

LOCAL NEWS

TO ADVERTISERS

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STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

The Presbyterians of Hanwell are holding a Strawberry Festival on Monday, July 10th. Supper will be served for the small sum of 40 cents.

HAD GOOD LUCK

Mr. Henry Braithwaite, the veteran guide, returned today from an extended trip to the Miramichi woods. He has been trapping bears and reports having had very good luck.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY

The funeral of the late Harry A. Blizard took place from his late residence Victoria Mills, yesterday afternoon. Interment was made at Forest Hill Cemetery, the service being conducted by Rev. Canon Cowie.

UNIQUE TODAY

Lost and Won (Selig), Resurrection of John (Edison), The Crooked Path (Biograph). Last appearance of Kin-kaid the juggler. Thursday pictures of the Coronation King George V, the second city in Canada to show this great event.

SURVEY OF RIVER

Mr. C. McN. Steeves of the St. John office of the Dominion Public Works Department is in the city. He is engaged on a survey of the St. John River in front of the city preparatory to having the channel dredged and bars removed.

HAD GOOD SPORT

Messrs. James S. Neill and R. B. Hanson returned today from an enjoyable fishing trip to the Southwest Miramichi. They killed seven trout, salmon and grise which is a pretty good record. Mr. Neill reports a good run of salmon in the Miramichi this season.

A. O. H. EXCURSION

The A. O. H. excursionists had a good time in Calais yesterday, although they say that the heat was something terrific. The special train by which they travelled did not reach home until three o'clock this morning. The excursion was well managed and was a financial success.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

The 71 regiment band will hold a moonlight excursion on Friday evening. The Steamer Majestic has been engaged and will leave her wharf about eight o'clock returning about midnight. This will be a splendid opportunity to enjoy an outing at small cost. The tickets will be 40 and 25 cents.

DUFFY-CANNEY

Capt. Fred Duffy of the tug Latonia was married at St. Anthony's church this morning to Miss Annie Canney of Gibson. Rev. Father Ryan tied the nuptial knot in the presence of a number of friends. The genial captain and his bride have the best wishes of their friends for future happiness.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS.

Saturday's Canada Gazette contains the following militia appointments:

28th New Brunswick Dragoons—To be provisional major, on organization The Honourable Thomas Ashburnham 31st March, 1911.

To be provisional Lieutenant: John Kinball Scammell, gentleman. 12th April, 1911.

LATE MRS MARY HAINES

The death of Mrs Mary Haines took place at her home in this city Monday morning at eleven o'clock after a lengthy illness. The deceased was fifty-five years of age and is survived by her mother an aged lady 89 years old and by four sons, Frank of Presque Isle, and James, Ralph and Bliss of this city. The remains were taken to Smith's Corner this morning where interment was made. Rev. J. J. Colter conducted the funeral service.

MR. CROCKET KEPT BUSY

Mr. O. S. Crockett is having a busy time of it this week explaining his attitude on the reciprocity question to Tory members of the Municipal Council. He has been frequently called on to explain his statement that that sheep are worth more in New Brunswick than in the United States. Carson of Dumfries says that Americans come to his parish every year and purchase lambs, and he does not think they would do this if the price was higher in New Brunswick than in the United States. He did not think that Mr. Crockett made the statement attributed to him, and if he did make it, he was certainly mistaken.

Mr. George F. Bissett of St. John, is in the city.

FINANCE COMMITTEE
TO CONSIDER SMITH
BROTHERS' PETITION

M. Tennant Makes Application For City Treasurership--New Street Lamps to be Obtained.

The City Council met in regular monthly session last night. The business before the council was largely routine and the session was short. An application for the office of City Treasurer was received from M. Tennant. George H. Winters was appointed pound-keeper. As was expected the petition of the Smith Brothers of the New Brunswick Foundry praying for tax-exemption and free water for a period of fifteen years was referred to the Finance Committee to report back. Ald. Guthrie and Ald. Hooper favored the immediate granting of the prayer of the petition. Other aldermen were in favor of granting the concessions but advised reference to the Finance Committee. Ald. Kitchen reported that twelve new street lamps had been purchased and would be installed as soon as possible.

Those present were Mayor Thomas, Ald. Hooper, Ald. Guthrie, Ald. Moore, Ald. Wilkinson, Ald. Jewett, Ald. Farrell, Ald. Colter, Ald. Kitchen.

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read by the City Clerk.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

The auditor's report for the month was passed as follows:

Roads and Streets.....	\$1201.92
Public Works.....	529.08
City Hall.....	128.11
Permanent Streets.....	630.00
Contingent.....	296.38
Fire.....	114.02
Municipal Home.....	26.00
Markets.....	15.38
Wharves.....	5.40
Old Burying Ground.....	22.24
Administration of Justice.....	139.88
Street Lighting.....	220.82
Sewerage expenses.....	37.23
Sewerage, House connections	205.32
Water.....	1358.72

MUNICIPAL HOME

Ald. Jewett reported on behalf of the Municipal Home committee. He reported balance on hand of \$54.00 and on his motion a cheque for \$200 was ordered to issue in favor of Commissioner Boone.

The usual monthly salaries and allowances were voted.

TAX COLLECTIONS

Ald. Calder reported that tax collections in June 1910 and 1911 were as follows:

June, 1910.....	\$1029.26
June, 1911.....	1054.86

On Ald. Jewett's recommendation a cheque for \$115.00 was ordered to issue in favor of Wm. McKnight for work on the streets and a cheque for \$18.85 for Wm. Cott for similar work.

