



TEN FEET, SIX INCHES TALL, this giant castor bean plant at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Larsen, R.R. 3, Acton, is a shady spot for Allan Larsen, 5, and dog Prince to hide out. Mrs. Larsen planted this castor bean as a small seed in the

spring and it keeps growing in the temperate climate and fertile soil alongside their house. They planted others at the same time but they have come nowhere near the size of this plant. (Staff Photo)

Council and committee to confer in future

In answer to a request for guidance from Committee of Adjustment chairman Denny Charles, Esquing township council decided Monday night that if the committee was undecided in the future about whether to allow persons to build houses on unmaintained township roads they should send a representative to council and that the two bodies would come to a decision between themselves.

Mr. Charles accepted council's invitation to attend the meeting after councillors had expressed an interest in knowing the reasons for the committee's decisions.

Council is concerned about persons who buy lots on unmaintained township roads, then expect the township to improve them.

The committee recently granted a separation in a case involving land on the 10th line.

Earlier in the evening, council granted permission to Alan Francis a resident of the 5th line, near Limehouse, after Mr. Francis requested that he be

allowed to build a garage for his car, on his property at a distance from the township road of less than the 68 feet normally required.

Mr. Francis, a bus driver for Gray Coach Lines, explained to Council that having the garage closer to the road would make it much easier for him to get to work on time in the winter.

Clerk-treasurer Delmar French presented councillors with a draft of a by-law which he asked them to consider.

The proposed by-law would forbid the construction of buildings placed at a lesser distance from the centre line of any township road than 68 feet, but would not apply to winter garages which are movable and which may be placed directly at the property line nor to those villages which are exempted from the provision of the Subdivision Control By-law 16-68.

The proposed by-law would also limit to one the issue of a building permit for any parcel of land held under one instrument unless such parcel had sufficient frontage, so that at least 125 feet frontage could be allotted to each of such dwellings and such frontage would have to be on an established road.

An "established road" would mean an opened road allowance owned by the Township of Esquing, County of Halton or Department of Highways, and the responsibility for maintenance of which had been assumed by one of the three.

Fred Kentner Sr. steals show in brown leghorn class

In its report of the successes of Fred Kentner Jr. and son Joey, in winning prizes at the C.N.E. poultry show, the Free Press neglected to mention that Fred Kentner Sr. also produced several prize winners of the brown leghorn variety.

Mr. Kentner Sr. showed a total of 22 brown leghorns at the C.N.E. poultry show and walked off with first to fifth prizes inclusive in both the "cockered" and "pullet" categories. In addition his birds won first and second prize in the competition for best bird.

Percy Ahyes, an executive member of the show and a longtime poultry fancier said that it was one of the best showings in brown leghorns he had seen in 47 years.

Last week at the Western Ontario Fair in London, Mr. Kentner Sr., Mr. Kentner Jr. and Joey stole the show again.

The trio entered 123 birds of all breeds and finished out of the money only 11 times. Included in the remarkable showing were 11 breed champion birds and three birds who were finalists in contests for champion.

Folks in the area will have an opportunity to see for themselves, this weekend when the Kentner family will again be displaying their prize-winning poultry at the Acton Fall Fair.

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Free Press Personal

Miss Janice Drew is a patient in Toronto General Hospital.

Mrs. John Buckman and daughter Diane visited relatives in Great Britain during the summer.

Friends are sorry to learn Mr. Stan Matthews is a patient in Guelph General Hospital.

On Saturday evening the Legion Choralists, their wives and guests enjoyed a corn roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gordon.

The curling club's wiener and corn roast Saturday evening was a successful event, drawing about 50 to the new curling club site on Churchill Road N.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Browne, Mrs. Doris Cook, Mrs. Pearl Holmes and Muriel all attended the official opening of the Loyal Orange Benevolent Association's Trillium Home for the Aged in Orillia, Saturday September 6.

Mel and Marg Sheppard entertained the Station Hotel softball team and their friends at a very delicious turkey supper at their home after the game, Sunday. Jim Kay, one of the players, was chef for the occasion. Before the supper Rick Ivany entertained the guests with his guitar.

On Sept. 17, 18 and 19 Mrs. Rudolph Spielvogel is attending the annual session of the Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, at the Royal York Hotel in Toronto.

