

nized by all who knew her. She had a bright and cheerful disposition which did not grow old, and she was greatly endeared to her family and friends. The children of Mrs. Peay:

1. George N.
2. J. Speed, died unmarried.
3. Eliza.

GEORGE N. PEAY married Ella Keats, younger sister of the wife of his uncle, Philip Speed. She was a daughter of George Keats and niece of John Keats, the English poet. She was unusually beautiful and greatly beloved by all.

Their children: Emily, Austin, Alice, Minnie, Ella, Speed, Ward; the latter died young.

Emily married E. C. Hull, a business man of Louisville, associated with the firm of Cannon & Byers.

Their children: Roy Clinton, died; George Keats, John, Peachy.

Alice married Dr. Samuel A. Hartwell, of Louisville. She is a woman of extraordinary beauty and lovely character.

Ella married David Van Alstine, a civil engineer, and lives in New Orleans. They have one child, Ward.

J. SPEED PEAY was educated in the schools at Louisville, and was an extremely popular young man when the Civil war called the youth and manhood of the country to arms. In response he promptly entered the Union service as captain in the 3d Kentucky Cavalry. After the war he was for a number of years clerk of the Common Pleas Court in Louisville, and had the reputation of being the most popular and efficient officer who had held that position. He afterward was elected and repeatedly re-elected a justice in his district of the city, which position he filled till his death. He was a strikingly handsome man, and had a most pleasing manner. He was esteemed by all, and his death was greatly lamented. He died April 15, 1889. He was never married.