

# Sabres are ready for home test

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Acton Tait Realty Sabres broke from the 1989-90 Mid-Ontario Junior "C" Hockey League regular season starting gate like the famed champion race horse, Secretariat.

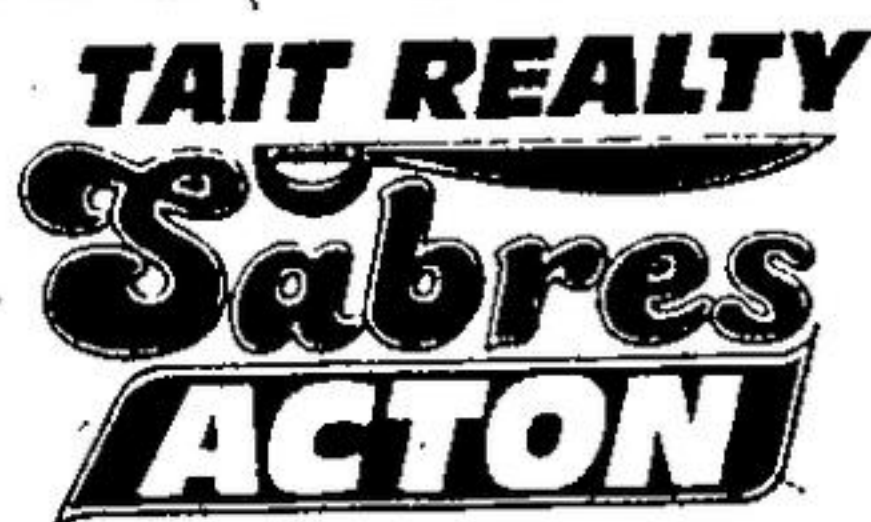
Two convincing wins on the road last weekend, 8-4 over Alliston Friday night and 8-5 over Bradford on Sunday, make for a very satisfying start for a hockey season, regardless of the league.

Hopefully, the Sabres won't suffer the same fate as Secretariat who was put down last week because of an incurable hoof disease.

Both Sabre wins came about as a result of third period surges by the Acton crew - a credit, both to the team's conditioning and the training camp regimen of head coach Ken Steen.

The offensive splurge was similarly backed up by two solid goaltending performances from Sabre netminder Jim Mantione.

The team's supporters will be able to get a good long look at the 1989-90 edition of the Sabres as two games are scheduled for Acton Community Centre this weekend.



Sabres had a game scheduled Friday evening against Orangeville Crushers - first-place regular season champion last year - at press time, the score was not available.

Sunday afternoon, 1:30 p.m. at the Acton Community Centre, the Sabres play host to Alliston, looking for revenge for the earlier loss to Acton.

Acton sharpshooters had their sticks primed for the opening matches and Craig Cullen leads the Sabre scoring parade.

Cullen has seven scoring points on five goals and two assists. Smooth-skating Hearst native Bob Gagnon, matches Cullen's points output with three goals and four assists.

Jeff Shevaller found the mark three times in last weekend's two games.



## Rebels junior team

GDHS REBELS junior girls basketball team. Front row, left to right, Kim Peasgood, Melanie Booth, Marcia Quinn, Jen Apgar, Fani Markou and Shelley Terashita. Back row, left to right, coach Gary Southworth, Allison Lipp, Mandy Stinson, Suzanne Euwen, Taysha Brankiewicz, Jennifer Bottomley, Andrea Schneider, Tracy Rehberg and coach Barry Culklin. (Herald photo)

## Canadian Hockey League

# New director selected

The Canadian Hockey League announced the appointment of Jim Price as Director of Information. Price will work out of the CHL's Toronto office and is the first full-time employee to be hired by the 40 team league. Until now, the CHL has conducted operations from its three league offices in Calgary, Toronto and Montreal.

In making the announcement, Mr. Ed Chynoweth, President of the CHL explained "Junior hockey in Canada has evolved to the point that we realized the need to be centralized in our operations. The Canadian Hockey League is clearly the top development league in the world and by adding a full time director of information we can maintain our tradition and excellence in our field."

