

Before '74 Stelco Expects To Make Starting Date Announcement

Stelco is expected to announce their construction starting date and type of steelmaking facilities planned for the Nanticoke area soon.

R. E. Heneault, vice-president of Personnel for the Steel Company of Canada discussed the Nanticoke greenfield site last Wednesday in a speech he made to the Downtown Toronto Kiwanis Club at the Royal York Hotel.

Stelco To Begin Tree Planting Soon

Stelco is "just getting ready" to go out for bids on a landscaping project for their Nanticoke site, Ross Robertson, liaison officer for the company, told the Record Thursday.

and this phase would begin in the fall. It is possible that this may come out at the same time as the starting date announcement, Mr. Robertson said. It has not been planned that way, but the fall is the opportune time for planting trees so they may coincide, he said. During the summer, the company has been "scratching around like chickens" prettying the Nanticoke site up a little bit, he added.

They have been tearing down buildings, cutting elm trees and plugging gas wells in the area which will be developed first.

"Before the end of this year, we expect to have finalized our plans relative to the construction starting date as well as the steelmaking technology employed at this location," he said.

"It might even be next week," a public relations spokesman told the Record Thursday. "We really don't know, but we expect it before the end of the year." He could not give any definite date because no announcement has been made by Stelco executives.

At the meeting Wednesday, Mr. Heneault said 1974 will probably



Scott Mitchell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mitchell was a second prize winner in the Elmer Summer Safety Contest sponsored in the WH Record. (Staff Photo)

H - N Joint Study Committee Sets Schedule For Jan. '74

The Haldimand-Norfolk Joint Study Committee is setting their sights for the possible implementation of regional government by Jan. 1, 1974.

At a meeting in Jarvis last Wednesday, September 15 was recommended as the deadline for municipality co-ordination in anticipa-

tion of an early regional government.

The schedule for preparation of the draft legislation assumes the region will be exclusively Haldimand and Norfolk, aside from a small portion of Middleton going to Tillsonburg. And, the Study Committee, in conjunction with the province, will be the

co-ordinator and clearing house for carrying out the schedule. In each of the six municipalities, a steering committee (reeves, mayors, deputy-reeves and clerk-treasurers) will act as the co-ordinating body at the local level. Roger Warner from the Ministry of Inter-

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URXP - A Learning Experience

13-year-old Jana Lee Thompson left Haldimand County proud of her haying scars.

The Fort Erie grade eight student was one of 14 city children visiting Haldimand County during August through the Ontario Urban-Rural Exchange Program.

Jana Lee stayed for a week with the Gerald McKenzie family at their R. R. 1 Selkirk farm.

This is the third year that Wanda Lynn, a grade nine student at Hagersville Secondary School and the eldest McKenzie child, has had a city companion.

"It's fun," Wanda Lynn told the Record Friday. "They learn about the farm, how it is run and farm safety."

She gave Jana Lee a tour of their 100 acre sheep and beef farm and took her to local places of interest (Hugh Clark's log cabin, shopping in Dunnville and Simcoe and downtown to Selkirk).

And, Jana Lee helped the McKenzie's out by driving tractor while they were haying. This was a new experience for the city girl.

Jana Lee really liked living on the farm for a week with the family of six, Wanda Lynn said,

but then she found that there wasn't as many things to do as in the city.

Wanda Lynn may go to Fort Erie for a weekend visit in the fall, but she isn't too keen about city living.

"It's too crowded and noisy," she said. Although, "it's alright in some ways because there are more things

to do and more kids to play with."

Mrs. McKenzie thinks the program is wonderful for the kids and that it's a shame more farm people don't participate in it.

There are no neighbour children for the McKenzie kids to play with, so it gives them a companion, she ex-

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Clerks Prefer Jan. '74 For Region Implementation

Haldimand and Norfolk County clerks and treasurers prefer a January 1, 1974 target date for the implementation of regional government.

At a meeting of the

Haldimand - Norfolk Joint Study Committee, held in Jarvis last Wednesday night, Dunnville clerk Frank Scholfield presented a resolution, which had been unanimously passed by the two counties' clerks and treasurers.

It indicated the clerks' and treasurers' preference for the Jan. 1 date on the understanding that a regional council would be elected

Two Youths Win 2nd. In Contest

Two area boys were prize winners in the fourth and final Elmer Summer Safety Contest sponsored this summer by the WH Record.

Seven-year-old Bill Esselment of Hagersville and nine-year-old Scott Mitchell of R. R. 1 Jarvis won second prize CCM Accessory Kits.

Bill, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Esselment is a grade three student at Northview Public School. Scott, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Mitchell, is a North Walpole Elementary School student.



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Wanda Lynn McKenzie participated in the Urban-Rural Exchange program this summer. (Staff Photo)