The U.C.W. held a tea last Wednesday evening for newcomers to the church. About 25 ladies enjoyed the evening together at the home of Mrs. Bill Coats.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Gibbons of Oakawa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cam Leishman. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Robertson were visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lawson have moved from Kingston to Waterloo. Peter is attending the University of Waterloo and taking the Honor Physical Education and Recreational Management Course, majoring in Sociology. Brenda, who has secured a position in the Biological Lab at the University of Waterloo, has also entered the part time Honor Science course, majoring in Biology.

Fifty-nine people including children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of Mr. Kramp's mother, Mrs. Martin of Arthur, Ont., gathered together at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kramp, Guelph St., on Sunday last to have the Kramp reunion. A marvellous time was shared, with outdoor salads and cold cuts, the fare for the occasion.

Recent visitors, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oliver, Bo'ness, Scotland, flew direct to Calgary, where they were met by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson, Mill Street East, Acton. After spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Dupont (Susan Wilson), they had a very enjoyable trip to Banff, Jasper, B.C., and Montana, returning to Acton via

the Prairies and Lake Superior. Mr. and Mrs. Oliver (Bill Wilson's sister), were on their second visit to Canada. Mr. Oliver attended a meeting of the Guelph Rotary Club. On his previous visit to Acton, he presented a miniature banner from the Bo'ness Club, to our local Rotarians. Before returning to Britain, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver enjoyed a barbecue. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Robert Buckner, Miss Elizabeth Mackie of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Rogvaldsen, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Lidka and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Leatherland.

Friends here will be sorry to learn Mrs. Bertha Lantz has been ill at the Manor.

Acton students who are continuing their education out of town have begun their classes again.

The University of Guelph is the most popular university for Acton high school graduates. Those who are returning there this week are Ron Henry, who's in his final semester in history, Edie Hopkins, Victor Funk, Tom McKeown, Brenda (McKeown) Coles and Susan Allen. Jim Lee and Wayne Barber are just starting their first semester there.

Sheridan College now has the most Acton students ever as the courses grow in appeal. Those returning to their courses are Roy Shullis, John Dowding, David Watson and Janet Braida. Starting courses are Stu McCulloch, Terry Curtis, Ray Saitz, George Gehring, Jenny Bishop, Clive Stewart, Bill Landsborough and Bill Pendleton.

Nancy Winter is returning to Waterloo University to complete her last year after working on Beardmore's office staff.

Danny Arbic is returning to Waterloo, and a new student there is last year's top grade 13 student, Kathryn Sinclair.

Back at their studies at Queens are Trudy Morris and Alan McNabb.

Helen Holmes returns to Waterloo Lutheran University. One Acton student has enrolled at the University of Toronto for his first year, Paul Youngblut, and Bob Bonnette is the only Actonian at York University.

Back at Ryerson Polytechnical Institute are Paul Murr and John McNabb.

Irene Severinick and Sharon Britton are enrolled at Guelph Business College.

Bob Waller and Rod McEachern have begun their training as police cadets in Oakville.

(Teachers and nurses-in-training were listed last week. Is anyone missed?)

"Enthusiastic" start for Museum Auxiliary

The founding meeting for a new organization, the Halton County Museum Auxiliary, was held on Wednesday evening of last week and those attending were "quite enthusiastic" according to Milton's Deputy-Reeve Ron Harris who is heading up the drive for members.

Although there were only a few people on hand to help launch the new service organization at the county museum, there are indications to widespread interest. Acton, Campbellville, Esquing and Milton residents were in attendance.

Mr. Harris, the museum's director H. J. Newman and curator Mrs. Eria Brittain all spoke Wednesday to outline how a museum auxiliary could be formed and co-operate with museum officials. There was talk of operating a gift shop at the museum, where replicas of Canadian antiques could be sold

to help raise funds. There are a number of ways auxiliary members—men and women are invited—could help the museum and at the same time learn more about Halton's storied history. "A lot of good ideas came out at the meeting, and we've got a million more ideas for things that an auxiliary can do," said the deputy-reeve.

Several service groups and organizations had not got underway for the fall when the first auxiliary meeting was called, and were unable to delegate a representative to attend. However, officials hope that by the next meeting at 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 20 at the Museum, there will be many organization representatives on hand. An executive may be named that evening.

Accident time

There is no convenient time for an accident, and probably right now in harvest-time is the most inconvenient of all. Labor is scarce. The crops are waiting to be harvested and there are so many jobs to be done that no one can be spared to take time off and lay around in a hospital bed.

So now, more than ever, is the time to eliminate hazards and prevent accidents.

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