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## Ontario Diocese.

DIOCESAN MOTTO:—"She hath done what she could."

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A JOYOUS HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR W.A. SISTERS.

In looking back over the year just closed we find much to be thankful for, much to cheer and encourage; and now another year is stretched out before us, laden with its duties to perform, its responsibilities for us to bear. How do we intend to discharge these? Let us honestly determine, with God's help, to do our work heartily and thoroughly; remembering that it is the cheerful willing worker that has the power to inspire others with zeal and energy, and it is this zeal, with the spirit of loving self-sacrifice, that we must endeavour to infuse into our work.

"Higher than the highest heavens,  
Deeper than the deepest sea,  
Lord Thy love at last hath conquer'd;  
Grant me now my soul's desire,  
NONE OF SELF—AND ALL OF THEE."

The regular Monthly Board Meeting was held on Dec. 13th, the attendance of members and representatives being as usual, large. A letter was read from the Pro. Cor. Sec, enclosing an appeal from Silverwater, Algoma, asking for assistance in building a Church. This appeal comes endorsed by the Bishop of Algoma. Miss Daly had a letter from Miss Brown, who gives the following as their new correct address: Victoria Jubilee Home, St. Peter's Mission, Larcher Creek, Alberta, N.W.T. She writes, "Those who have lately moved from one house to another, can have no idea what our experience has been during the last five months. The work of tearing down the old Mission building and moving the lumber up here, in addition to the ordinary house work for about 40 people, there is the packing and moving and looking after all these Indian children, and camping out for about two months before this Home was ready for us. We moved into this building on the 30th of Sept., but by no means settled. The furnaces have not yet arrived, and the pipe is still unfinished, there is much to do inside and out, before