



Pearcy & Furney Hall

Pearcy was William L. Brady's first wife, and the mother of Thomas and Joseph Brady who lived and died in Golden. This would have to have been taken prior to September of 1876 as that is when Furney died.



Thomas, Lillian & Allyn Brady – early 1893

Thomas was the second son of Joseph and Penny. He died when Allyn was only 5 years old.



Phillips sisters?

A distant cousin named John Phillips sent Janet and I this photo several years ago. He researches his Phillips line and believes that the photo above may be two of the four Phillips sisters (three married into the Brady family)...but which ones???



Joseph & Lulu Bell (Hammer) Brady

Thomas and Lucinda's oldest son and his wife. These are possibly their wedding photos, and if so were done in 1886. They now hang in the home of their granddaughter Marilyn Brady Robinson. Marilyn is the daughter of their son Joseph, Jr.



Lulu Bell & Joseph Brady – 1941

The same couple in their older years.



Frank Elmus Brady

The last of the Brady's to leave Golden. A single father of four working hard to keep his family going in the late 1920's, suddenly dies leaving his children orphans. An aunt living in Nevada, probably a sister of their mother, agrees to take the older two children only. The younger two are forced to enter Colorado's state orphanage until their brother sends for them years later when he's older and financially able. Why Brady's living elsewhere in Colorado didn't take the children in is a mystery.



Penny (Phillips) Brady

Although we aren't 100% sure, we believe this photo is of Penny, Joseph's wife.



Charles Elmus Brady

This is Jami's grandfather. He died when my father was only eleven years old, so of course I never had the chance to meet him. This photo was taken in the family's yard in Golden. He played baseball for an organization after high school, but I'm not sure what the organization was.



Allyn Richard Brady

This is Janet's grandfather. I'm guessing he's at least 10 years old here so this would have to be 1902 or later. I think he's darling! But doesn't he look like he's dying to get out of that get up to get out and get dirty?!

Alone in the World These children, whose father died in his sleep and whose mother is an inmate of the State Hospital for the Insane, have no relative or friend to care for them, unless a reputedly wealthy aunt can be located. Eva, the eldest, 14 years old, is seated, holding 7-year-old Frances on her lap. Roscoe, 12, is at the left, and Lavinia, 9, at the right.



This ran in the Denver Post after Elmus died along with an article describing the terrible situation Elmus' children were in. It pleaded for help finding this "wealthy" aunt. It's not known whether or not the aunt that Roscoe and Eva went the live with was the one presumed to be wealthy or not. Frances and Lavinia (it's spelled incorrectly here) lived in the state orphanage until Roscoe was old enough to support them himself.

I hunted for Lavinia for years until finally finding her via her daughter Darlene a couple of years ago. Janet and I have enjoyed getting to know Darlene and watching the genealogy bug bite her too.



Lillian "Lillie" (Walden) Brady



The cowboy on the bucking bronco is Allyn Richard Brady, son of Thomas and Lillian. This photo was taken in July of 1920.