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DIOCESAN MOTTO :—" *Go work to-day in my Vineyard.*"

The Diocesan Board resumed its Monthly meetings on Thursday 7th October, in the Synod Hall, where they will be regularly held during the season. Devotional Meeting at 10.30 a.m., Business Meeting at 11 a.m. Mrs. R. Lindsay conducted the Devotional Meeting, the Scripture selected being the 13th chapter of 1st Corinthians, and the lesson, ably and affectionately enforced, the charity, or love, described by the Apostle as, "Thinking no evil, suffering long, not puffed up, envying not, vaunting not itself, kind, bearing all things, believing all things, hoping all things, enduring all things." Afterward, some account was given of the Mission work in the Diocese of Selkirk.

At the Business Meeting letters were read from Miss Paterson, (see W.A. Letter Box), Miss Shaw, Mrs. Boomer and Archdeacon Naylor. The latter asking for literature for the Lumber Camps on the Upper Ottawa and Desert Rivers. A motion of condolence to Mrs. A. Carus-Wilson, on the demise of her sister, was passed; and an address given by Rev. L. U. Tucker, on Mission work in the Diocese of New Westminster, with special reference to the opportunities offered for the evangelization of the Chinese, if the eastern portions of the Dominion and the Church generally will rise to their responsibilities in the matter. Mr. Tucker was warmly welcomed by his many friends of the Montreal W.A., and we hope his appeal will bring forth fruit.

On October 12th, Mrs. Holden and Mrs. Everett left Montreal by invitation, to attend a series of W.A. meetings in some of the outlying parishes, and the Recording Secretary, Mrs. Everett, has given us the appended report of their visit. "On Wednesday, 13th, we met at Miss Fulton's, Maritana, the Havelock and Franklin Branches. We held a meeting in Miss Fulton's Drawing Room. We were much impressed with the zeal and harmony that evidently draw the Branches together in their work of faith and labor of love. The day following we held a meeting at Huntingdon, and were most hospitably entertained by Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Robinson, the latter lending her home for the meeting. In addressing these Branches, Mrs. Holden took for her subject the practical side of W.A. work, explaining many points not generally clearly understood by the country Branches. When called upon to speak, the Recording Secretary