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SAN DIEGO — Duval County Sheriff's department investigators are closing the books on a trio of burglaries following the arrest of one Corpus Christi man, and the prospective arrest of two other men who allegedly participated in the incidences.

The burglaries took place more than a month ago on lease properties off of County Road 330 used by hunters coming into the area. Taken from the sites were rifles, pistols, ammunition, air compressors and feeders.

"A week ago, through the cooperation of neighbors who saw some suspicious activity, they called in to 911 thinking that the same individuals were back in

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the area and were actually at one of those two ranches, possibly trying to commit another act of burglary," Sheriff Romeo Ramirez said. "Officers

arrived on the scene and sure enough they were able to get there on time and locate the individuals."

At that time, four men were identified from Corpus Christi. One of the men, Alex Garza Jr., 22, was arrested and gave full details of what had occurred as far as in the crime, Ramirez said, and at least another two men will be arrested in connection to the burglaries.

"The detectives did a great job. Through the cooperation of the first suspect, we were able to locate the rifles and pistols and a couple of other items found in the Corpus Christi area," Ramirez said. Garza could face a third count of burglary, Ramirez said.

Ramirez explained that the men were from Corpus Christi, hunting in the area of County Road 330, on property that was leased to an individual from the Corpus Christi area.

"We want to warn people who own or lease property in the area to be aware of what items are being left behind, such as rifles and pistols. Now is the time people are going to be getting hit hard with thefts and breaking an d entering, anything that has to do with outdoors and camping," Ramirez said.

"Fortunately we were able to catch a couple of guys and bring closure to these cases."

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