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## SFExaminer Skyjack Victim Hits FBI

TAMPA (Fla.) — (UPI) — A St. Petersburg man who suffered a broken leg in a weekend skyjack ordeal said last night the FBI "just about got us all killed" by shooting out the pirated jet liner's tires during a refueling stop in Orlando.

J. Frank Robinson, 47, said the first time he feared for his life was when FBI agents shot out the four tires.

"Everything was okay until then, everybody was cool," he said. "But when that happened, none of us knew what was going to hap-

pen next.
"They just about got us all

killed by doing it."

Robinson said he remembered the pilot, Capt. Bill Haas, saying the FBI had "doublecrossed" him by him by shooting out the tires.

Robinson said he broke his leg jumping to the ground from the wing of the plane in Havana. He said several of the passengers used the emergency exit and jumped from the wing as fast as possible after the plane made an emergency landing on a foam-covered runway.

He said the passengers NOV 13 1972 were not fleeing the skyjackers but were just trying to get on the ground as soon as they could.

Robinson said after the ransom was loaded onto the DC-9 in Chattanooga, the skyjackers walked up and down the aisle handing out large bills to passengers. One 16 year old boy got \$900 from the skyjackers, Robinson said.

"The skyjackers were polite about 95 percent of the time, but the other 5 percent when they got excited they would use foul language," he said.

Robinson, who had board-

ed the plane Friday night in Birmingham, where he had been on a business trip, had nothing but praise for the pilot.

He said Haas made a "beautiful landing" at Havana despite the blown out tires. "The pilot was a God-send. He handled himself perfectly."

Another passenger, Alex Halberstadt, an engineer from Key Biscayne, Fla., said the shooting drove the skyjackers "into a frenzy. They were raving maniacs. Before that they were just docile maniacs."