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118 N. Peal St., 3-story brick dwelling owned by Herman Berger, occupied by Robert Wiggins. Damage slight, cause unknown.
113 N. Peal St., 3-story brick

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dwelling owned by John Tramiello, occupied by William Lockie. Damage considerable, cause, adjacent property.
117 N. Peal St., 3-story brick dwelling owned and occupied by Ethel Pinsocchia. Damage slight, cause unknown.

FRIDAY, JAN. 18

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JoAnn's testimony helped send Ricky to the chair

By E. M. OLIVER

NEW BRUNSWICK — "When you first saw Richard June 21, 1956, after he had returned from the fatal shooting and you administered to his wounds at the Rye residence in Baltimore, (John D. Ryze in the 2200 block Ashburton), you asked him what happened, didn't you?"

Prosecutor Warren Wilentz was questioning Miss Jo Ann Campbell of the 500 block N. Fulton Ave., Baltimore for the state in th murder trial of Richard Larry (Ricky) Hunt, who was accused of murdering his wife, Helen, on the night of June 20.

Jo Ann answered readily: "Yes, I asked him what had happened."

* * *

MISS CAMPBELL, the mother of two children, by Hunt when they lived together as man and wife in Baltimore during his stormy married life, previously testified that Hunt had told her he was going to bring his wife and children back.

"Did he say he knew he shot his wife, Helen?" the prosecutor asked her.

"He said he has shot his wife and he thought he had shot his brother-in-law," Miss Campbell testified.

Did he say where they were when he shot them?" Mr. Wilentz asked her.

"He said when he started shooting they all ran in different directions," Miss Campbell testified.

* * *

"DID YOU ASK Hunt if he saw the baby in the arms?" Mr. Wilentz said.

"Yes, I did," testified Miss Campbell, and he said he didn't remember seeing the baby in her arms."

"When you spoke to Hunt about the episode didn't he say that he had shot Helen and a man?"

Miss Campbell answered: "Yes."

Jo Ann's answers added to those of Dr. J. Brutus Spradley, an Dr. James O'Connell, psychiatrists, helped seal Hunt's doom.

RICKY, HOWEVER, had previously taken the stand in his own defense, and insisted that he did not know he had shot anyone.

Confronted by Wilentz with the murder weapon as he sat in the witness chair, Hunt identified the gun as the one he had used on June 20.

"Is this the gun?"

A—"Yes, sir."

A—"Do you remember pulling it back?"

A—"Yes, sir."

"And then after the misfire, you pulled it back again?"

A—"Yes sir."

Q—"To put another shell in it?"

A—Yes, Sir."

Q—"Do you remember crossing the street to fire again?"

A—"No sir."

Q—"Which direction did you fire?"

A—"I don't remember."

Q—"What do you remember?"

A—"I remember the gun."

Q—"You don't remember seeing your wife running across the street?"

A—"I did not see my wife running."

Q—"Don't you remember telling detectives Bates and Detective Sprisso you fired at her?"

A—"No."

Q—"Didn't you tell Dr. Spradley you fired at your wife seven times?"

A—"No."

(Dr. Spradley, the eminent psychiatrist had examined Hunt Oct. 26, had recorded Hunt's admission: "I shot my wife seven times." Dr. Spradley examined Bruno Hauptman, the executed Lindberg kidnapper, and Herman Goering, famed German czar during the Hitler regime.)

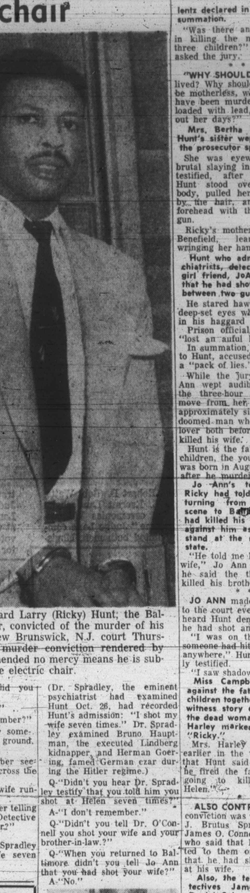
Q—"Didn't you hear Dr. Spradley testify that you told him you shot Helen seven times?"