STREET LIGHTING

Ald. Kitchen presented a petition for an electric street lamp to be placed at the corner of Campbell and Westmorland Streets. The petition was received.

Complaints were made of defective lights at the corner of George and St. John streets, Grey Street and Waterloo Row and Westmorland and Brunswick Streets.

Ald. Kitchen explained that a dozen new lamps had been ordered and would be used to replace defective lamps.

On the motion of Ald. Farrell, Geo. H. Winter was appointed pound-keeper.

An application from M. Tennant for the office of City Treasurer was received.

An application of A. H. VanWart to erect two small piers on the low-water wharf at the rear of his coal-warehouse on Campbell Street was referred to the Wharf Committee to report back.

Chief Assessor A. A. Sterling applied for a substantial increase in salary. The application was referred to the Contingent Committee.

SMITH BROTHERS' PETITION

A petition from Smith Brothers of the New Brunswick Foundry and Machine Shop praying for aid from the city in the re-establishment of their plant in this city was received.

Ald. Guthrie stated that the request was moderate and he was perfectly willing to grant the concessions of exemption from taxation and water rates. Fredericton should endeavor to keep all the industries the city had. He moved that the prayer of the petition be granted.

Ald. Farrell moved, seconded by Ald. Kitchen that the petition be referred to the Finance Committee.

Ald. Hooper was of the same mind as Ald. Guthrie.

Ald. Kitchen and Ald. Calder desired to have the Finance Committee deal with the matter. They did not doubt that that committee would consider the request of the Messrs. Smith favorable.

Ald. Guthrie withdrew his motion which had become an amendment and the motion was carried.

The council then adjourned.

CATHEDRAL
SERVICES WILL BE
HELD IN AULD KIRK

Next Sunday Parish Church Will Be Used by Cathedral Congregation--Messages of Sympathy.

The congregation of Christchurch Cathedral, whose place of worship was so damaged by fire early Tuesday morning that it will not be possible to use it for some months at least, will on Sunday morning next attend Holy Communion at Christchurch Parish Church, Westmorland street, the use of that building having been offered and accepted. If it is found impossible to make speedy temporary repairs to the Cathedral so as to permit of occupancy, the congregation will attend service at the Auld Kirk, York street, after Sunday next until further notice. On Sunday evening the congregations of the Cathedral and the parish church will unite in service at the parish church.

SIDESMEN MEET.

The sidesmen of the Cathral met with Very Rev. Dean Schofield yesterday afternoon to make arrangements made necessary by the fire. They expressed their willingness to support any efforts which may be made by the Cathedral Chapter. Communications were received from Rev. Dr. J. H. MacDonald and the trustees of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, offering to the Cathedral congregation the use of the Brunswick Street Baptist church and the Auld Kirk respectively. Resolutions of thanks for both kind offers were passed.

This morning Very Rev. Dean Schofield went to St. John, where he will interview several members of the Cathedral Chapter. Tomorrow he will report to the executive committee of the diocese. The underwriters' representatives, Messrs. C. E. L. Jarvis and Edgar H. Fairweather, of St. John, are expected to appraise the loss at the Cathedral tomorrow.

MANY MESSAGES.

The burning of the Christchurch Cathedral has caused a flood of letters and telegrams of condolence and sympathy from friends of the congregation in all parts of the Dominion.

This morning another alarm for fire in the ruins was sounded. Chief Rutter states the alarm was unnecessary and that the fire department is watching the building closely.

Mr. Chas. H. Gilmour of Oromocto is at the Queen.



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LEO NEALIS OF
ROYAL ROAD DROWNED
AT SALMON RIVER

Seized by Cramp While Bathing--Companions Could Not Help Him--Funeral Here Tomorrow.

Leo Nealis a well known young man whose family resides at Royal Road met a tragic death by drowning at Salmon River near Grand Falls last evening. The young man was employed by the Willard Kitchen Company on the construction of the Salmon River viaduct and has been in the employ of that company for about two years. Last evening after the day's work was over he with a number of companions went bathing in the river the heat of the day having been intense. While some distance from his companions Nealis was seized with a cramp and drowned before help could reach him.

BRIGHT YOUNG MAN

The deceased was a son of Mr. William Nealis of Royal Road and was twenty-four years of age. Seven brothers and four sisters survive. The young man had been very successful in railway construction work and gave promise of a bright career.

FUNERAL TOMORROW

The body was recovered last night and will arrive here at eight o'clock tonight. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning from the home of his father Royal Road, High Mass of Requiem will be celebrated at St. Anthony's Church at ten o'clock. Interment will be made at the Hermitage.

Mr. G. Dalmore of Montreal, is at the Queen.

Mr. Percy Gunn is registered at the Barker House.

DENIED STATEMENT.

At last night's meeting of the City Council Ald. Farrell called attention to the statement made in an account of the Cathedral fire to the effect that the firemen were "helpless" and that the water pressure was affected. The alderman characterized the statement as false, saying that the pressure increased from 40 to 70 pounds three minutes after the pumping station was notified and that at 12.50 it was 85 pounds. Ald. Hooper spoke in a similar manner. Ald. Farrell explained later that the correspondent of the paper mentioned had not been responsible for the erroneous statement.

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