OLD GUIDRY HOME - The old Pierre Guidry home, as recalled in this story, holds some secret of the Guidry family. It will soon be moved to a new location off Highway 35 South.

The downstairs consisted of two bedrooms, bath, kitchen, dining and living room. Litigators are three more rooms - bathroom and small library. There had been a piano in the living room on which Mr. Guidry always practiced on Sundays while the family was at church. When the Guidry's left the old house in 1965, all the furniture was sold to the Old Church Community in Lafayette. Their daughter, Anna, lived in the old house before their younger sister, Anna, and her husband, Ernestine (Mrs. G. Guidry) moved in.

The old house was solidly built, with thick walls of brick and a chimney in the center of the roof. The floors were made of hardwood, and the windows were large and had thick panes of glass. The walls were paneled in oak, and the doors were all fitted with brass hardware. The rooms were spacious and well-lit, with large windows that allowed natural light to filter in. The ceilings were high, and the rooms had a sense of grandeur and elegance.

The stucco exterior was painted a warm cream color, and the roof was covered in dark red tile. The front porch was supported by four large posts and had a wrought iron railing. The old house was a testament to the craftsmanship and attention to detail that went into the construction of these historic homes.

In the early 1960s, when the Guidry family moved out of the old home, the house was left to nature to take its course. Over the years, the exterior of the old house began to show signs of wear and tear. The stucco began to crack and peel, and the roof developed leaks. The windows were broken, and the doors were no longer airtight. The interior of the house was also in disrepair. The floors were cracked, and the walls were damp and stained.

But the spirit of the old Guidry home lived on. The Guidry family continued to visit the old house, and the memories of their childhood and youth were cherished. The old house was a reminder of the past, a link to their family's history and heritage.