

Eliza was victim of larceny reported ["**The Argus**" 15.10.1851]

Eliza met George Darley Bourcicault (p.BOU 01) who on 9.10.1848 had taken over proprietorship of the newspaper (now named "Port Phillip Patriot and Melbourne News") and they became partners; c1852/3 she moved to Sydney, NSW (with her family but without her son Thomas) and there their daughter Florence J. Bourcicault was b.c1853; in 1853 they sailed to England with her children (except Thomas), marrying at Southampton, Hampshire on 6.1.1854

NOTE: an early map of Port Phillip shows "Mrs Coulson's (sic) Public House" (this is now the "Great Britain Hotel")

c1856 they were at Paris, France where they had two further children (twins); of 25 Cromwell Rd, Kensington, London 1871 (with her dau. Elizabeth Jane Coulson); of Shamrock Lodge, Matham Rd, East Molesey, Surrey 1881; of 9 Guadalupe Terrace, Brading, Sandown, Isle of Wight, Hampshire 1891

Eliza d.22.11.1891 Brompton/Kensington, London (no Will)

Elizabeth "Eliza" Coulson (nee Howard) m.2nd 6.1.1854 at Holywood Church (C.o.E., Southampton, Hampshire, England to George Darley Bourcicault (a.k.a. Boursiquot) (p.BOU 01) b.9.3.1818 (twin) at Sandy Mount, a seaside suburb of Dublin where Dionysius Lardner lived; bapt.18.4.1818 (as Boursiquot) at Eustace Street Presbyterian Church, Dublin

George Darley Bourcicault moved to Victoria, Australia; living at Melbourne c1847; he acquired land at Melbourne when squatters runs were sub-divided (c1851 ?)

from 1.10.1845 he was newspaper proprietor, printer & editor of "Port Phillip Patriot and Melbourne News"; on 9.10.1848 this became "The Melbourne Daily News and Port Phillip Patriot" and from Nov.1848 (until beyond 30.6.1851) "The Melbourne Daily News"; the office had started as a shed with small printing press, located immediately behind the "Shakespeare Hotel"; both hotel and newspaper were established 6.2.1839 by John Pascoe Fawkner, one of the founders of Melbourne, at the corner of Collins St. & Market St.) in Port Phillip, Melbourne

a neighbour in 1852 at the "Shakespeare Hotel" was the hotel manager "Eliza" Coulson (nee Howard) who became his partner; their dau. Florence Bourcicault was b.26.3.1853 (prob. Melbourne, the birth being later registered and Florence bapt. at Sydney); they sailed (with her daughter Elizabeth Jane Coulson and presumably the infant Florence) from Melbourne to Sydney, arriving 16.8.1853; Florence was bapt.7.9.53 at St Phillip, Sydney

having during the gold rush secured his future by purchasing a good quantity of gold mining shares, in late 1853 they sailed for England and there they married, at Southampton on 6.1.1854

of 5 Cromwell Road, Kensington, London 1854; c1856 they were at Paris, France where had two children (twins); of St Mary Abbots, Kensington 1865-1867; of 25 Cromwell Rd Kensington, London 1871 (with his step-dau. Elizabeth Jane Coulson); he was "retired on dividends" by 1881

at 5.4.1891 census residing at his club, the "Constitutional Club" on Northumberland Avenue, Westminster, London; of 13 Porchester Gardens, Bayswater/Paddington (home of his daughter Florence J. Kirby) 1901

d.1.7.1902 Paddington, London;

Will dated 13.7.1901, pr. Aug.1902; by his Will his remaining estate went to his son George Pensam Bourcicault, not mentioning

>>> Frederick William Coulson
b.?9.1839 Port Phillip, Melbourne, Victoria; d.31.10.1840 Port Phillip

>>> Jane Emma Coulson; b.30.8.1841 at the Melbourne Hotel, Port Phillip, Melbourne;
d.2.5.1842 at the Melbourne Hotel

>>> Elizabeth "Eliza" Jane Coulson
b.13.3.1843 Richmond, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia (1871 England census has her b.c1847, in error)

moved to England with her parents 1853;
her birth was re-registered at London c1854, her place of birth wrongly stated as "Curzon Street, London";
in 1871 residing with mother & stepfather George Darley Boursiquot at 25 Cromwell Rd, Kensington, London

of Curzon Street, Mayfair, London at the time of her marriage in 1875;
["**Pedigree of the family of Greene**" by Lt-Col. J.J. Greene, pub. Stationer's Hall, Dublin 1899]
repeats the error that she was born at Curzon Street

d.17.2.1876 (dsp), drowned with her husband when SS "Strathclyde"
on which they were sailing from London to Bombay, India,
was run down in Dover Bay by the German ship "Franconia";
her body was recovered 20.2.1876 from the Kentish Knock
(area of sea off the coast of Kent and Essex) by the fishing smack "Crest"

m.28.12.1875 at the parish church of St.George Hanover Square, London (C.o.E.);
Capt. John Clinton Greene, RA (Royal Artillery); son of Richard Greene & Louisa Martin;
b.?1.1839 Dunkitt House, Co.Waterford, Ireland;
d.17.2.1876 drowned (with his wife), his body washed ashore at Deal 12.3.1876

