Listening 1: Listen to a radio programme about a famous criminal called Ma Barker and her sons. Complete the fact file.

Born:

_____

Real name:

_____

Husband:

_____

Number of sons:

_____

Died:

_____

Listening 2: Listen again. Chose the correct answer, a or b. Sometimes both answers are correct.

1 During her own lifetime, Ma Barker was

- **a** a very well-known criminal.
- **b** the only well-known criminal in the USA.

2 The newspapers printed some stories about Ma Barker which were

- **a** true.
- **b** invented.

3 At school, Ma Barker's sons.

- **a** were not good students.
- **b** behaved well most of the time.

4 George Barker argued with his wife because

- **a** she did not support their sons.
- **b** he did not want their sons to be criminals.

5 In 1935, the police killed

- **a** Ma Barker.
- **b** Ma Barker's son, Fred.

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