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**'We got Farah into the bathroom. Myself and Charlie dragged him in by the legs, and me and Charlie cut him up. Charlie started sawing on his arms, with the knife, the knife had a rugged edge on it. She cut into his arms with the knife, she got tired. I then used the hammer and hit his legs a number of times. It took us a few hours to do it. Me and Charlie took turns cutting him and breaking the bones.'**

– LINDA MULHALL

Controversial and compelling, *The Torso in the Canal* reconstructs the horrific killing and dismemberment of Kenyan immigrant Farah Swaleh Noor by sisters Linda and Charlotte Mulhall, dubbed the 'Scissor Sisters' by the media.

John Mooney's comprehensive book on the notorious killing and the subsequent investigation into the discovery of body parts in the Royal Canal explores the circumstances surrounding this terrible crime and the effect it had on those involved.

At the centre of the book are the Mulhall sisters, who are shown to be reprehensible killers, yet emotionally frail and vulnerable women.

*The Torso in the Canal* forms an intriguing and horrific story of grotesque violence and death in modern Ireland. This book is not for the faint-hearted.

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