

Loudoun
Bryan Ave. at Castlewood Drive
Lexington, Kentucky
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1708 Heyburn Building, Louisville, Ky.

LOUDOUN

Bryan Ave. at Castlewood Drive, Lexington, Kentucky.

Historical Data

Year of erection: Begun about 1850

Built for (first owner): Hon. Francis Key Hunt

Architect or designer: John McMurtry

Built by: Not ascertained

Original intended use: Residence

Notable events and occupants:

Mr. Hunt died in 1870 and after remaining at Loudoun for 14 years Mrs. Hunt sold the building with the 125 acres that comprised the estate to Col. Wm. Cassius Goodloe. Col. Goodloe also acquired 40 acres from The Meadows, the adjoining estate. After Col. Goodloe's death his widow sold the lower part of the front yard for building lots and after her death the place was sold in 1923 to Judge J. F. Bailey who occupied it for a time and later sold it to the city as a public playground.

Reference: Bluegrass Houses and Their Traditions, by Elizabeth M. Simpson, with an introduction by Wm. H. Townsend. Illus. (Lexington, Ky., 1932.) pp.203-211.

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