

Children's Joy Brightens Holiday For Mrs. Kennedy

PALM BEACH, Fla. (UPI)—The infectious joy of Caroline and John Kennedy at Christmas time brought happiness to the mourning wife of the late President.

For one of the few times since the death of her husband, Mrs. John F. Kennedy acknowledged the greetings of a crowd of about 150 well-wishers who gathered outside the ocean-front mansion of her father-in-law, former Ambassador Joseph P. Kennedy.

She smiled and waved a white-gloved hand Wednesday as she entered a car to travel the two miles to the estate where she is staying with her two children.

The first Christmas for the Kennedy family without the assassinated President was a quiet one — presents were opened, then church and then a family dinner.

Caroline, 6 and three-year-old "John John" were up early and dived into a huge pile of gifts with the well-known Kennedy exuberance.

Mrs. Kennedy looked on and occasionally gave John Jr. a helping hand with a tightly wrapped package he couldn't open fast enough.

John, who apparently inherited his father's fondness for the Navy, got a toy boat. A family spokesman said the youngster also got a helicopter and some airplanes.

His sister received several dolls and "girl's toys."

The children, caught up in the excitement of their presents, were allowed to remain at home while Mrs. Kennedy drove to the nearby residence of her father-in-law for a private mid-day Mass.

Man, 83, Weds 19-Year-Old Girl

DENVER (UPI) — Earl L. Medsker was honeymooning at home today with his new bride.

Medsker is 83. His bride, the former Gwendolyn Davis of Baker, Fla., is 19.

The couple was married in Medsker's home on Christmas Eve by Justice of the Peace Harry Wall Jr. of suburban Adams City, then spent Christmas Day entertaining guests.

"The marriage might seem silly to some people, but it makes sense to us," said Medsker, who had four children before being divorced from his first wife 30 years ago. He has 12 grandchildren.

"We both know people can have the wrong idea about this marriage," he said. "But summed up, it is companionship and business."

He said the business elements of his life were getting too hard to handle.

"I need someone I can trust and who has the know-how," he said, gazing fondly at his new wife.

Medsker is in the real estate and tax title business, and says he has done pretty well. "In fact, I've set up a \$100,000 fund to educate the Medsker children," he said. The foundation guarantees a college education for all his descendants.

"This is where Gwendolyn comes in," he said. "She's got a good grasp of what the educational foundation means. She thinks it's a wonderful program and it has had a lot to do with our marriage."

"I haven't had too much business experience yet," his bride tossed in, "but I'm attracted to the work involved."

The Medskers decided to spend their honeymoon at home. "There's too much work to do," the groom explained.

Cardinal Pays Tribute To Kennedy

McMURDO SOUND, Antarctica (UPI) — Francis Cardinal Spellman, archbishop of New York and military vicar to Roman Catholics in the armed forces, paid a Christmas tribute to the late President Kennedy from this isolated scientific outpost of the U. S. Navy.

"As a result of the sacrifice of this new Lincoln in our nation's history," the Cardinal said in his annual Christmas message, "may we lessen the divisions among us, bind up the wounds our dissensions have caused, and become one people once again."

The Cardinal is on his yearly Christmas pilgrimage to servicemen overseas. Upon his arrival here Monday, he celebrated a memorial Mass for the late President in the Chapel of the Snow.

Tennessee Woman Marks 102nd Birthday

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (UPI)—Mrs. Mary Moody Tell celebrated Christmas and her 102nd birthday Wednesday.

Mrs. Tell, who was born on Christmas in 1862 in Red Banks, Miss., did not go to church but spent the hours sewing for a neighbor who is ill.

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BORDEN'S	Canned Milk (Case of 48 \$5.89)	Tall Can 8 for 99¢	
DE JEANS	OYSTER STEW	10-oz. Can 4 for 99¢	
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