

FREDERICK CORBOULD, of Niton. B. 1834. D. 1892.

SECTION X.

CORBOULD OF NITON

FREDERICK CORBOULD (see Section IX) of Blenheim House, Ventnor, and of Niton, Isle of Wight, brewer, wine shipper and merchant, b. 28 Aug. 1834, bapt. 21 Sep. 1834 by the Rev. —. Meeking at Speenhamland Church. Educated at Woodspeen House School, Newbury, during the headmastership of his father. Churchwarden at St. Catherine's, Ventnor. Died 8 May 1892. Bur. at Niton. Will proved in London on 20 July 1892.

He married 1st, 23 Dec. 1857, MARIA (b. 18 Feb. 1835, d. 27 March 1882, bur. at Niton), dau. of William WINTERBOURNE of the City of Oxford (by his wife Maria Robertson), whose family held lands at Aston in the parish of Bampton, Oxfordshire, and is traditionally said to have derived its name from the village of Winterbourne, Berks.

Assisted by her nine surviving children, Mrs. Corbould made by hand the embroidered carpet in the chancel of Godshill Church, Isle of Wight.

He married 2ndly, by licence, at St. Catherine's Church, Ventnor, 16 Aug. 1886, JANE ELIZABETH, b. 1859, who d. 25 May 1889 aged 30, and was bur. at Ventnor, dau. of John Linton. They had one child who died in infancy.

By his first wife Frederick Corbould had 10 children:—

- 1. LYDIA FANNY CORBOULD, b. 23 Dec. 1858, d. at Winnipeg 14 July 1926. Married at Edgware Road, London, 26 Oct. 1878, John Shields, of Broomhedge, Ireland, Cheshunt, Herts, and Winnipeg, Canada, b. 15 Nov. 1844, d. 15 July 1923, leaving issue:—
 - 1a. James Shields, b. 1 Oct. 1879 at Hendon, Middlesex. Surveyor at Winnipeg. Enlisted in the 79th Cameron Highlanders of Canada and volunteered for active service on the outbreak of the Great War in Aug. 1914, came to England in Nov. 1914, and was sent to France early in 1915. Brigade Sergeant Major, 15th Batt. 48th Highlanders (Toronto). Was in the first Battle of Ypres, when the Canadians were surrounded by the enemy. The officers of his battalion were killed, and the non-coms. of whom he was one, had to carry on. This was before the days of steel helmets, and he was severely wounded in the head by five pieces of shrapnel, sent to hospital in England, and on recovery was sent to Shorncliffe, where he was appointed Staff Sergeant, which rank he retained until the war was over.

Married at Streatham Hill, London, 17 Feb. 1916, AGNES TAYLOR, of Coatbridge, Scotland, and had:—

1b. KATHLEEN CORBOULD SHIELDS, b. 13 Oct. 1917 at Winnipeg.

- 2b. John Shields, b. 1 Dec. 1918 at Winnipeg, d. there 29 Nov. 1920.
- 3b. LYDIA FANNY SHIELDS, b. at Winnipeg 27 Nov. 1921.
- 4b. Albert Jolliffe Shields, b. at Toronto 25 Nov. 1923.
- 2a. Maria Shields, of 615, Mulvey Avenue, Fort Rouge, late of 109, Cauchou Street, Fort Rouge, Winnipeg, b. 12 Feb. 1881 at Hendon, Middlesex, Secretary. Served in the War Office, Whitehall, London, during the Great War.
- 3a. John Shields, b. 8 Sep. 1882 at Iver Heath, Bucks. Lately of Winnipeg, Canada, now of Newchurch. Married at Newchurch, Isle of Wight, 17 Aug. 1928, Emily, 3rd dau. of William and Mary Groves, of Newchurch.
- 4a. Lydia Shields, twin with Mary, b. 1 Mar. 1884 at Iver Heath, Bucks, married at Winnipeg, 24 June 1908, George Blomfield Barker, of Barker Block, Melita, Manitoba, Canada, formerly of Ashfield-cum-Thorpe, Suffolk, England (b. there), son of Lemon Barker (b. at Ashfield) by his wife Sarah Ann Blomfield, the youngest son of John Barker (b. at Ashfield, c. 1810) by his wife . . . Nestling. They have issue:—
 - 1b. GEORGE SHIELDS BARKER, of Winnipeg, b. 16 April 1909, educate Melita Collegiate Institute and Manitoba University (graduate 1931).
 - 2b. John Blomfield Barker, b. 26 July 1910. Educ. at Melita Collegiate Institute, Manitoba.
 - 3b. HAROLD ALEXANDER BARKER, b. 25 Nov. 1913. Educ. at Melita Collegiate Institute.
 - 4b. EDWARD CORBOULD BARKER, b. 25 Feb. 1918 at Melita, Manitoba.
- 5a. Mary Shields, twin with Lydia, b. 1 Mar. 1884 at Iver Heath, Bucks. Married at Winnipeg, 23 May 1930, Alexander Dodds, of Winnipeg, late of Haddington, Scotland.
- 2. James Corbould, of Woolescote Lodge, Ventnor, Isle of Wight, b. at Blenheim House, Ventnor 20 April 1861; educ. at Woodspeen House, Newbury, during the headmastership of his grandfather and of his uncle. In 1876 he commenced a voyage round the world in the "Plassy," and as third in command helped to bring the ship safely through the great Bermuda hurricane of 1879. On this voyage scurvy broke out, and the "Plassy" was so much damaged by terrific seas that it took six months and a half to complete the return voyage compared with the normal sailing period of 21 days. He saw the "Atalanta" capsize in the hurricane and she was never spoken again. By an odd chance the wreck of her sister ship H.M.S. Eurydice off the Isle of Wight in 1878 was witnessed by Miss Elizabeth Holbrook who afterwards became his wife.

