scoring for Elks.

League scoring leader Gary Pearson extended his lead over Vernon's Dave Caldwell with his first goal of the season, replied for Cougars.

Caldow and Gary Glichrist, Vernon's top two scorers, were held to one point apiece. And what really hurt was that they were on the ice for four Grindrod goals.

Elks led 3-2 after the first

period and 5-3 after 40 minutes.

**FOURSCORE GREAT**  
Grindrod goalie Ed Forlund had a standout with 40 saves while Jack Gilroy blocked 38 shots for Cougars.

Vernon was assessed nine of 17 minor penalties and captain Lyle Brewer picked up a 10-minute misconduct.

The largest crowd to attend a NOHL game in Vernon for many years, about 500, enjoyed the game. However, Cougars' Coach Gary Swanson wasn't smiling.

Swanson said, "I don't know how that team (Grindrod) has won 10 games. They're terrible - Westside has a

better hockey team than that."

Defencemen Bernie Smithson and centre Jim Sparrow were outstanding for the Elks. Smithson did a superb job getting the puck out of his end while Sparrow constantly harassed the Vernon defencemen with his forechecking.

**PACKERS WIN**  
In other weekend games, third-place Westside Packers dumped Revelstoke 8-4 and Packers trounced Winfield Raiders 9-0.

Cougars are back in action next Saturday in Rutland, when they tangle with the Molsons.

## Lumby settles for tie

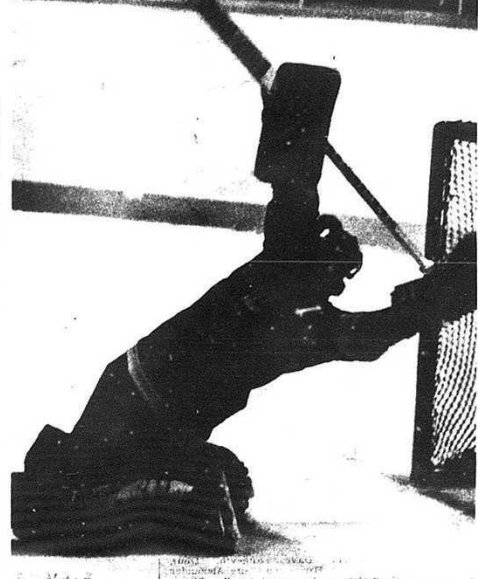
Tom Williamson scored at 11:56 of the third period to give Lotus Gardens a 2-2 tie with Lumby Flying Franchises in White Valley Hockey League action Saturday night in Lumby.

Rick Monahan put Lotus in front, in the first period. However, goals by Bill Beck and Jim Inglis gave the Franchises a 2-1 edge.

Lotus led 1-0 after the first period and the teams were tied 1-1 after 40 minutes.

Lotus took 15 of 30 penalty minutes.

League play resumes Tuesday night when Coldstream Hotel meets Rene's Barons, at 7 p.m., and Allison Smole vs. Eastern tangle with Peeries Pipe, at 9 p.m.



GRINDROD ELKS' goalie Ed Forlund makes a sensational save during Saturday night's NOHL

game at the Civic Arena. Forlund made 40 saves to lead the Elks to a 6-4 victory over Vernon Sport

Cougars. Grindrod is now unbeaten in 11 outings. (Daily News Photo)

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Jim Miller added the others. In Penticon, Dave Coburn scored three times to lead the Vees past the Canadians. Dennis Lobbo had a two-goal effort for the Vees, while Dave Smith, Scott Bye and Joe Cunningham added singles.

Henry Mahood, Bruce Houkway, Randy Merritt and Dennis Connelly added singles. Danny Heid got the Langley goal.

**SCORES WINNER**  
Siemens was the hero for Nanaimo Saturday, scoring twice, including the winner in overtime. Dave Wheelodon, with two goals, and Gerry Bogie completed the Nanaimo scoring.

Harris scored twice for Bellingham, while Brockhill and

positions on Saturday. VSSS Coach Keith Brookes told the Daily News nobody really wanted to play that game.

**SNOW AND ICE**  
Brookes said, "It was snowing, the field was icy, and

the game didn't mean anything. Our guys just wanted to get off the field and head for home. We weren't prepared to give it our best effort and we were up against a good team."

Vernon's performance was its best in three trips to the provincial tourney. In the previous appearances, VSSS finished 11th and 14th.

Brookes said, "We have a very young team - I'm happy with the way they played. Defensive lapses proved to be our downfall."

VSSS could be a serious contender next season with nine of 14 players returning.

**BURNABY WINS**  
A goal by Mike Zacharak at the five-minute mark of the second overtime period gave Burnaby Central a 2-1 win over Fort Albert and allowed the club to retain the provincial title.

Burnaby was defeated in five games and Zacharak scored the winner in four of them.

**ON TRIAL**  
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