

No. 27.

PETITION.

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To the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia:

The petition of the Synod of the Diocese of Caledonia humbly sheweth:—

Your petitioners are desirous that an Act of Parliament be passed at the next sitting of the Legislature, incorporating the Diocese of Caledonia, with boundaries as follows:—

North.—The northern boundary of the civil Province of British Columbia, viz., from the boundary separating British Columbia from Alaska along the 60th parallel of north latitude to the 120th parallel of west longitude.

East.—Down the 120th parallel of west longitude to the 54th of north latitude, being the eastern boundary of the civil Province of British Columbia.

South.—Along the 54th parallel of north latitude to the point where it intersects the Fraser River; along the right bank of the said river to Fort George; up Stuart River to the junction with the Nechaco River; along the Nechaco River up to the watershed separating the headwaters of the said river from those of the Salmon River; down the Salmon River to Dean's Canal; along the said canal to entrance of same.

West.—From the entrance of Dean's Canal northwards to the 60th parallel of north latitude, being the western boundary of the civil Province of British Columbia, inclusive of Queen Charlotte Islands and all other islands usually included in the said Province on such boundary line.

The said Synod is to have perpetual succession and a common seal, with power to sue and be sued, implead and be impleaded with, contract and be contracted with; to purchase, take, hold, give, receive, enjoy, possess, and retain all lands, etc., movable or immovable property, and set apart portions of said lands for roads, etc., and generally to have all the powers necessary for a Synod.

And your petitioners will ever pray.

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Solicitors for the Applicants.

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