

THE BRADYS.

Among those who figured about Standing Stone at the beginning of the Revolution, were the Bradys. Hugh Brady's name appears in some of the title-deeds, and the father of Sam Brady (rendered famous by the late R. B. McCabe, of Blairsville,) lived at the mouth of the little run opposite Huntingdon. Within the walls of Standing Stone Fort General Hugh Brady and a twin sister were born. All the Bradys went to the west branch of the Susquehanna during the Revolution. Hugh entered the army at an early age, and, step by step, rose from the ranks to the exalted position he occupied at the time of his death. A characteristic anecdote is related of him: At one time he was lying ill at Erie, and his physician told him he could not survive. "Let the drums beat," said he, "my knapsack is swung, and Hugh Brady is ready to march!" He recovered, however, and died many years later at Sunbury.