

PICS NEED WIN OR TIE FOR TITLE

Can Clinch National Crown Tonight at Garden

The Boston Olympics will attempt to clinch the national amateur hockey championship when they meet the Los Angeles Monarchs at the Garden tonight in the fifth game of their title series.

BIG LEAD IN POINTS

The Olympics lead in points, 7 to 1, and are now in a position whereby a victory or a tie this evening will clinch the crown for them. In case the Monarchs win tonight, another game will be played at the Garden tomorrow night.

With the exception of Jim Planche, who led the Pacific Coast league in scoring this season, the Los Angeles club is in shape for tonight's contest. Planche injured his hip in Thursday's game, which found the Olympics winning a 4 to 0 decision, the first time all year that the Monarchs had been shutout.

All of the Olympics except Bobby Schnurr are in top shape for the game tonight which may end the series. Schnurr slid into the Monarchs' goal last Sunday night and was still in some pain, although he played Thursday. He has come around, however, and will be at centre when tonight's game starts.
