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1993 CORY Family Reunion Aug 6,7,8

According to my sources the reunion committee is working feverishly to bring you a very enjoyable reunion this year, in the Newport, Providence and Tiverton Rhode Island areas. Plans are not complete for the program but I am told they will follow the previous format, with a short program and social hour Friday evening. Saturday will be an all day pilgrimage to Cory sites in Portsmouth, North Kingston and Tiverton in Rhode Island; Westport and New Bedford in Massachusetts. Sunday Morning, church service or a choice of several nearby side trips. The Banquet and business at 1:00 PM at the Ramada Inn. As they say down south, "Y'all Come" It is always a pleasure to renew friendships at these reunions, our ranks are growing every year. The next Newsletter will contain more specifics and the reservation forms. However I must warn you, please send in your hotel reservations as soon as you possibly can. The next Newsletter will be to late. Libby has booked thirty rooms at the beautiful Ramada Inn in Portsmouth for us. I am told there are no more rooms available. In the next Newsletter I will give directions on how to get there, from Boston, Providence and New York in case you are driving. From the airport it will probably be just a short taxi ride.

From the President's Desk:

Firstly, I want to wish you all a very happy and productive New Year. I hope every one survived the rigors and delights of Christmas season. It was especially blessed season for my family, as we celebrated with our new arrival, Alexander William Hester. He was born October 21, 1992. I must admit Linda and I didn't get much sleep for three months but it was all worth it!! Both Mother and baby doing very well. Traditionally this time of year is very slow for the Cory Family society, with getting over last year's reunion and just starting to plan for the next reunion. Yet there are some items that I want to discuss. First and foremost on that list is to remind everyone that the 1993 dues are due. If this has slipped your mind I hope this will remind you. I want to update you on the progress to get bulk mailing privileges. The first step is to petition the IRS to consider your group as non-profit. Three months ago I gathered and sent all the needed information to them. I have just received a reply that I need one more item before they even start to consider us. To say the least it is a long and drawn out procedure. Linda Anderson has informed me recently that she has received ONE submission for the New Cory Family Society Logo. Please take some time over the next couple of months and design a

logo for our society. Yours might be chosen to be placed on the News Letter and Stationary. Please send all submissions to Linda Anderson, 204 N. Shanandoah Dr. Apt 101, Latrobe, PA. 15650.

Start preparing for the big event of the year, our yearly reunion to be held in and around the Tiverton, R.I. area. the reunion committee has been hard at work to make this year's reunion a very special time for those who attend. I'm not going to give out all of their surprises, but keep watching and reading the Newsletter for all information concerning the reunion. For all our new members in 1993 may I say that all your cousins wish you a hearty, "Welcome aboard."

Mark Hester

Editors Note:

Your label contains a date, ie, 1993 or x, xx, Comp or life. The Comp are complimentary to Societies and Libraries, Life are our distinguished honored members, two xx are first time readers, one x are second time readers, and last copy unless your dues are paid for the current year. After the next issue, 1992's will be stricken from the Mailing list. Please pay your dues, all non profit organizations can only operate if they receive dues. I have quite a few on the mailing list with a O, 1990, and 1991. The computer will only print labels if they are one of the above, HELP

QUERIES

The query section in the Quarterly is for the benefit of all. They are placed by our cousins who are interested in the preservation of the Cory surname and their personal family. Please help those who request information, also please send the information to the Editor to up date his data base. The Editor will try to answer the query from his data base if at all possible, Please send a SASE (Self Addressed Stamped Envelope).

