## United Way task force pressured

force warned last week.

regional council, Jarvis

Sheridan acknowledged

that some regional

councillors are disen-

chanted with the task

force's progress, but

Speaking before

By CHRIS AAGAARD Herald Staff

The establishment of a region-wide United Way can't be rushed. the chairman of the Holton United Way task

Doc Russell

### Well respected in community

Funeral services were held Saturday in St. Thomas for Donald 'Doc' Russell.

The Deirex Blvd. man will be sorely missed by his wife June and sons Mike, Mark and Scott. Mr. Russell succumbed to a heart attack

General Hospital. He was an extremely well liked and respected member of the community, taking part in golfing and curling events in

Thursday and was rush-

ed to Scarborough



Born in St. Thomas, Mr. Russell apprenticed as an electrician where

he passed his examina-

tions and eventually

joined the St. Thomas

Public Utilities

Commission as a journeyman lineman. Later he worked for the Electric Utilities Safety Association and then for Reliance Electric in their sales

department. Mr. Russell became the vice-president of Wajax, an international company. He was in charge of their utility division which promoted the sale of their hydro trucks.

"He was well respected in his business and he respected others as well," said his son Mike. In memory contributions to the Ontario Heart Foundation would be appreciated.

#### Stewarttown news

By J. ROSS and P. STEWART Herald Correspondents

Stewarttown was in the Niagara Anglican news this past month, with the fact that our new minister, Rev. A Donald Lee, has been appointed as rector to St. John's and St. Stephen's in Hornby. Also, St. John's celebrating its 150th year and that the history of

available. Rey. Lee has now been with us since March 7, the first day of

St. John's and area Is

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bonham of Milton, on the arrival of

a son, Mrs. Bonham is by the ladies

English. Get well wishes of the community are extended to Mrs. Mary Wilson

the granddaughter of

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert

and Mrs. Lillian Hicken, both ladies lived in this area for many years. Sympathy of the community is extended to Rev. and Mrs. David Sinclair, in the passing

of her mother. St. John's Guild were guests of St. Stephen's, Hornby this past week for a pot luck supper with Rev. and Mrs. Lee. There was a very enjoyable program of music by Mrs. John New for a hymn sing-a-long, a skit

Letter to the editor

# True spirit of sports

Hockey - who is playing this game, parents or kids? I ask this question in my own interest and hopefully that of other parents. Just this week I

attended a game in which my son was playing and throughout the game I was verbally criticizing our players for their poor efforts. It was not until later that evening when I received a dressing down from both of my children for my attitude that I came to realize what was

happening. My son reminded me that he loved to play hockey, but he was there for the fun too and he could handle the winning or losing - could

That challenge of how we parents handle ourselves in all aspects of

instill in our children. It is my hope that we can allow our children to experience hockey at its best by our example of conduct, affirmation and enjoyment of the game irregardless of the outcome.

I am very thankful and proud of my children for teaching me the true spirit of competitive sports. Sincerely,

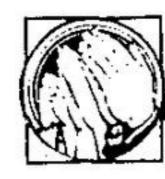
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### Friend of God



said pressure to speed

things up could actually

impede the group's

"You can't force a

United Way on the

community," Mr.

Jarvis sald. "It has to

grow out of the (social

service) organizations

that are already there."

been working for four

years to build a region-

wide United Way.

Found in many commu-

nities across Canada,

the United Way is an

umbrelle fund-raising

organization for many

Tired of processing

the approximately 50

agencies which seek

grants from the region

each year, councillors

have said they want to

see the Halton United

Way take shape, or

grants to agencies in

1985 may be frozen to

The United Way is

established in Burling-

ton, Oakville and, within

the last two years, Mil-

Mr. Jarvis sald the

1984 levels.

social service groups.

The task force has

CLERGYCOMMENT

By REV. JEFFREY C. DAVISON

A few weeks ago in church I needed the help of a friend. I stood at the front of the church and said, "Who wants to be my friend this morning?" A forest of children's hands went up. Where were the adults hands? Perhaps

they guessed what was coming. From a group of hands I picked one out that was straining forward eagerly, so full of energy and enthusiasm to be my friend, My friend's name was Amy. She came and stood at the front with me. It is good to stand with a friend. It gives you a great feeling.