>>> Edmund (Edmond on headstone) Howard Coulson
b.?4.1844 Melbourne, Victoria

he d.19.10.1850 (but headstone inscription has d.21.10.1850) drowned in the Yarra Yarra River
at Melbourne ["**The Argus**" **Melbourne 21.10.1850**]; funeral at St.Peter's Church, Melbourne;
bur.?10.1850 Fawkner Cemetery (Pioneers Section), Melbourne,
with his father John William Coulson (who died the same year)

>>> John William Coulson
b.16.4.1847 Port Phillip Melbourne, Victoria ["**Port Phillip Patriot**"];
d.16.12.1852 Brunswick, Melbourne

>>> Robert Edmund (Edmond?) >>>> Florence Edith Coulson; restaurant cashier 1901
Coulson
b.9.8.1849 Queen's Hotel,
Queen St., Melbourne, Victoria; >>> Thomas Howard Coulson
bapt.25.10.1850
St James', Melbourne
b.25.4.1881 Candicote, Dieppe, France;

of 7 East Terrace, Battersea, London 1891;
of 36 Effingham Street, Ramsgate, Kent 1901;
of 36 Clare Avenue, Hoole, Chester 1911;
wine merchant's clerk 1901; commercial traveller (game foods) 1911;
d.Oct-Dec.1924 West Ham, London

architect, surveyor & builder;
Architectural Engineer's pupil
of Plymouth, Devon 1879;
at Edinburgh, Scotland 1871; >>> (Edmund) Walter Alan Coulson
Builder 1891;
Builder's clerk 1901;
architect & surveyor 1911
b.17.3.1883 Rou Houand, Dieppe, France;
advertising clerk 1901;
d.1906 Rochford, Essex

boarder at 5 Hope Park Square,
Buccleuch, Edinburgh 1871; >>> William Gordon Coulson
of 7 East Terrace, Battersea,
London 1891;
of 8 Margery Park Road, West
Ham, London 1901;
of 49 Southchurch Avenue,
Southend-on-Sea Essex 1909-11
b.19.10.1885 Brixton/Lambeth, London

>>> Alfred Victor Coulson
b.17.3.1887 Herne Hill, London;
office post boy 1901; served in the army

m.14.8.1915 Uxbridge, Middlesex;
Dorothy Mary Lea

d.8.3.1935 Peckham, London

>>> Alice Maud Coulson
b.15.2.1888 East Dulwich, London

his dau. Florence Bourcicault (but in his last years he resided with her, so she had probably received her share while he was living)

George Darley Bourcicault in his Will also did not mention his stepson Robert Edmund Coulson, this latter perhaps causing a rift in the family; when Robert's mother Eliza Howard/Coulson/Bourcicault had died in 1891 she left no Will, so Robert Coulson was effectively disinherited

NOTE: George Darley Bourcicault was a brother of Dion Boucicault Sr (formerly Boursiquot) stage manager, playwright and actor (see page BOU 05)

m.15.4.1879
Croydon (C.o.E.) Surrey;
Emma Maria Wood
b.8.7.1859 Croydon, Surrey;
of Croydon 1879;
d.1930 Bedford, Bedfordshire

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| | >>> Lilian Beatrice Coulson >>>> >>>> Sylvia Lillian Raynor >>>>>> >>>> |
| | b.9.7.1890 Battersea, London b.20.7.1920 |
| | d.1.12.1966 Leigh-on-Sea, of Southend-on-Sea, Essex; |
| | Essex d.4.5.2006 |
| | / / |
| | m.12.7.1919 Bedford, m.17.10.1942 |
| | Bedfordshire; Louis Raynor Albert Henry Berresford (two r) |
| | b.16.2.1879 Hackney, London b.21.11.1917 d.6.3.1988 |
| | d.4.11.1954 Leigh-on-Sea |
| | / >>> <son> Coulson(?) |
| | his 2nd marriage; of Southend-on-Sea, Essex; |
| | he m.1st Lizzie Annie <??> architect |
| | >>> Dorothy May Coulson >>>>>> >>>> Eileen Newman |
| | b.5.2.1892 Earlsfield, / |
| | Wandsworth, London; m. Peter Palmer |
| | shop assistant at laundry 1911 |
| | / |
| | m.1921 Bedford; |
| | William Newman; b.1890 Bedford |
| | >>> Winifred Mabel Coulson |
| | b.11.3.1894 Catford, Kent |
| | / |
| | m.1918 Bedford; |
| | William Henry Jackman |
| | >>> Ernest George Coulson; b.15.5.1897 Camberwell/Dulwich, London |
| | >>> Violet Muriel Coulson; b.21.11.1899 Camberwell/East Dulwich, London |
| | >>> Robert Roy Coulson >>>>>>>> >>>> <??> Coulson >>>>>>>>>>>> >>>> |
| | b.12.12.1902 Manor Park, / |
| | West Ham, London; m. <??> |
| | d.?5.1980 Luton, Bedfordshire |
| | / |
| | m.?4.1932 Ampthill, Bedfordshire; |
| | Clara Irene Sugars |
| | b.17.9.1913 Ampthill |
| | d.?9.1999 Warwickshire |
| | >>> Cecil Leigh Coulson |
| | b.29.11.1904 Leigh-on-Sea, Essex |
| | / |
| | m.1932 Lewisham; |
| | Doris G. Butler |
| | b.?3.1916 |