

## 1: Death in the Ice: The Mystery of the Franklin Expedition [Opens December 1, ] | Mystic Seaport

*Unlocking the mystery. In the years immediately following the expedition, when no word from the crew was received, the British government made efforts to locate the men, offering rewards for information about their whereabouts or their discovery. The first mission dispatched to search for the Franklin expedition set off in The mission failed.*

The British decided to send a well-equipped Arctic expedition to complete the charting of the Northwest Passage. Franklin was given command on 7 February , and received official instructions on 5 May These included steam engines from the London and Greenwich Railway that enabled the ships to make 4 knots 7. Unfortunately, the latter was supplied from a cut-rate provisioner who was awarded the contract a few months before the ships were to sail. Additionally, the water distillation system may have used lead piping and lead-soldered joints, which would have produced drinking water with a high lead content. The ships travelled north to Aberdeen and the Orkney Isles for supplies. After misjudging the location of Whitefish Bay on Disko Island , the expedition backtracked and finally harboured in that far north outpost to prepare for the rest of their voyage. It is now believed that the expedition wintered on Beechey Island in “ According to a note later found on that island, Franklin died there on 11 June To date, the exact location of his grave is unknown. Eventually, more ships and men were lost looking for Franklin than in the expedition itself. He was told both ships had become icebound, and the men had tried to reach safety on foot but had succumbed to cold, and some had resorted to cannibalism. A quote from the British newspaper The Guardian states: He believes both ships drifted southwards, with at least two crew remaining until the final destruction of their vessels. One broke up, but Inuit hunters arriving at their summer hunting grounds reported discovering another ship floating in fresh ice in a cove. The ship, probably the Terror, was very neat and orderly, but the Inuit descended into the darkness of the hull with their seal-oil lamps, where they found a tall dead man in an inner cabin. Hauntingly, they also reported that one of the masts was on fire. A statue of Franklin in his home town bears the inscription: In , a special service of Thanksgiving was held in the chapel at the Royal Naval College to accompany the rededication of the national monument to Sir John Franklin. Archaeologists believe the Terror must have been crewed and sailed to its new location, as the anchor was used and it has sailed through a maze of islands and channels. The wrecks are designated as National Historic Sites of Canada, with the precise location of the designation in abeyance. The Life of Sir John Franklin. Beattie, Owen, and Geiger, John Unlocking the Secrets of the Franklin Expedition. Western Producer Prairie Books.

### 2: The mystery of Missy Franklin | The Daily Californian

*The Franklin Mystery: Life and Death in the Arctic, gives you what you need - the real historical evidence left over from those terrible events - to find out why. The disappearance of Franklin's Arctic Expedition immediately sparked one of the most extensive search efforts in world history.*

