



## DISPUTED LEGACY

Melksham

Disputed Piece Of Land

The next case was between a brother and a sister, and the dispute over 30 perches of garden land. Mr. Goldney, (instructed by Mr. Keary, of Swindon) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Eldin, (instructed by Mr. Rawlings), for defendant.

It seems that John Spires, died in 1865, leaving some property to his son and daughter, Isaac Spires and Harriett Bigwood.

The dispute was upon the wording of the will, and the land in dispute about 20 perches.

The judge decided that the land belonged to the daughter.

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