



"CHIEF OF SCOUTS"

Photograph of Buffalo Bill in his uniform as "Chief of Scouts" of the United States Army, a position created for him and never conferred upon any other man. It is easy to trace in his countenance the traits indicative of his noble character.

MEMORIAL EDITION

Buffalo Bill's Own Story

OF

His Life and Deeds

This Autobiography tells in His Own Graphic Words the Wonderful Story of his Heroic Career

His Story shows his Devotion to Duty as a Child when Supporting his Widowed Mother, His Valuable Services to the Government while riding in the Famous "Pony Express" and Vividly Portrays his Thrilling Experiences as Hunter and Scout while acting as Guide to the Army and Trains of Prairie Schooners—His many Hair-breadth Escapes in his Fights with Indians, Desperadoes and while Hunting Buffalo and other Wild Animals, as well as his Later Triumphs in Conducting the Tours of his Great Wild West Exhibition in the United States and Europe

His Autobiography is brought up to date including a full account of his Death and Burial
Written by his Boy-hood Chum and Life-long Friend,
WILLIAM LIGHTFOOT VISSCHER, LL. B.

Historian and Poet
Author of "The Pony Express," "Away Out Yonder,"
"A Knight of the West", etc., etc.

The whole comprising an Authentic History of many Incidents inseparably interwoven with the Exploration, Settlement and Development of the Great Western Plains.

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COLONEL WILLIAM FREDERIC CODY
("BUFFALO BILL")