

THE CODY FAMILY
(Descendants of Philip and Martha at Beverly, Mass. 1698)

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FINAL REUNION BULLETIN

You have received a copy of Bulletin No. 67 of April 25th, announcing the 21st. Annual Reunion of the Cody Family to be held Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 17 and 18 at Salem, Oregon. We now announce the final arrangements, and extend to everyone of our families a most cordial invitation to attend.

1.30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17 - all attending are to meet for registration and business meeting at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, 147 North Liberty St. This meeting is most important; try to be on hand on time. The business of this meeting should be over by 4.00 or 4.30 p.m. Tentative plans are being made for a tour of the new State Capitol Building and Capitol Grounds immediately following the meeting.

6.30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17 - family dinner will be served in the Chamber of Commerce Hall, \$1.50 per person. We are assured of a very delightful dinner. A suitable program will follow the dinner, details of which are not yet complete, but which will be announced at the Saturday afternoon meeting.

11.00 a.m. Sunday, Sept. 18 - divine service will be held at one of the local Salem churches, at which we expect a member of our family to participate in the service. Details of this service not yet complete.

1.00 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18 - luncheon will be served at Paradise Island Picnic Grounds, \$1.50 per person. Directions - go east on Mission St. which goes past the Airport; picnic grounds about one half mile farther. The total distance is about four miles from the centre of Salem. To this Picnic Grounds there is an admission fee of 20 cents per person, which assures us of a splendid environment. In case of rain this luncheon will be served at the Chamber of Commerce Hall. For those without cars transportation will be furnished from the church to the Picnic Grounds. All unfinished business will be taken care of at the luncheon, and the distribution of souvenir prizes will be made. The souvenir gifts are as follows: the oldest gentleman present, oldest lady present, longest married couple, latest married couple, oldest person bearing the surname CODY, person attending from greatest distance, person attending greatest number of Cody reunions, the youngest boy present, youngest girl present, youngest child bearing surname CODY and largest family present. We urge a good attendance at this luncheon; those competing for prizes must be present.

MOST IMPORTANT - in order for our Local Committee, headed by Mrs. Helen Deuel Doolittle, to know the number of persons to prepare for at the Saturday evening dinner and the Sunday luncheon, advice must be received in advance of the number in your group who will attend. This advice should be forwarded to Mrs. Doolittle no later than a week before the reunion. Please use the lower portion of this bulletin for your advice. Every member of our family is not carried on the mailing list, but representative ones receive the bulletin; please give this feature as much publicity as possible. We especially want every Oregon, Washington, Western Canada, and California family present.

RESERVATIONS - for hotel reservations write Marion or Senator hotels, for rooms in private homes, tourist camps, cabins, etc. please write Mrs. Doolittle your needs.

SPECIAL NOTE - as covered by Bulletin No. 66 of Jan. 15, 1949 - are there any more contestants for the Luther Morrill Cody Memorial Award? \$25.00 will be awarded to the boy or girl of our family having the highest degree of proficiency in First Year High School for the school year commencing Sept. 1948 and ending June 1949. Detailed qualifications of proficiency must be contained in a letter or statement from the High School Principal. Please hurry in these statements.

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Tear off here and mail to:

Mrs. Frank Doolittle, 160 Luther St.
Salem, Oregon

For the family dinner at 6.30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 17th.

at the Chamber of Commerce Hall there will be _____ persons in my party.
(number?)

For the luncheon at 1.00 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 18th. at the
Paradise Island Picnic Grounds there will be _____ persons in my party.
(number?)

PLEASE MAIL THIS EARLY

Name