

**Herald (Melbourne, Vic. : 1861 - 1954), Thursday 23 June 1932, page 17****TRIPLE DROWNING****Developments Likely In  
Sunshine Case**

Important developments are likely within the next few days in the police investigations into the triple drowning tragedy at Sunshine on Sunday, June 12.

The victims of the tragedy were Mrs Ivy Jessie Letitia Russell, 27, of Maidstone, and her sons, Harold George, three years and Eric, 18 months. Their bodies were found in the Sunshine swimming pool after the discovery of clothing on the bank.

One report which the police are investigating is that a man was seen by persons at Sunshine on the Ballarat Road, about half a mile from the pool, on the Saturday night before the discovery of the clothing on the bank.

The police brief for the inquest on the victims of the tragedy is not yet complete.

On June 16, Harold James Russell, 36, mechanic, of Cowper Street, Footscray, was arrested on a charge of having, on May 5, 1932, at Fitzroy, being married to Letitia Heffer (Mrs Russell's maiden name), gone through the form of marriage with Alma Davey, his wife being still alive. Russell was remanded by the City Court until tomorrow, when the police will ask for a further remand.

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