

Special Report }

SPECIAL BRANCH

1 day of June 19 71

SUBJECT.....

North London Red Circle

1. The following information has been received from a reliable source:

"From 8 pm to 9.45 pm on 25.5.71 a meeting of the North London Red Circle was held at the 'Earl Russell' PH, Pancras Road, N1. It was attended by 20 persons.

Reference to Papers

400/70/50

The main topic of the evening should have been a talk on Palestine by a member of the Palestine Solidarity Campaign, but the speaker did not arrive so a general discussion on the Middle East was held.

There was also a discussion on the Black People's Conference held on 22/23.5.71. The general opinion was that the political level had not been very high and the only speech of any political importance came from a woman in the Black Panther Movement. Despite the great enthusiasm from those present it was considered to have been too ambitious to have used such a large venue as only about 600 people had attended. The lack of discussion and the fact contributions only came from the platform was criticised as was the general reluctance of the black and white people there to mix during the intervals.

The remainder of the meeting was devoted to the general situation in Pakistan and Ceylon - most of which consisted of questions put to Upali COORAY.

The following were among those present:

Upali COORAY

Privacy

Privacy

2. Special Branch references are given in the attached Appendix.

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Sergeant

Submitted:

Jamies  
Chief Inspector


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CHIEF SUPERINTENDENT



APPENDIX to Special Branch report on a North London Red Circle meeting of 25 May 1971:

<b>Privacy</b>	
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