

2 Suspects in Dr. Speer Case Return

Dane County lawmen returned Thursday night from Canada and Utah with two arrested burglary suspects, wanted for questioning about an unsolved Madison murder, and with no suspects from what they called "unsuccessful leads" to locate four young men charged with last year's University of Wisconsin fatal bombing.

The lawmen said they will have reports of investigations today after reporting to Dist. Atty. Gerald C. Nichol who sent them on the trips a week ago.

SHERIFF Vernon (Jack) Leslie and Madison Detective Charles Lulling were in Canada looking for Madison brothers, Karleton and Dwight Armstrong, and two former UW students, Leo Burt and David Fine, charged with the Aug. 24, 1970 Sterling Hall bombing that killed a research physicist.

"They lived there and we think they're there yet," Leslie said referring to a hippie district in Toronto.

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Leslie said it was a "successful trip" because he and Lulling worked with Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) and Toronto, Ottawa, and Montreal police and furnished them with murder warrants on which the suspects can be extradited.

CANADIAN officials responded with their nation-wide arrest order for the four suspects who have been on the FBI most wanted list for a year with a \$100,000 reward from the UW for their arrest.

The two burglary suspects, arrested last weekend in a Utah desert area, were returned by Sheriff's Detectives Robert Compton, John Kuenning, Sgt. Fred Kiefer, and Capt. Richard Josephson.

Robert A. Furseth, 20, of 1106 Park St. and Gary Lee Byers, 18, Rt. 1, Middleton, are charged with burglaries in several Dane County villages and towns. They were brought back for questioning about the July 28 gunshot murder of Dr. Thomas A. Speer, 42, an Indiana physician killed in the Quality Motel parking lot, 4916 E. Broadway.