

Brian Best Park will remain in the dark -- for now

By ROB KELLY

Not much light was shed on Ralph Nunnaro's concerns at municipal council Monday night, the president of the Milton Minor Baseball Association indicated after the meeting.

Mr. Nunnaro was there to lobby for baseball lights at Brian Best Park. He painted a picture of MABA as an organization victimized by its own success; it's bursting at the seams, with 84 teams crowded onto various Milton fields. Lights at the park would help ease the pressure on an organization expected to grow to 90 teams next year.

Council did not approve the light installation, estimated to cost \$130,000. Instead they voted to continue looking for land from developers for a new baseball park, to examine lights at Brian Best again for 1990's budget and to "pursue all

other possible locations" for a new park.

"I'm still a little skeptical," Mr. Nunnaro said. "I'll believe it when I see it." While he found councillors "sympathetic," he added, "unfortunately not too many agreed with me."

Lights at a normal baseball diamond would cost approximately \$100,000, according to estimates supplied by town leisure services director Larry Arbic. But Brian Best Park does not include a normal baseball diamond.

The park was largely built on Milton's former dump site. Because of that, methane gases generated by decomposing waste move around

beneath the surface layer of soil. The gas wreaks havoc on the landscape, opening sinkholes and causing undulations in fields seemingly overnight.

Because of the gas presence, building on the site is difficult, even dangerous. Methane is explosive. The extra \$30,000 would provide for light standards which would, it is hoped, overcome the gas problem.

Mr. Nunnaro felt that perhaps concerns about the dump were overblown. "I think they're putting a little too much into the dump site. I wonder if their concerns are a bit exaggerated."

In his presentation to council, Mr. Nunnaro said Milton's minor baseball organization would be willing to contribute up to \$20,000 worth

of soil fill to alleviate landscape problems at the park.

Councillor Les Laughren said "maybe it's time to bite that small bullet," and pay the \$30,000 extra for lights. Councillor Colin Best suggested Milton explore shared usage of the E.C. Drury school facilities.

The school complex, which contains both a public secondary school and a provincially-operated hearing impaired students' facility, features acres of athletic fields that are "still under-used," Mr. Best said.

Mr. Best took a hard line, calling E.C. Drury's provincially-operated facilities "a protected empire," and adding, "we paid for those facilities (as taxpayers). We should be able to use them."

Councillor Brad Clements said "if

we don't come up with something" by autumn he is "inclined to agree with councillor Laughren" that lights should be installed for the 1990 baseball season.

Town administrator Roy Main cautioned publicly that discussions with developers about a land dedication were, at best, in a preliminary stage.

When developers build subdivisions or industrial complexes, they usually dedicate either land or cash representing a portion of the investment to the municipality.

However, due to the residential development freeze in Milton, no such subdivisions are coming onstream in the near term. That gives Milton council and staff precious little leverage in dealing with developers, Mr. Main admitted.

