

Private Report

ELIZABETH, N. J., POLICE DEPARTMENT

TO Capt. W. Truzack
Division Commander

TIME DATE July 15 1967

Sir,

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At 1:15 pm, this date, received a telephone call from Det. William Millard Intelligence Unit, Directors Office, Newark P.D. He requested that we check With Big Ben's Tavern 154 First in relation to the following information that they received; A former State Assemblyman George Richardson was allegedly attempting to enlist recruits for a planned riot in Newark. This was supposed to have taken place sometime in the beginning of July. The information is that Big Ben chased him out when he learned what was happening.

Det. Hazel assigned to the investigation. His report will be forwarded.

Desk Superior

Submitted by *[Signature]*

CITY OF ELIZABETH, N. J. 07201

DEPARTMENT OF POLICE



Detective William Millard
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TO Det. Capt. Walter Truzaek
Division CommanderTIME 8:00amDATE 7-16-67

Sir:

At approx. 8:15pm, 7-15-67, had a conversation with a Bennie L. Brown, owner of Big Ben's Tavern located on the corner of South Park St. & First St. Elizabeth, N.J., to regards of youths in that area being approached, regarding the possibility of inciting a riot.

Bennie informed me that a party by the name of George Richardson along with a white female companion, name unknown has been into this area trying to recruit youths for the purpose of inciting a riot.

The home address of Bennie L. Brown is at 1303 Baltimora Ave.
Linden, N.J.

This report on orders of Lt. Henry Smolen.

Det. W. Hazel

IS: According to Bennie Brown, this George Richardson had been in his tavern during the month of July, 1967, when he was ejected from the premises by Bennie Brown for attempting to recruit persons to incite a riot, also he has been there on a couple other times, when Bennie the owner was not around.

Det. W. Hazel