Canada then signed a memorandum of understanding with Great Britain in 1906, giving Canada the right to manage, salvage and preserve the British ships, relics and human remains. This is the only Canadian national historic site that, try as they might, tourists cannot visit. No debris field, no ship fragments, no memorial, no relics—only an abstract shape on maps of the Northwest Passage, delimiting a metre radius around a vanishing point. Where and how to put a plaque? And what to inscribe on it? How to control access to the site? Canada Discovers Franklin This newest effort to commemorate the absent Franklin follows a tradition beginning in 1846. The earliest Franklin searches began returning to Britain from the Arctic with detritus from the ill-fated expedition: What is remarkable is how the state-funded Canadian searches for Franklin from onward have incorporated these goals seemingly wholesale. The New North, writes geographer Laurence Smith in his book by that name, describes the rapidly changing circumpolar north as it transforms water-rich and energy-rich Arctic countries like Canada into emerging global powerhouses. For the Harper government, this has meant focusing on hydrocarbon development and a militarized approach to Arctic sovereignty and security. There is great potential commercial value in disaster relics, as recent interest in the auction of Titanic relics suggests. Unusually, Project Franklin was a military exercise initiated and designed by a private citizen, an Ontario insurance broker and Franklin enthusiast named William MacKenzie. Written by Paul Fenimore Cooper grandson of novelist James Fenimore Cooper, Island of the Lost excised the revelations of British cannibalism that had been prominent in Victorian accounts and introduced a new generation of Canadians to a sanitized version of Franklin, hero of the True North. It was this recently constructed and uncontroversial Franklin that would be overturned in the 1990s. The best-known searches, led by forensic anthropologist Owen Beattie, resulted in the publication of Frozen in Time: The current searches for Franklin operate in a different climate. The Franklin search has unexamined connections to pressing issues in Arctic sovereignty, heritage and energy exploration, which will play a role in any commemorative effort. Specifically, Erebus and Terror may play a symbolic role in affirming the status of the Northwest Passage as a historic internal waterway. Under the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea, Canada maintains that the passage is a historic internal waterway, while the United States and other countries argue that it is an international strait, allowing foreign ships right of transit passage. Moreover, this sovereignty was never based on historic claims that is, claims made by British explorers such as Franklin to actual waterways, and is instead best defended by the enforcement of straight baselines only established in 1908, after the crossing of the U.S. This school of thought has long argued for pragmatic, use-it-or-lose-it approaches to enforcing these contentious Arctic baselines, measures that have begun to be implemented by the Harper government 1. More valuable than as a physical monument to historic waters, an Erebus—Terror historic site could play a practical role as a World Heritage Site. Locating an underwater archaeological site of such international cultural significance as Erebus and Terror could elevate the currently absent national site to a World Heritage Site. This would grant Canada greater international and moral authority in regulating access through the passage. In addition, Canada recently proposed designating the entrance to the passage, Lancaster Sound, a National Marine Conservation Area, a further measure designed to help regulate maritime traffic. As a World Heritage Site, Erebus and Terror could play a role in helping limit offshore energy exploration, in the immediate environmentally and culturally significant zone. As such, the site may be particularly valuable in allowing Nunavut residents more say in energy exploration licensing, currently booming on land in the Kitikmeot region of Nunavut, which includes the Erebus-Terror area, but more controversial offshore where exploration licences exist but no drilling has begun. This policy is increasingly difficult to enforce, however, when states might value energy extraction above the economic and environmental benefits conferred by World Heritage Site inscription. As a result, such sites have been threatened with delisting by UNESCO, as has already happened in similar cases where oil drilling was

