

Police Nip Plot To Bomb Kennedy

Palm Beach, Fla. — (UPI) — A mental patient who had dynamite and blasting caps in his car has been arrested for threatening to make himself a human bomb to kill President-elect John F. Kennedy, federal authorities disclosed today.

The slight, white-haired man told authorities he was a Roman Catholic and he felt Kennedy was "a hypocrite" about their religion. He mentioned a campaign speech in Texas where Kennedy had said he would honor responsibilities to the nation rather than to his church if the choice arose.

"In a way I'm glad it turned out the way it has, but I don't like the publicity," federal agents quoted him as saying.

He was identified as Richard Paul Pavlick, 73, a former postal clerk from Belmont, N. H.

Sent Threatening Letter
Federal agents said Pavlick denied any intention to kill the president-elect. They said the threat had been made in a letter intercepted by postal authorities Dec. 9.

John Marshall, Miami Secret Service agent, said Pavlick "never made contact" with Kennedy. Kennedy was in Washington when Pavlick was arrested. The president-elect's wife and two children were here in the home of Kennedy's father.

Alerted by the post office, Secret Service agents had been hunting Pavlick for days. They learned he had sold all his property at his home in Belmont and gone to Washington.

Explosive in Car
A search of his car turned up dynamite, blasting caps, wiring and other materials that could be used for a bomb. The materials had not been fashioned into a bomb, however.

Authorities took Pavlick before a U.S. commissioner Thursday night on a complaint which said, "The defendant indicated he was going to make himself a human bomb and destroy himself and the president-elect John F. Kennedy."

Pavlick was charged with violating a federal law which makes it a crime to threaten the president, president-elect or vice president. The penalty on conviction is a \$1,000 fine or five years in prison or both.

Utah's state tree is the blue spruce, the sea gull the state bird and the Sego lily the state flower.



AGRICULTURE SECRETARY — President-elect John F. Kennedy is shown as he has appointed Minnesota Gov. Orville Freeman, right, secretary of agriculture in announced to newsmen late Thursday that his administration. (UPI Telephoto)

Strong Programs Seen Best Approach To Farm Problems

Washington — (UPI) — Gov. Orville Freeman, newly named agriculture secretary, agrees with President-elect John F. Kennedy that strong government programs are the best approach to solving the complex farm problem.

East Wind Helps To Rescue Pilot From Pacific
Portland — (UPI) — An east wind which carried a parachuting jet pilot out to sea also was a factor in his speedy rescue, the Air Force said today.

First Lt. Joseph P. Rios, 25, Brooklyn, N.Y., was plucked from the Pacific by a helicopter 30 minutes after he bailed out of his crippled F102 Delta Dagger interceptor about 80 miles west of here Thursday afternoon near Rockaway.

Rios said he hoped to land on the beach but the east wind carried him nearly a mile out to sea as he drifted down from 15,000 feet in his parachute.

He had sent out a Mayday distress signal after a muffler explosion in the after section of the fighter. His wingman, Maj. Doyle P. Thompson, reported flames indicating a malfunction.

Engine Shut Off
Rios said he shut down the engine to avoid a possible major explosion. "I might have glided back to base, but I didn't want to risk crashing and endangering some community," he said.

He was rescued by a helicopter from the Portland air base. The gusty east winds helped the copter reach the area swiftly, the Air Force said. Major Thompson circled the area where Rios was drifting in his one-man rubber dinghy until the rescue.

Lt. Rios said "everything worked perfectly" in the bailout after he picked an open stretch of beach and headed the jet out to sea, where it crashed and sank.

But, he added, "This isn't any time to go swimming in the ocean. I was so cold I couldn't say anything when the helicopter picked me out of the water."

Rios, a bachelor, was treated for shock en route back to base but later was pronounced in good condition.

The 42-year-old Minnesota governor rushed to Washington aboard a National Guard plane Thursday to accept Kennedy's appointment to the agriculture post.

Freeman quickly demonstrated that he was aware of the staggering task confronting him—to cut costly crop surpluses and raise farmers' declining incomes.

Two-Thirds Hungry
"With two-thirds of the people around the world going to bed hungry every night, the problem of agriculture is a world problem," the intense, dark-haired appointee told reporters.

Agriculture Secretary Ezra T. Benson, the man Freeman will replace Jan. 20, sent a telegram expressing "congratulations on your selection as secretary of agriculture. Be assured of my cooperation in assisting you to assume your new duties."

Freeman, a three-term governor, is expected to fit well into the Kennedy team of relatively young, bright administrators. He holds a Phi Beta Kappa key earned at the University of Minnesota.

He and Kennedy see the farm problem the same way. Freeman is an advocate of strong federal controls on output. He favors farm production geared to demand.

In accepting the agriculture post Freeman outlined a three-point policy calling for a boost in farm income, a cut in surpluses and shipment of U.S. farm abundance abroad as a weapon for peace. He recommended:

"Programs to insure enough food and fiber for all Americans."
"Programs that will assure the efficient American family farm the opportunity to achieve parity of income, without exploiting either consumers or taxpayers."
"Programs to utilize our agricultural abundance to meet human needs here and abroad."

