## Coach upset at team's recent play

cont'd from p. 19 from the start of the game. The endto-end passing and skating did not allow either team to rest.

Greg Rolston who is second in team scoring with 43 points was open for many of the offensive plays against the Redmen but was rarely passed the puck. Brian Gary, leading the team with 45 points and also leads the team with goal post hits, hit the post on four attempts towards RMC goaltender Tim Gorman in Saturday night's game.

With three defenceman out, Chambers had winger Dave Andreoli play defence on several lines and despite the changes, York came up big with penalty killing. With the score 5-4 for the shorthanded Yeomen and just minutes left in the game, York did not allow the Redmen to penetrate the scoring zone.

"Intensity and consistency are key words," Chambers said. "We still have to keep working."

Chambers who is looking to the future said, "It will be tough to repeat three times," referring to a third OUAA win, but added, "I'd rather win playing hockey poorly than not win at all."



LYING DOWN ON THE JOB: Nick Kiriakou takes a breather after being tripped to the ice.

## York fencers aim for the finals

By DAVID BUNDAS

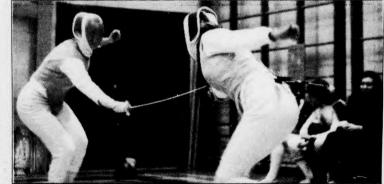
The York fencing team surprised many by coming out of the East Sectional at the Royal Military College ahead of 11 other Ontario teams.

For the first time in York's history, the team has qualified in all three weapons (foil, épée, sabre) for the OUAA finals. Each fencer participates individually as well as a team member, and this year seven team members have qualified, giving York an excellent chance to win the overall team championship. In fencing individual scores are combined with team scores.

York hasn't won the overall championship since 1967 but coach Mourad Mardikian remains optimistic. "We trained extremely hard and it looks like it's paid off. If we maintain this progress we could bring the championship home again."

One of the nicer aspect of fencing is that the coaches are willing to train unexperienced students who show an interest. "Fencing is one of the only sports that could take an untrained fencer and groom him into a person who could compete at the provincial level by the end of the season," Mardikian said.

Here are some of the York athletes' results from the East Sectionals at RMC: In the foil, Phil Soffe won the event with teammates Darren Osborne and Paul Young qualifying; Tony Forsyth and Steve Tichy came first and second respectively in the épée and qualify; and Warren Kotler won the sabre with Matt Pindera qualifying as well.

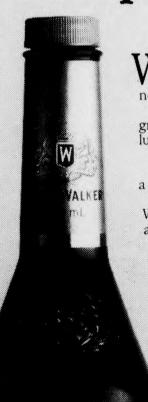


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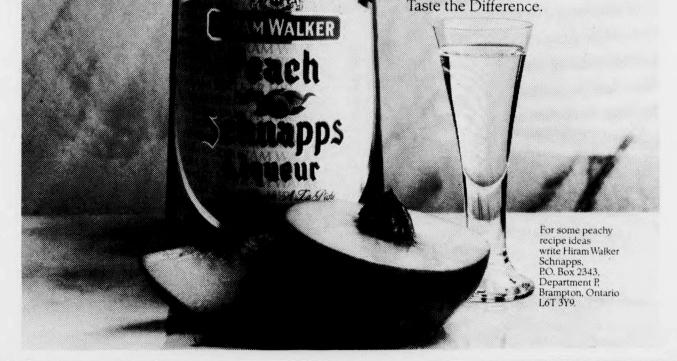
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