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Brown Sentenced Again in Gun Case

NEW ORLEANS—H. Rap Brown, smiling coolly and telling the white-haired judge, "I'll take care of you," was sentenced yesterday to five years in prison and fined \$2,000 for carrying a rifle on an airplane from New York to Louisiana four years ago.

Brown stood at the lecture with his lawyers as Judge Lansing Mitchell imposed the sentence. It was the third time Mitchell had sentenced Brown on the 1968 conviction on a charge of carrying a gun across state lines while under indictment on a felony charge.

Attorney William Kunstler of New York told the court an immediate appeal had been made to the Fifth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

Brown was ordered sent back to the custody of the state of New York as soon as possible, although the court was presented a request that he be sent to Maryland where he faces charges of arson, rioting and inciting to riot in connection with 1967 civil rights disturbances in Cambridge.