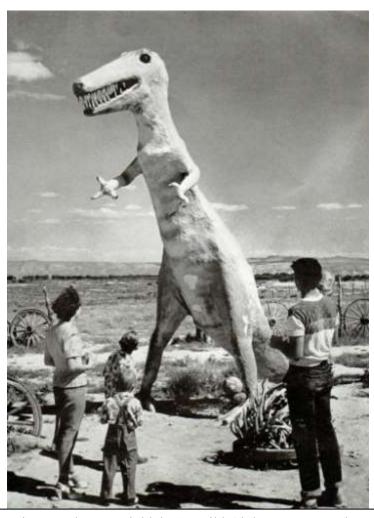
Willard



Willard, the giant scarecrow keeping watch over Dinklaker's Wild Ginkgo Farm, works wonders: no crow has *ever* been spotted harassing the crop! Sure, crows are rare in this part of Vermont and are repelled by the ginkgo plant anyway, plus, truth be told, the farm hasn't produced a viable crop since 1994, but that's no reason not to bestow the Scarecrow of the Year Award on the thing. So please, should someone call to poll you for the award, cast your vote for Willard!