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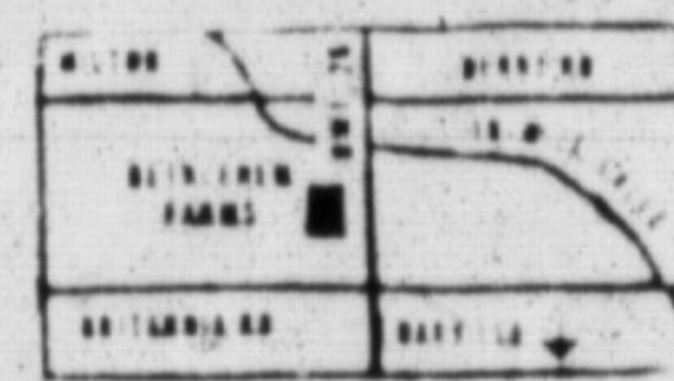
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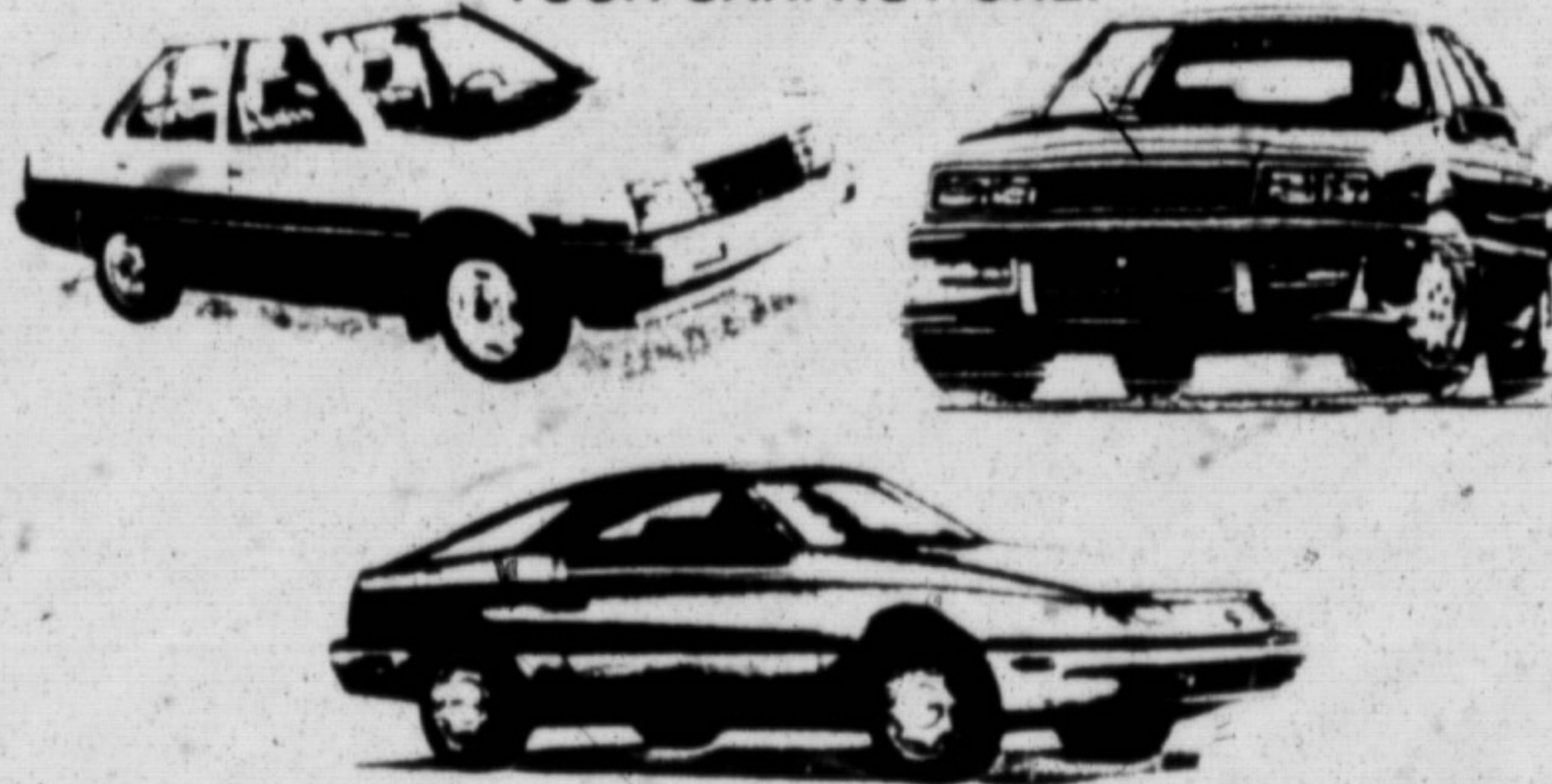
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