Now friends should be treated well. so I had brought a present for my friend. It was in a lovely box that had once held a Christmas cake. I gave it to Amy. She opened the box and started to look so disappointed, for it contained some orange peel, and a banana skin.

"But Amy," I said, "It was a lovely orange and a delicious banana. I really enjoyed eating them. You could not have the skin from a better banana or the peel off a tastier orange. I am giving you the best peel and skin it is possible to give."

Needless to say, Amy was not persuaded. It was a poor gift from a friend. So I have Amy another gift.

And you? - Well give God your best, of course, not just the leftovers of your time and money and talent, that is, if you claim to be a friend of God.

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#### NHAMR's goal is \$16,000

### Searching out for canvassers

Herald Special Last year more than 360 volunteers made the 1983 Mental Retardation Week campaign the best ever for the North Halton Association for the Mentally Retarded.

task force hopes to launch a feasibility study into the United One highlight of the Way moving Inot Halton '83 campaign was the Hills. In grants paid to canvass of the Pinethe Halton Social Plannview-Hornby rural area ing Council, \$2,000 was for the first time. This carmarked for the study was "amazingly and put aside in a successful", and poses a reserve. real challenge to be beaten this year

Unhappy that the process of forming a Halton United Way is now into its fourth year, Burlington Mayor Roly Bird said regional council could have done it fast-

"We've heard a lot of talking, but we haven't seen a lot of doing," Mayor Bird comment-

#### False alarm

There was an accidental alarm activation at the Georgetown District High School on Guelph Street Thursday at 5:55 p.m. Firefighters investigated the school property.

#### No damage

There was a chimney fire at a Regan Crescent, Georgetown residence Sunday at 9:30 p.m. The fire department reports no damage or injuries resulted.

### PHOTO , are available for any

photograph appearing in The Herald.

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It's used by the North Halton association to provide support and services for mentally handicapped individuals and their families in this area.

NHAMR president, Bert Arnold, says the strong support of the community together with improved materials and preparation will ensure that this year's target is reached.

But the volunteer canvassers and captains have to be recruited before the campaign can get off the ground. More volunteers are

this year's campaign is always needed and \$16,000. This compares individuals with a few hours to spare in early May are asked to call 877-5557.

#### Ashgrove news

By Mrs. John Bellboddy Herald Correspondent

according to co-ordina-

The overall target of

to \$15,150 raised in 1983.

stays in North Halton.

All of this money

tor Valda May.

ASHGROVE - Some of our people have been travelling. We welcome back Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nurse from a month's trip to Australia. Mr. and Mrs. Ford Wickson

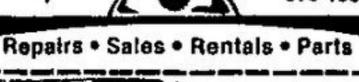
spent 12 days around sunny California and also a few days on an agricualtural tour in

Mrs. Pat Stark visited her daughter in New Orleans and enjoyed the celebrations there in 83 farenheit.

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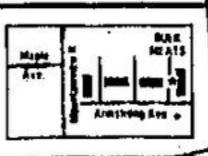
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### They've got to have HEART

By ANI PEDERIAN Herald Staff

They've got to have HEART. Halton regional police commissioners agreed to begin contract negotiations for the installation of the \$2 million HEART computer system.

Of the three companies which submitted proposals, commissioners Planning chose Research Corporation Public Management Services, Inc. (PRC-PMS).

The company was found to have the most experience, having installed over 40 police systems, including the Ottawa CADRE system which ploneered the use



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of computers by Canadian police. Also, the PRC-PMS proposal was the lowest priced.

puter firm for the \$2

million project.

For the next 60 days, the force will be negotiating with the com-

The system is expected to be operational for the force's records department early next year. The second phase, computer aided dispatching is due five months later.

Classes

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the week

of April 9

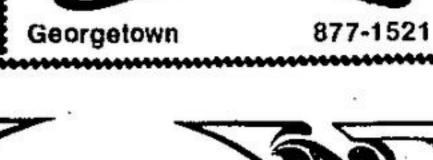


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