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# *The New Year . . .*

## *a Year of Hard Work*

“WORK is a privilege and also a pleasure, even though it is not popularly regarded as such. One thing is certain, we can only overcome our problems by hard work—effective and efficient work.

“New Year is the time to cast aside the popular incentive of purely personal gain for the incentive of working for our own community and our own country.

“If we believe in the principles of Christianity we must show our belief in deed and word and not in lip service which is the kiss of death.

“We must really show our concern for our fellow men irrespective of race, colour or creed. This coming year is going to demand action as well as answers to these problems and we will have to work as we have never worked before.”

extract from the Christmas message  
Dr Denis Rogers,  
Mayor of Hamilton