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Ottawa Diocese.DIOCESAN MOTTO :—" *God is love.* "

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A *special* meeting of the Board was called, Oct. 22nd, to act on an important letter from Ontario, in reference to the child to be educated. This letter should have been read at the regular September meeting, but it had been mislaid during the Cor. Secretary's absence from town. The following resolution was passed: "The Ottawa Board are prepared to accept the daughter of the Rev. Mr. Bell, Surrey Centre, Diocese of New Westminster, for education, as recommended by Mrs. Dart, subject to the approval of the W.A. Board in Ontario Diocese.

A regular meeting of the Board was held in the Cathedral School room, Nov. 8th, at three o'clock. The Cor. Sec. read (1), a letter from Miss Lewin, dated July 13th, which had been mislaid; (2) a letter from Mrs. Rogers, stating that Ontario wanted to educate a child from a far away Diocese; (3) a letter from Mrs. Rogers, dated Oct. 31st; she wrote that she had seen nearly all the members of the Ontario Board, and they were quite satisfied with Ottawa's choice of a New Westminster child; (4) a letter from Rev. G. Gill, Russell, Manitoba; (5) a letter from Dr. Davidson, in regard to the *Canadian Church Magazine*; (6) a letter from Rev. R. Samwell, Wales; (7) a letter from Rev. J. H. Davis, New Westminster. The Dorcas Sec. gave a detailed account of two splendid bales sent out by the Hawkesbury Branch; read letters from (1) Miss Spaul, Plantaganet; (2) Miss Balton, Cassburn; (3) Mrs. Jones, Pakenham; (4) Rev. Mr. Anderson (appeal for Mattawa); (5) Miss Lester, Arnprior; (6) Mrs. Samwell, Wales; (7) Miss Killaly, Morrisburg; (8) Miss Eaman, Wales; (9) Miss Halston, General Dorcas Sec.; (10) Rev. Mr. Norquay, Frenchman's Head. The Treasurer read her report, also a letter from Morrisburg, stating that Mrs. Killaly intended moving to Montreal. The Cor. Sec. was requested to write and express the regret felt by the Board in losing such an energetic worker as Mrs. Killaly, from the Diocese. Sec. of Junior Work reported five letters written, and three postals, four letters and three postcards received; 24 membership cards given out; \$46 promised, so far, towards the education of a Missionary's child. The M.C.L. of Christ Church, intend to sew for the child that is to be sent to Yale. Miss Parris also read letters from Mrs. Read, Mrs. Mackay, and Miss Gwynne. The Organizing Sec. reported the formation of a new Branch of the J.W.A., in St.