A—"I don't remember."

Q—"Didn't you tell Dr. O'Connell you shot your wife and your brother-in-law?"

Q—"When you returned to Baltimore didn't you tell Jo Ann that you had shot your wife?"

A—"No."



CLOSEUP of Richard Larry (Ricky) Hunt; the Baltimore truck driver, convicted of the murder of his wife, Helen, in New Brunswick, N.J. court Thursday. First degree murder conviction, without jury which recommended no mercy means he is subject to death in the electric chair.

ALSO CONTRIBUTING to his conviction was testimony by Dr. J. Brutus Spradley and Dr. James O. Connell, psychiatrists, who said that Hunt had admitted to them on the train trip from California that "he killed his wife. Hunt was apprehended there a month after the killing.

Thomas Williams, husband of Helen's sister, Hannah, also testified that he heard Hunt say shortly before he shot his wife: "I'm going to kill you tonight, Helen."

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EQUALLY damaging was the testimony of Officer Francis Johnson, attached to the Northern District Police Station in Baltimore. He testified that he heard Hunt make a threat upon his wife's life last May 28.

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Ricky gets chair

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lents declared in his dramatic summation.

"Was there any justification in killing the mother of his three children?" Mr. Wilentz asked the jury.

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"WHY SHOULD she not have lived? Why should her children be motherless, why should she have been murdered, her body loaded with lead, not to finish out her days?"

Mrs. Bertha Harley, Mrs. Hunt's sister wept bitterly as the prosecutor spoke.

She was eyewitness to the brutal slaying in which it was testified, after the shooting Hunt stood over his wife's body, pulled her head around by the hair, and struck her forehead with the butt of his gun.

Ricky's mother, Mrs. Lillian Benefield, leaned forward, wringing her hands.

Hunt who admitted to psychiatrists, detectives, and his girl friend, JoAnn Campbell, that he had shot his wife, sat between two guards.

He stared hawk-like from his deep-set eyes which have sunk in his haggard and thin face.

Prison officials said he had "lost an awful lot of weight."

In summation, Wilentz turned to Hunt, accused him of telling a "pack of lies."

While the jury was out, Jo Ann wept audibly and during the three-hour wait, did not move from her front-row seat, approximately six feet from the doomed man who had been her lover both before and after he killed his wife.

Hunt is the father of her two children, the youngest of whom was born in August, two months after he murdered his wife.

Jo Ann's testimony that Ricky had told her upon returning from the murder scene to Baltimore; that he had killed his wife was used against him as she took the stand at the request of the state.

"He told me he had shot his wife," Jo Ann testified, "and he said the thought he had killed his brother-in-law."

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JO ANN made this statement to the court even after she had heard Hunt deny that he knew he had shot anyone.

"I was on the ground after someone had hit me. I just didn't know anywhere," Hunt had previously testified.

"I saw shadows like." he said.

Miss Campbell's testimony against the father of her two children together with the eyewitness story of the sister of the dead woman, Mrs. Bertha Harley marked the doom of "Ricky."

Mrs. Harley took the stand earlier in the trial and stated that Hunt said minutes before he fired the fatal shots, "I'm going to kill you tonight, Helen."

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ALSO CONTRIBUTING to his conviction was testimony by Dr. J. Brutus Spradley and Dr. James O. Connell, psychiatrists, who said that Hunt had admitted to them on Oct. 26, 1956, that he had shot seven times at his wife.

Also, the testimony of Detectives James Bates and Daniel Spisso who recounted how Hunt had admitted to them on the train trip from California that "he killed his wife. Hunt was apprehended there a month after the killing.

