

Mrs. John M. Clay, Writer, Farmer and Stock Raiser, "Ashland," Lexington, Ky.

Mrs. John M. Clay, daughter-in-law of Henry Clay, was left a widow two years ago with the broad acres of Ashland on her hands, and the green pastures of blooded horses as a heritage. Diligently the turf men put their heads together and picked out the sires and dams and foals they meant to buy at the coming sale. But Mrs. Clay held her farm intact and manages it herself. She is besides a writer of ability, not only of novels, but gets out her annual pedigree catalogue of stock with the accuracy of a man and the dainty binding of a woman's artistic taste.



Henry Clay Anderson, great-great-grandson of Henry Clay, of Ashland, Lexington, Ky. This child was baptized by the venerable and Reverend Edward F. Berkley, who had baptized the Sage of Ashland, forty-six years before.