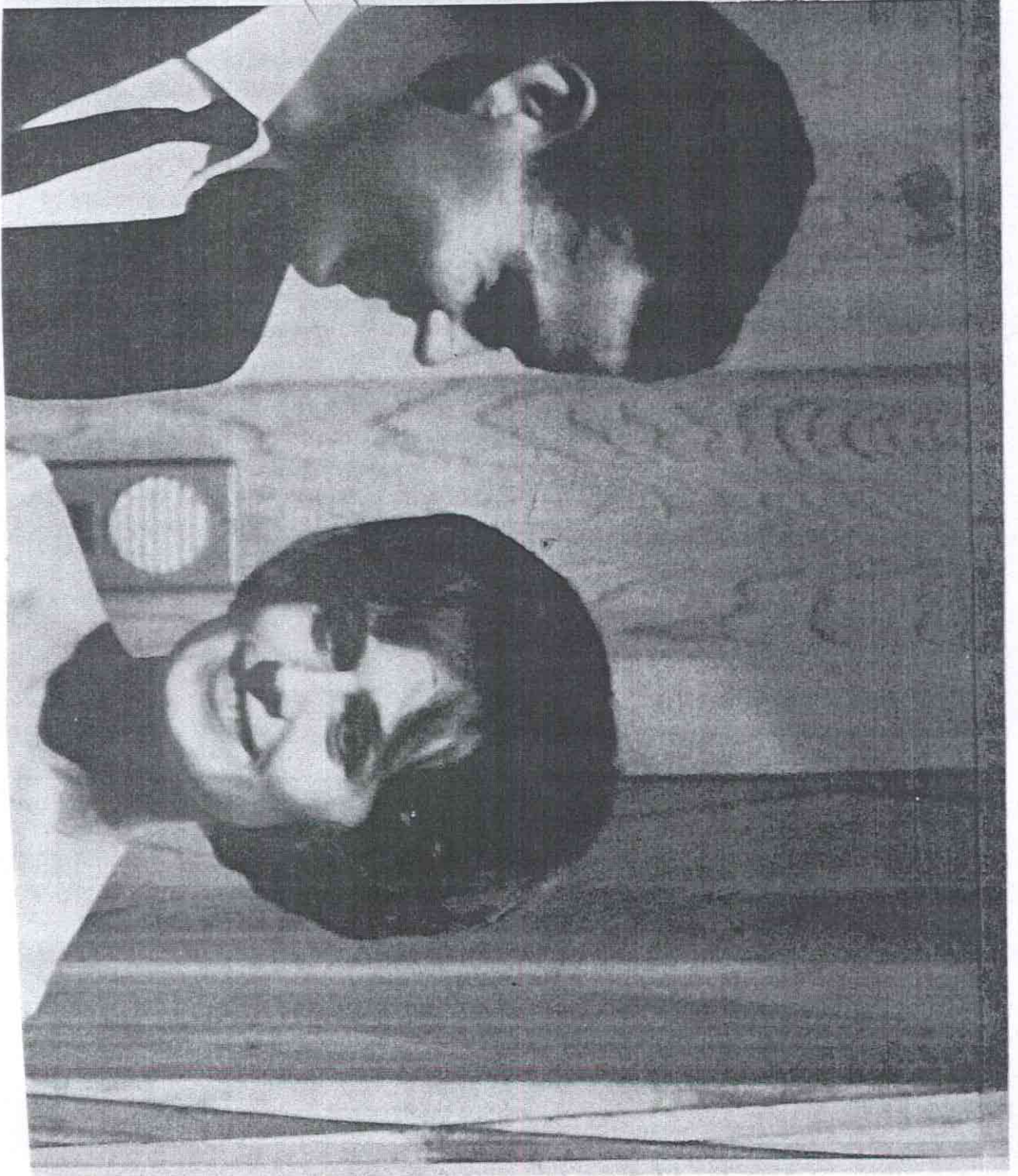


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Wedding of the week: in Fate, Texas

Marina Oswald, 23, looked happy and a little nervous—just like any other June bride. The widow of the man who assassinated President John F. Kennedy had just married Kenneth Jess Porter, 27, a tall, handsome Texan, in the farm town of Fate (pop. 191), 30 miles east of Dallas. Marina and Porter had known each other a little more than a month. Each has two children; Porter was divorced by his first wife in January 1964. An electronics technician, he is described by friends as "hard-working, quiet, reserved." After the ceremony Marina told reporters she had wanted "to marry a Texan." She is also financially well-off now: donations from sympathetic Americans and advances on her autobiography have brought her \$60,000 to date.

