
BLAIRGOWRIE FEUING DISPUTE.

Lord Kincairney, in the Court of Session yesterday, closed the record in an action by Jas. Mitchell M'Donald, farmer, Wilton, Blairgowrie, against John Craig, sometime overseer at Erich Linen Works, now residing at William Street, Blairgowrie, and others, the trustees for the Independent or Congregational Church at Blairgowrie. The pursuer seeks declarator of a right of property in upwards of an acre of ground which formed part of the muir or commonry of Blairgowrie before its division. In 1870 the Bailie and Council of the Barony of Blairgowrie conveyed to the defenders the plot of ground immediately to the south of the plot allocated to the Free Church. The pursuer purchased ground adjoining in 1893, and he maintained that the portion disposed to the defenders is included in his feu, according to the measurements contained in his disposition. The existence of this conveyance of 1870 was unknown to the pursuer until it was produced in a litigation in the Sheriff Court in Perth, in which the defenders maintain that the pursuer has encroached upon their property. The defenders maintain that the plot of ground conveyed to them is described specifically as bounded on the one side by the Free Church property and on another by the turnpike road. They have, they say, possessed their subjects without interruption for more than forty years, and they deny the pursuer's right to them.
