Kentucky, Indiana and Ohio, 1863. For a number of years he was in the Internal Revenue service. He now lives on a farm near Owensboro, Ky. He married, in 1866, Sidney Thruston, a daughter of Colonel Algernon Sidney Thruston. Colonel Thruston was a member of the Louisville family of that name. He went to Texas and became prominent there in public affairs, and was for a time Attorney-General of the State. He spent the last years of his life in Daviess county, Kentucky, near Owensboro.

William O. Speed has one daughter, Hattie.

THOMAS SPEED, second son of Thomas S. Speed, of Bardstown, was born November 26, 1841. He is the author of this book. He attended Centre and Hanover Colleges. He joined the Union Army in 1862 as a private; was made First Lieutenant and then Adjutant of the regiment, 12th Kentucky Veteran Infantry; also served on brigade staff. The principal engagements he was in were siege of Knoxville, Beans' Station, the various battles of the Atlanta campaign, Columbia, Franklin, Nashville, taking of Fort Anderson, and Wilmington, N. C. After the war he studied law at the Michigan University, and in the office of James Speed, in Louisville, began practice with him, and was associated with him in law practice till his death in 1887, and also from 1879 with John Speed, the eldest son of James Speed. He wrote an account of the battle of Franklin, published by the Ohio Commandery of the Loyal Legion; also author of "The Wilderness Road," a Filson Club publication, of which club he is Secretary. On the 9th of July, 1892, he was appointed Clerk of the United States Circuit and District Courts, at Louisville, Ky.

In 1870 he married Lucy Madison Buckner, daughter of Colonel James F. Buckner, of Louisville. Colonel Buckner was so highly esteemed by the Speed family in Louisville and was himself so warmly attached to them, and became so identified with them, he should be mentioned here. He was born in Virginia, 1813. When quite young he went with his parents to Hopkinsville, Ky., where, as a lawyer and public-spirited citizen, he became one of the leading men in Southern Kentucky. He served in the Legislature thirteen