licensed. Norway faced a similar dilemma in 1992, when it weighed the benefits of nominating the Lofoten Islands as a World Heritage Site versus opening them up to oil drilling. As a World Heritage Site, the islands are predicted by some to attract as many as 50 percent more visitors. The complexities of Norwegian coalition politics postponed the question of drilling in Lofoten until 1995. Given the strength of big oil in Norway, the tourism value of this marine site is increasingly overshadowed by its hydrocarbon value. But using the site to resist drilling would be an ironic outcome, because the current Franklin search, like those of the 20th and 19th centuries, is connected to and partly financed by energy interests. Precious minerals and energy were always top of the list of potential economic resources that Europeans like Franklin were directed to assess. Returning with Anglo-European knowledge or ignorance of the resources of these distant lands, explorers like Franklin made possible our 21st-century understanding of the Arctic as an energy frontier. Regulating the Energy Frontier There are further complications. Clearly the pastime of amateur Franklin relic hunting is officially at an end. ProCom had intended searching for Franklin in the same region as Parks Canada planned to search in 1995, as had a second private search also turned down for a permit in 1995. Franklin enthusiasts complained that the government was protecting its own search and going against years of tradition in private Franklin relic hunting. It probably was, and with good reason. Since the 1990s, searching for Franklin has become the domain of big science, and with big science big oil is not far behind. The Breadalbane search combined academic and private sponsors, including two diving companies working with the petroleum industry. The Breadalbane precedent showed a close partnership of Franklin heritage with oil and gas exploration interests, something we should expect to see with Erebus and Terror. Franklin and Inuit heritage We can expect that an Erebus-Terror historic site will reflect the new ethnically inclusive national narrative guiding the Historic Sites and Monuments Board. It also could be neatly folded into the Northern Strategy, by highlighting Inuit collaboration with Anglo-European searches, and the evolving significance of Franklin for Nunavummiut. These reassessments coincided with a major change taking place in Canadian heritage culture. There is a danger that the current drive toward inclusiveness, while a welcome change from Victorian Anglocentrism, can function as a new form of appropriation. If Erebus and Terror similarly are to serve an inclusive Northern Strategy, it too must do more than comply with the requirement to consult with Inuit communities, and take shape with substantial Inuit input and more significant benefits to local people. How a site devoted to a failed British expedition, whose architects sought to demonstrate the superiority of British science over Inuit knowledge, will accommodate the complex entanglement of Inuit communities, on the one hand, and national interests on questions of Canadian Arctic sovereignty, on the other, will be the most interesting aspect of any Franklin discovery. Aware of the uncomfortable emptiness of the two-decade-old Erebus-Terror National Historic Site, Canada is no longer merely searching for the missing ships: The difference between a lost ship and an undiscovered national historic site is significant. A lost ship is a material object, although it may be dispersed into so many pieces as to be undetectable; its fragmentary contents are meaningless without the multiple frameworks for making sense of them that have emerged over years. But what will finding the ships reveal about the Franklin disaster? The Victorian Franklin searchers first encountering the debris, entangled with exposed and mutilated remains on King William Island, were shocked by the disorder and destruction. Their letters were filled with grief and disbelief as the mass media debated the mounting evidence of cannibalism. Their struggle to accommodate both these terrible truths and a need to remember these men as heroes remains moving and instructive. Tragic heroes, bumbling fools, imperial villains, hungry Qallunaat white people, in Inuktitut — different generations have imagined and remembered the Franklin expedition through distinct vantage points. Terror and destruction are the elements most at risk of being elided because they lack an immediate institutional purpose, and in fact undermine the often devotional value that the present places on the past. Want to share your thoughts? We welcome letters, which we reserve the right to publish after editing for length, clarity and accuracy. These measures include extending environmental regulation, expanding search and rescue capability, commissioning new ice-strengthened ships, expanding the Canadian Rangers, commissioning the Canadian High Arctic Research Station and two new military sites and requiring foreign ships passing through the Northwest Passage to register with NORDREG. She has published widely on the history of Arctic exploration and is the author of *Writing Arctic Disaster: Authorship and Exploration*

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### 3: Hardy Boys the Mystery of the Spiral Bridge by Franklin W. Dixon | [www.enganchecubano.com](http://www.enganchecubano.com)

*Death in the Ice: The Mystery of the Franklin Expedition December 1, April, 28, Collins Gallery. In , Sir John Franklin led the Royal Navy's sturdiest two ships into the Arctic to great international acclaim. His mission: to discover a Northwest Passage to Asia. Franklin and his crew of men were never heard from again.*

Earning a spot on Team USA is an achievement of a lifetime, an accomplishment few will ever get and even fewer will repeat. The disappointment Franklin sees in herself is a result of her Phelps-like performances at a mere 16 years old. At the World Aquatics Championship, Franklin broke into the international scene. Before she turned 19, Franklin had 13 international gold, one silver and two bronze medals. Considering her early success, the decision was questionable. But the choice ultimately made sense. Despite the NCAA regulations on practice time, many athletes show incredible growth and development with collegiate programs. Franklin, a backstroke and freestyle specialist, was joining a staff and a program at Cal that helped develop Natalie Coughlin and many other elite backstroke and freestyle specialists. By the summer of , nothing appeared inherently wrong with Franklin. Her performances seemed fairly run-of-the-mill by her standards. At the qualifying meet for the Pan Pacific Swimming Championship and World Championship, Franklin had four top-two finishes in her usual races. Several weeks later, she had severe back spasms, days before the Pan Pacific Championship started. From then on, she struggled. Although she added three international gold, three silver and three bronze medals in two summers, Franklin was noticeably off. She was way off her best times, and the world was catching up. After turning professional, Franklin went back home, which was viewed as a smart decision. She had more international success while training in Colorado. Questions swirl as to whether the struggle of balancing swimming as both a career and lifestyle was too difficult for Franklin. With a reasonable peak, Franklin hitting career-best times this summer was plausible. Only time can tell, however. More importantly, Franklin needs to find her spark again. In the past, Franklin had incredible speed and size to out-race her competitors, which compensated for her poor starts and turns. Franklin still has good "if not great" above-water speed, but her starts and turns have worsened. Olympic Trials were pretty revealing of the staggering young talent that will be swimming in upcoming years. Franklin needs to find more internal grit and tenacity. When she placed second in the meter freestyle, Franklin swam a gutsy race, which was enough proof that she has what it takes to stick around in the sport. Franklin is planning to return to UC Berkeley for now. But for Franklin, this is a good move. As the focus of swimming for the Bears moves into short-course in the coming months, Franklin will have more opportunity to develop a turn that can help establish a quick race tempo by generating momentum and accelerating better. For now, Franklin will take the customary break from the pool but needs to find her rhythm in preparation for a challenging four years to come.

