Ding, Operowski, Oxley, and Vertigan proved that every sufficiently large 3-connected, binary matroid has as a minor a large binary spike, or, for a large $n$, the cycle or bond matroid of an $n$-spoked wheel or $K_{3,n}$. We discuss what can be said when one seeks to keep a specified element in one of the special minors. (Received January 26, 2010)