

More Dynamite Is Found In Rubble of Townhouse

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The police found more dynamite in the wreckage of a townhouse on West 11th Street in Greenwich Village yesterday as they resumed an examination of the debris-checked sub-basement.

At least a half stick of the explosive was unearthed early in the afternoon on the floor of the workroom where members of the bomb squad discovered about 60 sticks and some blasting caps last Monday.

A police source said the searchers expected to find even more explosives and perhaps another body when a full-scale search got under way after the walls of adjoining building were shored up and there was no danger of collapse.

Two bodies have already been found in the destroyed building at 18 West 11th Street. One was that of Theodore Gold, 23 years old, a member of the ultramilitant Weatherman faction of Students for a Democratic Society. Still unidentified is the torso of a woman in her early 20's.

2 Led From House

At least two persons were led from the burning house by rescuers after the explosion last Friday. One was positively identified by neighbors as Cathlyn Platt Wilkerson, 25, also a member of the S.D.S. faction. The other was described as a white girl, 16 to 18 years old, 5 feet 5 inches tall, weighing about 130 pounds, and with light brown curly hair.

The two survivors of the explosions were aided by a neighbor. After cleaning up in the neighbor's apartment and borrowing some clothes, they vanished.

Last Monday the police officially announced that the explosions had been caused by dynamite. At least four homemade bombs were found in the ruins, as well as packages of dynamite.

The continued search through the rubble yesterday was carried out by a detective from the Police Department's bomb squad and a fire marshal. The search halted at nightfall because of rain and the need for more shoring-up of the surrounding buildings.

Although Assistant Chief Inspector Albert A. Seedman, who is conducting the police investigation, briefly visited the West 11th Street scene twice during

the day, it was apparent that he and his subordinates were preoccupied with the bombings of three office buildings during the night.

Appeal by Parents

Only a handful of policemen were on duty in the street and they were mainly concerned with keeping spectators from congregating across from the explosion site.

On Wednesday, Miss Wilkerson's parents appealed to her in the press to call them and tell them if any more people had been in the building. Her father, James P. Wilkerson, who owned the building, was not available for comment. Her mother, Mrs. Harlan D. Logan of Meriden, N. H., said she had heard nothing.

In another development, the Federal Bureau of Investigation denied reports that it had entered the case.

"We have not joined the search, but we're maintaining liaison with the New York City Police Department," a spokesman for the bureau said. "We offer them our services and of course we are interested in anything which might develop in the case."

The spokesman added, however, that while the F. B. I. had no jurisdiction "at this point," this might change if criminal charges were placed against Miss Wilkerson and the "District Attorney should request our assistance."

Alarm Unchanged

High police officials have already conferred with members of the District Attorney's office on the possibility of criminal charges, but no change has been made in the alarm issued for Miss Wilkerson.

Teletype messages to police forces in this country and Canada have said only that the missing woman is wanted for questioning.

She was described as being 5-foot-5 and weighing 110 pounds, with long brown hair, hazel eyes and a thin face with freckles. She was last seen wearing paint-spattered cotton blue jeans, a pink pull-over sweater and pink calf-length boots.

Her companion was said to be wearing a Navy-type three-quarter coat, olive-green bedroom slippers, brown corduroy trousers and a blue turtleneck sweater.

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