101 Information on Phoebe. Born 7 January 1791, Plainfield, NJ. Daughter of Parkhurst and Joanna (Darby) CORY. **Was she the wife of Simeon Dunn? Need to know the names of children.**
Phoebe Carol Williams 406 Silvermine Rd. New Canaan, Ct 06840

102 Refer Page 9, CORYs OF AMERICA. Isaac Vi 5a Son of Benjamin and Mehetable (Heath) Corey. **Seeking information on descendants of Isaac. Dr Dana R Spencer 1580 Oilwell Rd Blacksburg, VA 24060**
COREY
Isaac

Queries are lacking, I'll send in some that I need to tie in to a progenitor. Have inquiries from our Members. Please send to me. EDITOR

103 Born 10 Oct 1800 Bennington, VT, died 7 Oct 1879, Married Sarah KINNY. Children; Jacob, Elijah, Loretia and Others.
Cory
Samuel

104 Born c 1804, Voughtown CT. married Susanna Forse ROSE. Children; John Francis, Mar Nancy Cossler, Charles, William, Thomas and others.
Cory
Emanuel

105 Born 2 Oct 1806, Ohio. Died May 1894, Fulton Co Il. married Elizabeth RICHEY, 23 May 1828. Children; Simeon Samuel, who married Rebecca Hitchcock / Sarah Washburn, Richard, Elizabeth, others
COREY
Thomas

106 Born 7 Sept 1814 New York. Died 21 Sep 1907 Ashtabula Co OH. married Katherine ----. Children; Destimona Bell, married, Joseph Conrad
Corey
George W

107 Born c 1820, Vermont. married Arabell Sanborn, 19 Oct 1845 Lowell, Middlesex Co MA. Children; George, married Delila Adams, Heubert, John and others.
COREY
Alvin

108 Born c 1819 New York, Died c 1855 New York. married Hannah H MEAD. Children; Mary, Rachel, William, married Anna Jaycox, George and others.
COREY
George S

109 Born 31 July 1779, Died 31 January 1843, Danby, Rutland Co VT. married Susan HARRINGTON. Children; Harvey, married Betsey Lake, Job, Steven and others.
COREY
William

110 Born c 1784 New York, died 24 Oct 1835, Elbridge, Onondaga Co NY. married Anna Spaulding. Children; Eliza, married James Lewis, Amasa M, Married Fanny Malis, David, married Elsie Cory, dau of John L Cory.
CORY
Calvin

111 Born c 1785, married Amanda PARSLEY. Children Lydia Ann, married Micajah Wilcox
CORY
Samuel

112 Born c 1785 Connecticut, married Lucinda RHODES. Children; Hamilton Frisbee, married Esther Mead, Soloman, married Abigail Cronk, Moses, married, Carolina Peck and Elsie who married David Cory and William McIntyre.
COREY
John L

113 Born 1787 Manchester, Nebbington Co VT, Died c 1828 Kingsville, Astabula Co OH married Martha DURHAM. Children; Nelson, married Phebe Kinny, Joanna, Warren, Sanford and others.
COREY
Jacob

114 Born c 1790 Rhode Island, Died 11 Jun 1869 Gaines Twp, Kent Co MI married Lucinda ----, children; Ruben, Josiah, Andrew and William who married Betsey Cranston.
COREY
William

Salt Lake City

Marilee and I took a trip to the Mormon Library and Archives in Salt Lake City, back in November.

Got out just the night before the big snow storm. We had a very rewarding week of research, for one thing we now have the Goodspeed papers included in the data base. Unless some one can come up with some other hidden manuscript I have located all the older ones. To make our data base complete I must have your family group sheets including the immediate family, grand kids and mother in law.

Back to the trip. We flew in to the airport in Salt Lake. Called the Motel and transportation was there very quickly. We stayed at the Howard Johnson Motor Lodge, across the street from the Mormon complex. There is a genealogy store in the hotel for all your supplies, The restaurant is quite good but stay away from the baked goods. The Motel is clean, good service and they seem to want to help you at any time. It is located less than a half a block from the Library, across the street from the Temple, excellent access. The library has four floors in which to do your research, plenty of film readers, fiche machines, computers and I've never seen so

many books on Genealogy in one building. My advice for any one that plans to visit, spend as much time as you can at your local Mormon Library and search the library catalog, ancestral files, IGI files and what ever else you can get your hands on that will give you the numbers corresponding to the data you are looking for. That way when you arrive at the library the only thing you have to do is to pull books, film, or fiche that has your data, and read away. Help is at your beck and call any time you need it, the library is well staffed, adequate facilities for copying documents when you locate them. If you are a serious researcher a trip there is a must. We have a cousin who is in the computer department, so when you visit be sure and say hello to Paul.

