rescind, to be brought forward at the beginning of next Sederunt. Concluded with prayer.

FIFTEENTH SEDERUNT.

Same Day and Place, 7\; o'clock, P. M.

The Synod met, and after praise was constituted by the Moderator, Devotional exwhen one half-hour was occupied in devotional exercises, the Rev. Mr. Baxter following the Moderator in prayer, with the singing of praise.

The minutes of last sederunt were read, when Mr. McCulloch moved that the resolution passed at the close of last sederunt, altering the time of opening the Seminary be rescinded. The motion being carried, the recommendation of the committee was adopted, that for reasons already recorded, no change be made for the present.

Rev. Professor Ross read the second part of the Correspondence con- Letter to U. P. ducted by Professor King and himself with the Parent Churches, being a letter addressed to the Synod of the United Presbyterian Church, in which besides the grateful acknowledgement of past aid and counsel, full information was afforded respecting the Union of 1860, and the resources of the United Church.

The Report was received, the diligence of the committee approved. Title Deeds The Convener of the committee on title deeds having informed the Synod that the Act had not been received, was directed to publish it when received with explanations. The Synod adjourned, closing with prayer.

SIXTEENTH SEDERUNT.

Same Place, July 2nd, 1862, 9 o'clock, A. M.

The Synod met, and was constituted by the Moderator, after praise and the reading of the Word, when the minutes of last sederunt were read.

On motion of Rev. Mr. McKnight, it was agreed, 1st.—That the Theo-Resolution on logical Hall with the Institutions formerly known as the Free Church Academy, as well as the curriculum of arts, be placed under the superin-2.—That the designation of the Board be modified tendance of the Board. so as to read, "The Board of Superintendance of the Educational Instituions of the Synod." 3 .- That the Rev. P. G. McGregor, Rev. J. McLean, and Messrs. A. James, J. H. Liddell and J. S. McLean be added to the Board.

Agreed that the appeal of Mr. and Mrs. John Fraser be taken up in Appeal caso the afternoon, and parties notified.

Resumed the question of constituent members of Church Courts. Dis- Constituent cussion occurred on the general question, when Mr. McCulloch moved that the whole question be sent down to Presbyteries and Sessions for further consideration.

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Mr. Baxter having withdrawn his motion in favour of Mr. McCulloch's, the question was taken, when the motion of Rev. Mr. Patterson, recorded in the minute of the 11th sederunt, passed by a large majority.

The Rev. James Rayne read the report of the committee, appointed to Report of Com.