Chynoweth noted that "We are very pleased to have Jim on staff with the Canadian Hockey League. Jim will be able to co-ordinate information at one location thus keeping the media and NHL teams better informed of the events of the

CHL." Chynoweth continued, "We are looking forward to the material that Jim will be preparing and the service he will be providing."

The Canadian Hockey League (Ligue Canadienne de Hockey) acts as the umbrella group representing the three major junior hockey leagues in Canada, the Ontario Hockey League, Ligue de Hockey Junior Majeur du Quebec (Quebec Major Junior Hockey League) and the Western Hockey League. A six-man executive committee is headed by Chynoweth (representing the WHL) while David E. Branch (OHL) acts as Vice-President and John Horman (LHJM) serves as Secretary Treasurer. Other directors include Rick Brodsky (WHL), Gilles Courteau (LHJM) and Dr. R.L. Vaughan (OHL).

The CHL enjoyed tremendous success this past season which saw numerous attendance records broken during both the regular

season and the playoffs. The year was capped off in Saskatoon, Sask. site of the Memorial Cup championships. Record crowds watched the week long tournament which saw the Swift Current Broncos defeat the host Saskatoon Blades in overtime in an exciting final game. "The Memorial Cup certainly capped off a very successful season," Chynoweth commented. "Junior Hockey is at an all time high and we are continuing to make strides in the right direction."

Price, a graduate of Conestoga College in Kitchener, Ont. spent six years with the Niagara Falls Thunder organization as their Assistant General Manager before taking this position with the CHL.

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Home Post Scripts



By Glenda Hughes, Sales Rep.

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If homes could talk, I'm sure we'd hear some pretty funny conversations, particularly when that For Sale sign goes up on the lawn. I have often laughed to myself as I thought about what the walls and floors say, for there are surely conversations that take place, that only those with special ears, can hear. I know that I have heard, creeping through those walls, some things like this:

**From the Kitchen:** "Oh, good grief - I knew that sign was going up, these cupboards haven't been cleaned out for years, and now that I'm all spiffy, we're getting dumped!" Or: "This should be fun! My floor is being polished again today - I'll bet someone is coming to look at me. So instead of the dog slipping on my ceramic tile, it will probably be some poor unsuspecting real estate agent."

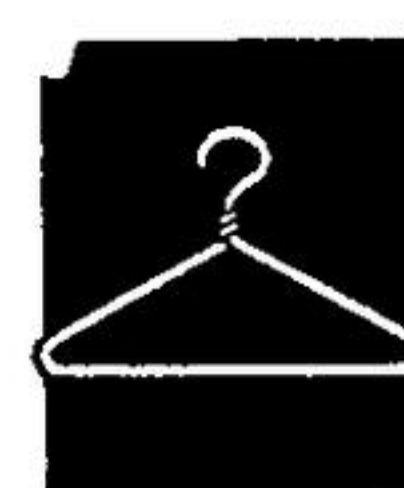
**From the Bathroom:** "How come we're getting new taps 'now' - we've been dripping since last year - there's no justice in this system - dedication means nothing! A new shower curtain huh - well that mold did have to go."

**From the Bedroom:** "Oh sure - throw those toys in the closet - we're pretty full now - and you think that we have room to expand. Just wait until someone opens us up today - better put a sign on the door 'Wear crash helmet'."

**From the Rec Room:** "Well, someone named this room right! It has always been a 'rec.' and now someone is trying to put some lights on so everyone can see us - it was nice being dark down here, besides if you put the lights on, you might have to get the carpet cleaned."

The conversations are endless, from one extreme to the other - but one thing is for sure, that the people who see your home, do talk about it after they leave. So, having your home in good shape is really important - don't wait until the last minute, get those repairs done, clean up the place, and be a proud home owner, when you call us to put up your sign. Nothing sells better or faster than a neat, clean home, and if you listen carefully - you will hear your walls tell you - well maybe your sales rep. will tell you too.

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Never store leather or suede in a plastic bag. Keep it in a cool, well ventilated area. When you have your garment cleaned, point out any stains and make sure you have all matching pieces cleaned at the same time.



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