With out a doubt the people that I had the pleasure of associating with, were the most friendly people I have ever encountered in all my travels. I don't mean just the people in the Library but the towns people, went out of there way to help. (1994 *Reunion in Salt Lake*). Ladies wait till you see the malls, one within walking distance. There is another but you must have a ride. but don't miss it.

This week I have sent to the library in Salt Lake a bound copy of all our news letters for their filming and display. Soon the film will be available through the Mormon Genealogical Branch Libraries. The Corys are very well represented in their archives, if you take the time to search there is much information on the Corys. I was going to send our Data base to them but in the last couple of weeks there has been an influx of material to enter. Nevertheless March 1st is the absolute dead line. The data base goes to the library. One thing about research, you never get through. Those of you who are members please send in your family group sheets to the society, if you send them to me the information will be preserved in perpetuity by being included in the computer data base, I am compiling. Note, please, your family and descendants are part of the big picture, Include them.

Those of you who would like to send information to the library here is the address:

Acquisitions

%Family History Library

35 N W Temple Street

Salt Lake City, Utah 84510

Send Computer data in GED format.

1993 Reunion

Please get you reservations in to the hotel as soon as you can. I know this is a repeat but to reserve the rooms we must act now. You can always cancel.

Did you know that a Frenchman visited Block Island, the present site of the town of New Port in 1524. And that in 1636 Roger Williams, an Englishman and followers (CORYS?) established the first Rhode Island Settlement at Providence. All the land settled or tilled was purchased from the Indians.

For more information on the first settlers of that region, attend the 1993 reunion. Watch you New Letter for history on Rhode Island and the Corys who settled there.

RESERVATION CARD CORY FAMILY REUNION AUGUST 6-8, 1993

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

ZIP CODE _____

TEL _____ CREDIT CARD # _____ Exp _____

ARRIVAL Date _____ DEPARTURE Date _____

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Deposit requirements equal one nights room and tax or credit card number for guarantee purposes. Guest room rate is \$80.00 per night single room occupancy; \$90.00 per room double occupancy plus 12% room tax. please circle requested floor: 1st or 2nd or no preference. Smoking or non smoking. (If handicapped, please note.) Reservation cards to be returned to hotel by July 6, 1993 in order to guarantee reservation. Return reservation card to:

THE RAMADA INN & CONFERENCE CENTER

144 Anthony Road
Portsmouth, RI 02871
(401) 683 3600
(800) 289 0404

MEMBERSHIP
CORY FAMILY SOCIETY

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ St _____ Zip _____
Phone (____) _____

Please fill out the above form or provide like information, include a check in the amount of \$10.00 for the current years dues, to **The Cory Family Society**. Send to the Treasurer, Mrs Maxine Hester at 1123 N. Cambrian Bremerton, WA. 98310 For the purpose of inter family contact, please initial if you will allow us to give out your name and address.

YES

No

 Check your label: 1992 1993 etc Paid, Life/Comp OK, xx one more x last issue

CORYS OF AMERICA

Ancestors and Descendants

The first Edition of the book CORYS OF AMERICA is still available through the Editor. The book is in the register format, contains 920 pages with 12,000 names, indexed. The book is library cloth bound, standard 6 x 9 inches, gold leaf titles. this book contains separate genealogies of the descendants of John Cory of Southold, William of Portsmouth, Thomas of Chelmsford, and many more not connected to one of the afore mentioned progenitors. The book may be purchased for \$50.00 which includes shipping and handling. I will send a book to your favorite library or Society for \$38.00 including shipping. To Purchase said book you may send your check or money order to:

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