### 4: The Daughter of Time (The Franklin Library of Mystery Masterpieces)

*Franklin Mystery Imitation Leather - January 1, , by Wilkie Collins (Author), Series: The Franklin Library of Mystery Masterpieces Imitation Leather Publisher: Franklin Mystery (January 1 The Moonstone).*

There, the captains of two whaling ships, the Prince of Wales and the Enterprise, saw the crew while waiting for favourable conditions to cross Lancaster Sound. This was the last time they were ever seen. What happened next is as horrifying as it is legendary. The crews of the Erebus and Terror spent the winter of 1845 on Beechey Island, where three crew members died and were buried. Things would only get worse from there. In September, the ships got stuck in ice off the coast of King William Island, where they remained for the winter and spring of 1846. By June, Sir John Franklin was dead. The remaining crew, now captained by Francis Crozier, spent the rest of the winter stuck in the ice, unable to continue their voyage. By April, the Erebus and the Terror were abandoned and the remaining crew set off on foot for the mainland. All the men perished along the way, and it would be years before anyone would learn of their fate. Unlocking the mystery In the years immediately following the expedition, when no word from the crew was received, the British government made efforts to locate the men, offering rewards for information about their whereabouts or their discovery. The first mission dispatched to search for the Franklin expedition set off in 1847. No sign of the lost men emerged until 1848, with the discovery of their winter camp at Cape Riley and the graves of the men who died during the first winter on Beechey Island. After speaking with a number of other Inuit people from the area, Rae was able to identify the Back River as the likely site of the sighting. During this voyage, Rae acquired a number of relics belonging to the lost expedition, including inscribed silverware. Relics of the Franklin expedition, ca. 1845-1846. RCMP patrols, intrepid travellers and archeologists attempted to uncover the fate of the men and to locate the abandoned ships. Graves, skulls and countless artifacts were located, but the ships remained hidden. Working more closely with Inuit historians and local communities, these efforts would soon pay off. Locating this ship, which had eluded so many experts for so many years, was made possible largely because of the oral histories known to historian Louie Kamookak. Almost exactly two years later, the wreckage of the HMS Terror was located, thanks in large part to Sammy Kogvik, an Inuit hunter and Canadian ranger who joined the crew of the Arctic Research Foundation that lead search and recovery efforts. Without the assistance and knowledge of local Inuit communities, it is quite possible that the abandoned ships might never have been located. Find out more Library and Archives Canada holds a number of archival records relating to the search for the lost expedition, including journals kept by Francis McClintock during his four Arctic expeditions in search of Sir John Franklin between 1845 and 1846.

