Brady (Bredy)

Adrien Bredy, a native of St. John parish and only son of Sylvain Bredy and Marie Lasseigne, had three sisters, who later settled in Laplace. Adele was married to Similian Madere; Eugenie became the wife of Elie Duhe, and Armantine was married to George Keating.

Adrien must have been a bashful, blue-eyed blond carpentr when young, for he revealed his devotion for Constantine Perilloux, daughter of Louis Perilloux and Melanie Vicknair, in a very impressive letter and asked her to tie a blue ribbon in her necklace "*si mon amur ne vous etes pas desagreable*." She wore the ribbon. On April 17, 1869, they were married.

Charles, their eldest son, was married to Lelia Jacob; to them were born Agnes (Mrs. Phoebus Hotard), Oscar, Clifton, Pearl (Mrs. Horace Troxler), Joseph Allen, Judith (Mrs. Windom James), Harry (died).

Louis was married to Mamie Poche; their children are Viola (Mrs. Gauthier Millet) (died), Roland Buel, Letitia, Claude Louis and Amy.

Joseph was married to Moema Cambre; Sidney, Edna and Edwin were the only children. Marie did not marry.

Pierre was married to Antoinette Montz. Their children are Palmyre, wife of J. N. Prudhomme, who has two sons, Warren and Richard; Pierre was married to Josephine Hymel; their three children are P. J., Milton and Donald; Anthony was married to Beryl Bienvenu; Theodore was married to Mildred Michel; they have one daughter, Barbara; Yvonne is not married.

Pierre started to work at the age of 12 for A. (Louie) Lasseigne, at Welcome Store in Lions, and later came to Woodland Store in Laplace, where he stayed until he died, January 23, 1913. It was during his lifetime that the family name was changed from Bredy to Brady.

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