

Q And have you talked over your mother's illness with your brothers and sisters?

A Yes, I have - I haven't really talked with Vernon - I asked him to stop by the other week and he didn't stop - he went on by - but I have talked to the others several times, one on the phone and the other at home, and we talked it over with Mother, and she knows what I am doing, and I even talked with her a couple months ago - she spent one night with her brother - just one night - and in that short time she signed a note for him, and she told me last night she didn't even remember signing this.

Q But the family are all familiar with this case, are they not?

A Yes, they are familiar with it and they have been - my brothers are in accord.

Q (The Court) Why would her brother let her sign a note for him if she is in bad shape?

A It was her brother.

Q I said why would her brother--

A Well, he was desperate and just taken advantage of her the way I figure. Like I even told her about it - I said, "Mother, why would you do these things; you do them and don't know why you do them?" And she said, "Well, I don't remember signing anything." But he took it to the bank on Monday morning and tried to have it recognized and there at the bank where she deals they know the situation and they wouldn't honor it.

Q What bank is that?

A Down at Mt. Airy at the F. & M. Bank Branch. And I went down and talked to them down there and all, but she told me last night "I don't remember signing it." I said, "Mother, it could be \$500 or \$5,000."

Q What happened to the note?