

"Church, according to the Use of the Church of England, "together with the Psalter on Psalms of David, pointed as they "are to be said or sung in Churches, and the Form and Manner "of Making, Ordaining, and Consecrating of Bishops, Priests "and Deacons," and in the Thirty-Nine Articles of Religion. And the Synod hereinbefore constituted shall hold and maintain the same, and shall have no power to make any alteration in the Authorized Version of Scripture or in the above named Formularies of the Church.

Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the Synod from accepting any alteration of the above named Formularies and Version of th Bible as may, from time to time, be adopted by the Church of England.

Provided also that it shall be lawful for the Synod to frame new, and to modify existing, rules (not affecting doctrine), with the view of meeting circumstances peculiar to this Diocese.

Provided also that it shall be lawful for the Bishop, from time to time, to authorize and order to be used any special form of Prayer or Thanksgiving, as he shall deem expedient and edifying.

ARTICLE II.

Name and Composition of Synod.

1. The Synod shall be called "THE SYNOD OF THE DIOCESE OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

2. The Synod shall consist of the Bishop, the Licensed Clergy of the Diocese, the Diocesan Officials,—viz., the Chancellor, the Registrar, the Legal Assessor, the Diocesan Treasurer, elected by the Synod, who shall sit ex-officio,—and the Lay Delegates qualified and elected as hereinafter provided. The Diocesan officials as such shall in all Synod proceedings have the same rights of speaking and voting as Lay Delegates.