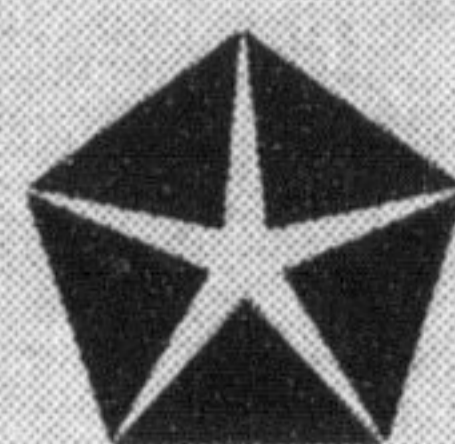


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Brian Penman

Penman is digging into rural holes

Council Briefs

Councillor Brian Penman isn't convinced that huge excavations in Milton's rural area are legitimate ponds.

However, John Matthews, Milton's director of public works, told town council last week seven or eight such excavations all have pond permits or are in the process of getting them.

Mr. Penman said some of the excavations cover more than an acre and are 20 to 25 feet deep.

He added that he was told farmers have been offered as much as \$7,000 an acre for their soil by Mississauga developers looking for clean fill.

Mr. Penman said much of Milton's rural land is held by land speculators who would not be adverse to a quick profit on vacant property. In addition, he said big holes are very inviting for those with waste and construction debris.

Mr. Penman called for a staff report on the issue before it gets out of hand.

"It's to our advantage to know if we're being duped and why," said Milton Mayor Gord Krantz.

Wellington not Waterloo

Councillor Gerry Brooks asked if Mayor Gord Krantz was aware of any amalgamation progress between municipalities in Wellington County.

Mr. Krantz said he had not been in contact with Wellington County's warden but would call him for an update. Mr. Krantz added that there had been no request to talk about Milton's border with Wellington.

Regional Councillor Barry Lee said he understood that talks for internal amalgamations within Wellington County have been unproductive.

Naming names

Milton council agreed to call a road servicing Riverglade Estates rural subdivision Random Acres Road. They also backed a plan to call a proposed road off Martin Street Caves Court.

Caves Court picked up its name from Andrew Caves, one of the landowners involved in the subdivision.

Random Acres Road got its name from the original farm property owned by a Kitchener doctor since the 1950s.

Councillor Colin Best wanted it spelled out that council had not yet approved the Caves Court subdivision. He said the naming exercise is simply fulfilling one of the conditions of approval.

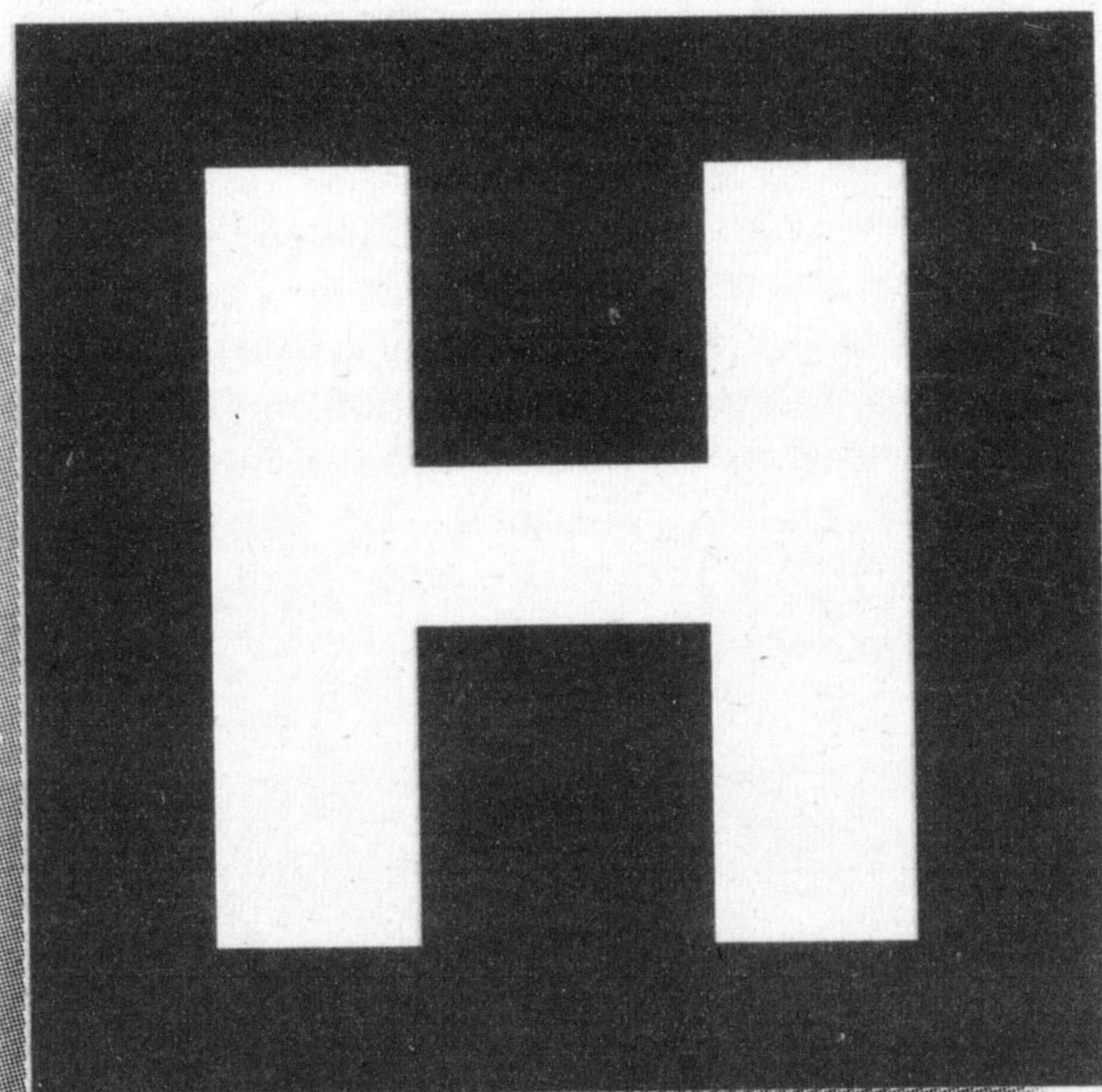
Creek erosion

Town council is considering closing Lower Base Line near 16 Mile Creek at the Barnstable bridge because of substantial erosion.

There will be a report on the issue before council in the near future addressing emergency measures which can be taken to keep the road open.

Councillor Rick Day suggested some stone be dumped into the creek to shore up the bank.

However, Milton's director of public works, John Matthews, said such a measure would have to be carefully considered because any stream diversion runs counter to Fisheries Canada policies and has been advised against by the Halton Region Conservation Authority.



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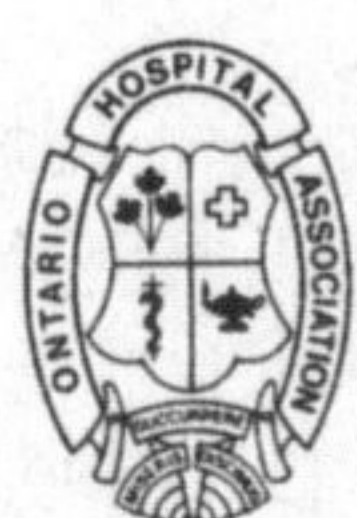
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