

Suspects Have Name On Papers

WASHINGTON (UPI) — A federal grand jury will be empaneled to investigate an alleged bugging incident at the Democratic National Headquarters. The Washington Post said Tuesday two of the suspects had links with a White House consultant.

U.S. Atty. Harold H. Titus Jr. said the grand jury would take evidence about the arrests of five men who were discovered early Sunday inside the Democratic national offices.

Two of the suspects carried items that linked them with White House consultant Howard E. Hunt, the Post reported Tuesday.

THE POST quoted federal sources who said address books with Hunt's name and telephone number and a stamped unmailed envelope containing Hunt's personal check for \$5 were found among the belongings of James E. McCord Jr., Rockville, Md., and Eugenio R. Martinez, Miami.

Ken Clawson, deputy director of White House communications, told UPI Tuesday that Hunt was hired last July 6 to help declassify the Pentagon papers. For the past several months he has been a consultant to the President's Domestic Council.

Hunt could not be reached for comment.

MCCORD, a former FBI and CIA employe, was doing security work under contract to the Republican National Committee and the Committee for the Re-Election of the President.

Sen. Robert J. Dole, GOP national chairman, said that Republicans had nothing to do with the alleged bugging attempt.

President Nixon, who was at the Florida White House until Monday night, had no comment. Press Secretary Ronald L. Ziegler said it was a "third-rate burglary attempt" that mars the nation's political process.

SENATE Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield said he believes the Republican party had nothing to do with the incident and Democratic National Chairman Lawrence O'Brien said he has not evidence to link the GOP.

But O'Brien called for an investigation, and the Democrats were reported ready to file a suit Tuesday for invasion of privacy.

McCord is being held in lieu of \$30,000 bond on charges of attempted burglary and bugging. Also in jail unable to raise \$50,000 bond each were Martinez, Frank Sturgis, Bernard L. Barker and Virgilio R. Gonzales, all of Miami.