

**Montreal Diocese.**

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

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Montreal is deeply sensible of her privilege and pleasure in welcoming to her midst, on the occasion of this the third Triennial meeting of the Provincial Woman's Auxiliary, so many of her co-workers in the great cause of Missions, May the Holy Spirit be with us all in our deliberations ; guiding, controlling and illuminating. It is no light responsibility that rests upon us, assembled thus in our corporate capacity to give voice to sentiments, and to give effect to actions, by which we shall be judged as an Association by those within the church and without her.

Hence, it becomes us to be scrupulously careful in all that we say and do. For in this age of restlessness and chafing under authority, we have particular need of the restraining grace of the Holy Spirit, that we may have a right temper, as well as a right judgment in all things.

If there should be in our conduct or in our utterances any spirit of pride, or any disposition to arrogate to ourselves a place and power not allotted us by Divine appointment, then assuredly and justly offences will come, and we shall not be blameless.

If our Association is to be recognized and respected, and accorded the kindly and grateful sympathy and confidence of the clergy and laity generally, and is to become from year to year more and more valuable to the Board of Domestic and Foreign Missions, we must never forget the meaning of that word by which we are affiliated to this latter. And in doing this it is not necessary that we should be restricted in our methods of work, or in the designation of our offerings, so