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### A DOUBLE DROWNING

Mr. J. B. Torrance and His Wife the Victims.

WENT OUT IN A SAILING CANOE.

A Squall Came Up, the Canoe Was Epped and the Young Pair Lost Their Lives in Sparrow Lake—Framing Career Cut Short—Bodies Found.

Toronto, Sept. 28.—A despatch from Gravenhurst on Saturday told of the drowning in Sparrow Lake of Mr. J. B. Torrance, a prominent citizen of this city, and his wife. The young couple left Kilmoryn on Friday afternoon in a sailing canoe to visit at Mr. Clapham's, across Sparrow Lake.

They had not gone far from the shore when a sudden squall came up and the canoe capsized, both being drowned as described. The canoe was found next morning in the lake, and the bodies of Mr. Torrance and his wife were recovered. As soon as the fatality was reported Mr. Torrance and his wife left their home in Gravenhurst on Friday afternoon in a sailing canoe to visit at Mr. Clapham's, across Sparrow Lake.

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MRS. TORRANCE'S BODY FOUND. Several bridges, Ont., Sept. 27.—The body of Mrs. Torrance, the wife of Mr. J. B. Torrance, was found at 9 o'clock this morning in Sparrow Lake, near Gravenhurst. The body was found in a canoe bottom upwards, and on examination it was identified as the body of Mrs. Torrance.

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### AGGRESSIVE RUSSIA.

Working in the Far East Against Great Britain.

FORTIFICATION OF PORT ARTHUR

Is Being Carried on by China Under the Supervision of Russian Engineers—A Coal Station for the Carr's Ship: Plotting of Khabarov Against England.

New York, Sept. 27.—Mr. H. B. Chamberlain cables from London to The Sun: The events of the week offer a strong contrast of the general statement of the European situation, which, doubtless, reached New York for simultaneous publication with this despatch. Russia's vast power for her aggrandizement at the expense of Great Britain are still unchecked, save at one point: she is rapidly pushing her designs in the Far East. She has sent a squadron to Shanghai, which is decidedly greater than the British naval force in the Pacific, China is rapidly repairing the docks and workshops at Port Arthur and storing vast quantities of coal there, in the Chinese harbor, under the supervision of Russian engineers. No one longer doubts that Port Arthur will be the winter base of Russian naval operations, as soon as Vladivostok is frozen in. The single point where there is a possibility of the disturbance of Russia's position in the Far East is Korea. There are at least some signs that the Japanese are playing the Russian game to their own personal advantage. The Russian people, who are as Russian as the Japanese, are not so easily deceived. The leader of the diplomatic and colonial party in the Chamberlain cabinet, Lord Salisbury, is being dragged ruthlessly into the game by the Russian government. The Russian government is being dragged ruthlessly into the game by the Russian government. The Russian government is being dragged ruthlessly into the game by the Russian government.

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### IVORY WAS THE DUP.

French, Haines and Kearney Made Him the Sucker and He Will Probably Undergo Penal Servitude.

New York, Sept. 27.—Mr. Isaac N. Ford cables from London to The Tribune: The slow-street investigation, while unfinished, suffices to prove that the dynamite conspirators had no intention of exposing themselves to danger by handling their explosives. They expected to find some agent obliging enough to make use of dynamite bombs, while they themselves remained safe in retirement, drinking cocktails. The evidence indicates that Bell was sent to Glasgow on a secret mission for an amateur bomb-thrower, and that he failed to find one. He can be punished under the Explosives Act for his part in the conspiracy, but Kearney and Haines cannot be extradited until that matter is settled. France will have to deal with him if there be any proof that he is concerned in a plot against the Chair, but no satisfactory evidence of this has been published.

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