

Marina Oswald Has Her New Husband Jailed

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Marina Oswald Porter, a bride of less than three months and widow of President Kennedy's presumed assassin, had her new husband thrown in jail yesterday.

The widow of Lee Harvey Oswald told a justice of the peace that her husband, Kenneth Jess Porter, slapped her in the face and threatened to kill himself, and that she feared bodily harm.

After she signed the affidavit, Justice of the Peace

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MARINA OSWALD PORTER
She said her husband slapped her

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W. E. (Bill) Richburg issued a warrant for the arrest of Porter, a 27-year-old electronic worker.

Porter told reporters there was "nothing to it. It's just time for her to have some more publicity."

Richburg said the purpose of the affidavit was to place Porter under a peace bond. He said Porter would remain in custody until either he made bond or a hearing on the issue was held. He did not indicate when such a hearing might be convened.

Mrs. Porter, 23, appeared at Richburg's court with her two children. As she left the building, she snapped "Leave me alone, please," to reporters and photographers.

She and her children entered a car and were driven away by a man and woman who said they were her neighbors. They declined to give their names or to say where Marina would spend the night.

The justice of the peace said Sheriff's officers called him earlier in the afternoon from the Porter home in northeast Dallas. He said he then talked with Porter and asked the man to come to his office "to talk things over."



KENNETH PORTER
'Publicity'

Richburg said Porter refused and said, "Go ahead and issue a warrant."

Texas peace bonds customarily prohibit a man from visiting or bothering a woman.

The former Mrs. Oswald signed the affidavit in the city-county building in suburban Oak Cliff, only blocks from the movie theater where Oswald was arrested the afternoon of Nov. 22, 1963.

The Porters were married June 1 and moved from the suburb of Richardson into the city of Dallas this summer. They live in a house reportedly costing some \$26,000. Records indicate that the house is in the name of "Marina Oswald."

The peace justice said Porter would be lodged in the Dallas County Jail, the same jail where Jack Ruby is confined under death sentence for killing Oswald.