Thomas Williams, husband of Helen's sister, Hannah, also testified that he heard Hunt say shortly before he shot his wife: "I'm going to kill you tonight, Helen."

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"I asked him if he wanted to see my son and he told me yes. I asked what for and he said he didn't like policemen. I told him you know what's going to happen if you kill a policeman and he said, 'I guess I'll let you live.'"

Special Officer Charles Holloway was describing in North western Police Court Monday how a 27-year-old window cleaner threatened him with a .22 caliber foreign-make revolver early Sunday.

The defendant, Lee Arthur McBride, 700 block E. Eager St., was sentenced to a total of five months in the House of Correction by Magistrate Linwood G. Koger, who found him guilty of pointing the revolver and possessing a deadly weapon.

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MR. McBRIDE pleaded guilty to possessing the weapon but denied pointing it as the special officer.

According to Special Officer Holloway, Mr. McBride and some other men were standing in front of a tavern in the 800 block Druid Hill Ave. He said he told them to leave the corner and all but Mr. McBride complied.

The special officer contended

Here's Ricky's side of wife's killing

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J. — "I put the drop of water, it's the constant drip, drip, drip."

This was the crux of the whole episode, according to Richard (Ricky) Hunt's court-appointed attorney, Joseph H. Edgar Sr., who fought valiantly to obtain a verdict of manslaughter for his client.

According to Hunt, convicted of killing his wife, Helen, she was a victim of constant rebuffs from his wife's prominent New Brunswick sisters, his Baltimore father-in-law, and his wife's stepbrothers.

He testified before the court: "The night of our wedding six years ago I heard Bertha Harley (Helen's oldest sister asks) 'Is that the best she could do?'"

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DURING THE trial, Hunt attempted to verify his man-and-wife relationship with Jo Ann Campbell, by testifying:

"When I came home from Korea at 3 a.m., my wife and I had a happy reunion before we retired, but after we were alone, she stated that her sisters had told her she should not have any more children."

Mr. Edgar in an hour and a half-long 2,000-word hypothetical question summed up Hunt's "frustrations," his "in-law trouble," and suggested it was his "feeling of inferiority" which provoked the murder.

Hunt testified that he once kidnapped his daughter, Pat, because his wife had taken her to her sister's house and he had not seen the child for some time.

He stated that he blacked his wife's eye and then resumed his father-in-law's interference.

"We were arguing. She called names and I did too. We had a habit of doing that," he testified.

"SHE HAD an appointment at the hospital, she was four or five months pregnant, and she wanted to pay the hospital $45. I told her $35 was enough.

"I slapped her face. HEr eye got black. because she had sensitive skin.

"When her father asked me what I did it for I told him I didn't need him to settle our arguments," Hunt testified.

Hunt also testified that he told Jo Ann he was going to **get his wife and children and bring them back to Baltimore.**

Asked what Jo Ann said, he testified:

"Jo Ann knew I was going to take my wife back and she said, 'well, if you're going, go ahead.' "Jo Ann was willing to accept anything," he testified.

He stated that he arrived June 19 in New Brunswick where his wife had been living with her sister since June 3.

"I went to the sisters' houses looking for her, hoping I could see her alone," he testified.

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"ON JUNE 19 at night I slept in the railroad station. I went to the Bible school next morning to see my daughter Pat.

"She put her arms around me and asked me why I had to go, so I decided to stay and not go back to Baltimore," Hunt said.

"I told Pat not to tell anyone I had been there and I went to two movies. I ate at a restaurant and after it was dark I went to Seaman St., the Williams home to see if I could talk to my wife.

"I saw her in the Williams car and they drove to her other sister's house on Baldwin St.

"I went up on the porch and asked if I could talk to my wife.

"Bertha said 'You go away from here before we call the police.' Hunt testified.

"I SAW SPOTS before my eyes and then somebody hit me. I fell down and when I got up and started firing I saw just shadows like," he testified.