### 5: The Mystery of Franklin's Lost Ships - Arctic Travel News

*While Franklin's high profile in popular culture is no mystery, the presence of his absent ships in 21st-century Arctic geopolitics is a curiosity: his missing ships now appear on modern maps of the Northwest Passage.*

Officers and crewmembers mailed their last letters home. July 29 or 31, This was the last time the ships and their crews were seen by Europeans. Winter to The expedition spent its first winter in the Arctic off Beechey Island. Three members of the crew died, and were buried on Beechey Island. The expedition headed south into Peel Sound. September to Spring The ships were beset "surrounded and stuck in ice" northwest of King William Island. Sir John Franklin died. He was 61 years old and had served in the Royal Navy for 47 years. The expedition had been stuck off of King William Island for over a year and a half. Fearing they would never escape, the men deserted the ships. The men landed on King William Island. Nine officers and 15 seamen had already died. There were survivors. Officers left a note stating their plan to trek to the Back River. The Admiralty announce that its officers and men will be declared dead as of March 31, More than 30 expeditions sailed, steamed or sledged into the Arctic from the east, west and south. Very few found any trace of the expedition. An important clue is found on an island in Wilmot and Crampton Bay: Parks Canada refocuses its efforts near that island. Almost two years to the day after the discovery of Erebus, Terror is located in Terror Bay, off the southern coast of King William Island.

### 6: The Franklin Mystery | Literary Review of Canada

*The new Thompson Exhibition Building is a state-of-the-art space that will host Death in the Ice: The Mystery of the Franklin Expedition, a major exhibition of one of seafaring's most mysterious tragedies December 1, , through April 28, Mystic Seaport Museum is located one mile south of Exit 90 off I in Mystic, CT.*

November 2, " Mystic Seaport Museum will host a major exhibition opening December 1, , that explores the fate of the Franklin Expedition, a tragic story of Arctic exploration and death and one of the most enduring mysteries of maritime history " a mystery that remains unsolved to this day. Death in the Ice: The artifacts from Erebus " the vessel was discovered under water in " will be on show for the first time in the United States. The exhibition promises to advance our understanding of the expedition and the fate of Franklin and his men. Though much of what happened to the expedition remains a mystery, what we do know is largely thanks to Inuit oral history and underwater archaeology. Franklin and his men were last seen in Baffin Bay in July Two years would pass with nothing heard from the men, prompting the first of a series of expeditions to be sent into the Arctic in an attempt to find them and the reasons why they had not been in touch with the Admiralty or loved ones at home. The exhibition will emphasize the significant role of Inuit in uncovering the fate of the Franklin Expedition, showcasing Inuit oral histories relating to the European exploration of the Arctic Archipelago. Numerous Inuit artifacts, including some incorporating materials of European origin, which were traded from explorers or retrieved from abandoned ships, will also be on display in the exhibition, highlighting the interactions between the search expeditions and the Inuit. Also featured will be the work of Dr. Owen Beattie of the Franklin Expedition Forensic Anthropology Project, who has used forensic techniques to examine human remains recovered from Beechey Island. In conjunction with new research from Parks Canada and the collections of CMH and NMM, the exhibition will further understanding of the expedition and reveal what life was like for the men aboard the ships, explore the Victorian obsession with the Arctic, and seek to answer questions about what exactly may have happened to those men on their fateful journey to chart the Northwest Passage all those years ago. In addition to providing a multitude of immersive experiences, the Museum also houses a collection of more than two million artifacts that include more than historic vessels and one of the largest collections of maritime photography. For more information, please visit [www. Work of the Canadian Museum of History](http://www.workofthecanadianmuseum.com) is made possible in part through financial support of the Government of Canada. Royal Museums Greenwich works to illustrate, for everyone, the importance of the sea, ships, time and the stars, and their relationships to people. Royal Museums Greenwich is also a major center of education and research. Parks Canada Parks Canada manages one of the finest and most extensive systems of protected natural and cultural areas in the world, including 46 national parks, four national marine conservation areas, national historic sites and one national urban park. Government of Nunavut Established in , the Government of Nunavut represents more than 40, Nunavummiut living sparsely on a land nearly two million square kilometers in size. Its activities are based on the principle of respect for the traditional knowledge and wisdom of Inuit Elders. Posted in Press Releases on November 2,

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*Description. Death in the Ice - The Mystery of the Franklin Expedition. By Karen Ryan. February , ISBN pages, 83 images, 15 x 15 cm, paperback.*

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