

Warriors finish 7th in state meet

DUBUQUE — The Waterloo Warriors closed their season with a victory Sunday, defeating Dubuque 3-2 in the seventh-place game at the Iowa High School Hockey League's varsity state tournament.

Matt Metcalf gave Waterloo a 1-0 lead in the first period, but the Warriors were nicked for a pair of second-period goals to fall behind, 2-1. Shane Metz's power-play tally early in the third period tied the game, then Bryan Brown won it with a goal at the

11:31 mark.

Andy Wright made 19 saves for Waterloo, which finished the season with a 14-21-1 record.

In other tourney games Sunday, the Des Moines Oakleafs whipped Lincoln 7-2 for fifth place, Mason City edged Sioux City 3-2 for third and the regular-season champion Omaha Jr. Lancers blanked the Des Moines Capitals, 3-0, for the title.

Omaha, which fought off Sioux City 1-0 in three overtimes Saturday to reach the finals, fin-

ished 35-1 this season.

Dubuque	0	2	0	—	2
Waterloo	1	0	2	—	3

FIRST PERIOD — 1. Waterloo, Metcalf (Brown, Fritts) 1:28. Penalties — Fritts-Wat. (tripping) 5:06; Bergmann-Dub. (slashing) 7:10; Manternach-Dub. (cross-checking, game misconduct) 7:10.

SECOND PERIOD — 2. Dubuque, Wagner (Richman, Roth) :42; 3. Dubuque, Roth (Bergmann, Richman) 14:26. Penalties — Lytle-Dub. (delay) 11:34; Guess-Wat. (tripping) 13:57.

THIRD PERIOD — 4. Waterloo, Metz (Loftsgaarden) 2:17; 5. Brown (Kaiihue, Metcalf) 11:31. Penalties — Lytle-Dub. (tripping) :41; Schneider-Wat. (tripping) 6:10.

SHOTS ON GOAL

Dubuque	8	7	6	—	21
Waterloo	3	11	13	—	27

Goaltenders — Dubuque, Steuck (24 saves); Waterloo, Wright (19 saves).