



With some pride Annie Lamont of Mattawa reads the citation from the Premier of Ontario

naming her one of the outstanding women of province for International Women's Year 1975.

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## *Mattawa's outstanding woman of the province*

**MATTAWA (Staff)**—Annie Lamont has been named Mattawa's outstanding woman of the Province of Ontario for International Women's Year 1975.

Miss Lamont is the second lady in this area to be nominated. North Bay's Nell Mallory was also listed among the outstanding women of the Province.

"I don't know why they chose me," said Miss Lamont commenting on the citation.

"But I certainly want to thank my many friends for their confidence in me and what they have done for me," she stated with obvious pride in the knowledge that her fellow citizens had singled her out for this special honor.

old, time-proven principles as guide posts for her life style.

Within the feminine sphere and the world of men, she has made some remarkable strides and has been accepted in both realms.

She is the only female member of the Mattawa Town Council and is also an honorary member of the Mutual Aid Fire Department of Nipissing and Parry Sound.

The women of the town know her as the president of the CWL and the Women's Institute and also as an active church and community worker.

She holds the position of treasurer of the Mattawa Golden Age Club and is a member of the hospital board of directors and sits on the board

offers opportunities to do something—mostly for others.

For 29 years she worked as a postal clerk in the Mattawa post office and at the same time went through seven trucks in her duties as mail contractor. She is proud of her record of never having missed the mail or lost a letter during that period.

The words of John F. Kennedy, "Ask not what your country can do for you but what you can do for your country," is understandably one of her favorite quotations.

Annie Lamont is equally at home fulfilling her role as a woman or doing a man's job but she always retains her own identity and follows the dictates of her conscience.