



# CORONERS INQUESTS



## **Inquest on Frederick Smith**

An Inquest was held by Mr. Coroner Whitmarsh on Saturday last at Stratton St. Margaret, on the body of Frederick, Thomas Walter Smith, between three and four years old, who was found drowned in the Wilts & Berks Canal adjoining the cottage of the parents

Verdict - "Accidental death".

**North Wilts Herald, Saturday, 8 July 1871**

The following inquests were held before Mr. Coroner Whitmarsh:- At Stratton St. Margaret, on the body of Frederick, son of Thomas Walter Smith, who was found drowned in the Wilts and Berks canal.

Verdict "Accidental Death"

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