

4. JAMES SANDERS

Age- 16

DATE: July 14, 1967

TIME: 4:10 A.M.

PLACE: At or near 77 Jones Street

James Sanders was fatally shot in the back by a Newark police officer who pursued him after observing him and others burglarizing a liquor store at the corner of

Springfield Avenue and Jones Street. Officers pursued him through a vacant lot where Sanders while running turned and threw a bottle at them. After he failed to comply with a command to halt, he was felled by a shotgun blast.

Due to insufficient evidence of any criminal misconduct, the Jury found no cause for indictment.