Salem — (UPI) — Salem Federal Savings and Loan association Thursday revealed plans for a two-story, quarter-million dollar building in downtown Salem.

Strong Showing In Blue Chip Issues

New York — (UPI) — Stocks capped four straight sessions of indecision today with a fine show of strength. Key pivotal and blue chip issues were particularly strong.

Steel gains ran to more than 2 in U.S. Steel, chemicals to more than 2 in Du Pont, Allied and Union Carbide, aircrafts to 2 in Martin, aluminum to over 1 in Alcoa, copper to 1 in Anaconda and building materials to more than 4 in U.S. Gypsum.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES
New York — (UPI) — Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 617.78, up 7.02; 20 railroads 127.86, up 0.98; 15 utilities 98.22, up 0.58, and 65 stocks 204.50, up 1.92. Sales today were about 3.77 million shares compared with 3.66 million shares Thursday.

Today's prices on selected stocks

Allied Chemical	55
Alum. Co. Am.	69
American Can	32 1/2
American Motors	17 1/4
A. T. & T.	96
Anaconda Copper	45
Armco Steel	60 1/2
Bendix Corp.	63 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	39 1/2
Boeing Air	38 1/2
Caterpillar Corp.	30 1/2
Chrysler Corp.	40 1/2
Continental Can	35 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	51 1/2
Curtis Wright	15 1/2
Dow Chemical	74 1/2
Du Pont	188 1/2

Eastman Kodak	113 1/2
Firestone	34 1/2
General Electric	76 1/2
General Foods	74 1/2
General Motors	41 1/2
Georgia Pacific	32 1/2
Graham Paige	1 1/2
Greyhound	20 1/2
Gulf Oil	39 1/2
Homestake Mining	47 1/2
Idaho Power	32 1/2
I. B. M.	306 1/2
Int. Paper	62 1/2
Johns Manville	50 1/2
Kennecott Copper	75 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	28 1/2
Montana Power	30 1/2
Montgomery Ward	27 1/2
Natl. Biscuit	71 1/2
New York Central	15 1/2
Pac Gas & Elec	70 1/2
Penney, J. C.	42 1/2
Penn. RR	11 1/2
Radio Corporation	54 1/2
Richfield Oil	80 1/2
Union Pacific	37 1/2
Safeway	37 1/2
Sears	55 1/2
Shell Oil	38 1/2
Society Mobil Oil	37 1/2
Southern Co.	48 1/2
Southern Pacific	19 1/2
Standard California	40 1/2
Standard Indiana	45 1/2
Standard N.J.	38 1/2
Sun Mines	35 1/2
Texas Co.	81 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulfur	19 1/2
Texas Pac Land Trust	18 1/2
Transamerica	26 1/2
Trans World Air	13 1/2
Tri-Continental	30 1/2
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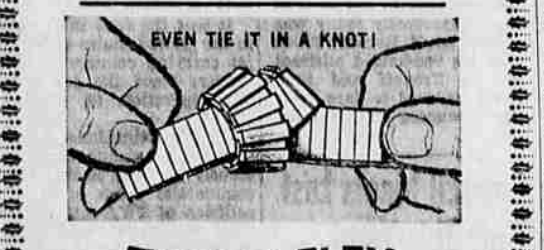
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State, Linn County In Trade of Roads

Corvallis — (UPI) — Corvallis City Manager John F. Porter said Thursday the Oregon Highway Department has taken over control of the 20-mile Corvallis-Lebanon cutoff in a trade of roads with Linn county.

Porter said the trade opens the way for state improvement of the road. State highway engineers said earlier they are drawing plans for a bridge over the Willamette river at Corvallis that would be part of the highway.

Porter said the Lebanon cutoff has shown a marked increase in traffic since the opening of the Albany-Eugene section of the Pacific freeway.

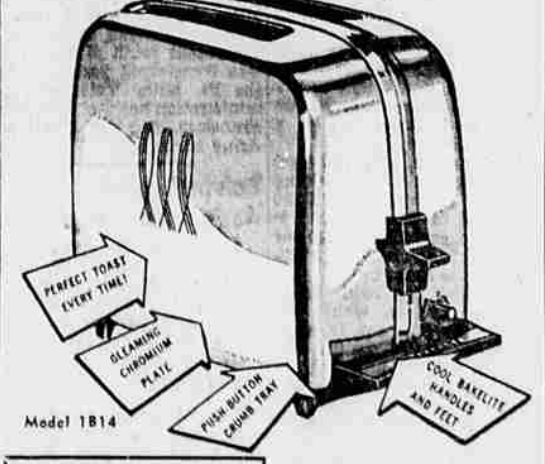
A section of the old east side Albany-Corvallis road known as Riverside dr. and a highway in the Mills City-Lyons area of Linn county were traded by the state to Linn county.

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