In 1892 he succeeded to his father's business; later this was sold outright to Long & Co., Ltd., of Portsmouth. Mr. Corbould is a member of the Yarborough Masonic Lodge No. 551, and was for 28 years Hon. Sec. of

Ventnor Sailing Club. On coming ashore he became an enthusiastic infantry volunteer and in one year won £65 worth of prizes for rifle shooting.

Churchwarden at St. Catherine's, Ventnor, where he was married on 16 October 1882 to ELIZABETH, b. at Oberon House, Ventnor, 27 May 1860, third and youngest dau. of Joseph Holbrook of Oberon House, Ventnor, and Wellow, in the parish of Shalfleet, Isle of Wight, who was born at Calbourne, and died at Ventnor, bur. there, a descendant of the naval family of Holbrook of Newtown, which was settled at Calbourne in the 16th century.

Mr. Holbrook married, at Newchurch, Anne, b. 28 May 1828, d. at Ventnor 11 April 1896, bur. there, eldest dau. of Jacob Fowler of Berelay, Niton (b. 1795, d. at Berelay 1 Dec. 1879 in his 85th year, bur. at Niton), by his wife Jane (b. and bapt. at Niton in 1791, d. at Berelay 20 Jan. 1880 in her 89th year, bur. at Niton), elder dau. of Thomas Whitewood of Niton by Jane Arthur his wife.

The Whitewood family, which is recorded in Niton registers for 200 years, resided at Rookley in the parish of Godshill in the 17th century, and the Arthurs were at Niton as early as 1632.

Both through the families of Holbrook and Whitewood, Mrs. Corbould is connected with that of Urry, resident at Thorley since the 16th century.

Mrs. Joseph Holbrook's sister, Mary, is now in her 98th year.

They had issue:-

1a. Maria Magdalene (Madge) Corbould, b. 27 June 1883, bapt. at St. Catherine's Church, Ventnor 5 Sep. 1883. Artist: landscapes and portraits. Educ. at St. Boniface School and Ellerker College, Richmond Hill, Surrey. Died at Collingwood Place, 29 March 1929, bur. at Speen.

Married at Teynham Church, Kent, by the Rev. E. J. Corbould, Horatio Orlando Poulter, of Collingwood Place, Camberley, gent., b. at Collingwood 29 Oct. 1877; member of the Law Society since 1904; memb. of the Medico-Legal Society since 1908. In 1910 he (as a tyro) won with the highest possible score the 1st prize in the Colt Revolver Competition, at Bisley Camp. In 1911 he won the N.R.A. bronze revr. medal (County Assn.) at Bisley. In 1911 and 1912 he won the gold medals and revr. championships of the London and Middlesex Counties R.A. at Bisley. In 1911-12 and -13 he won the gold medals and revr. champshs. of the S.L.R.C. at Bisley. In 1912 he won the bronze and in 1913 the gold medal and revr. champsh. of the N.L.R.C. at Bisley. In 1912 he was selected for the team of four to represent the United Kingdom in pistol shooting in Olympic Games at Stockholm and was there awarded 2 bronze medals (team) and a special certificate of merit (individual).

Enrolled Ulster Volunteer 9 Feb. 1914. Honorary Agent 12 Feb. 1914.

In July 1914 he was Captain of the Whitehead Team (A-C) at Bisley which beat the Territorial Force.

Volunteered for active service 6 Aug. 1914, and several times later, but was not actually enlisted until 1915. Was conjointly with Mr. Huxley (who at his own expense supplied the iron target frames and targets) honorary instructor in revolver shooting to the officers of two infantry brigades in October and November 1914 at Bisley Camp and supplied the ammunition free. Army Marksman (Rifle). as a private (sometime acting L.Corpl., unpaid) in infantry, Royal Fusiliers (front line France and Belgium 1916-1917-1918). Honorary Instructor (revr.) 37th Divisional M.M.P. in France during rest times from trenches in 1917. During another 3 days rest period, on 24 July 1918, the respective A.P.M.s arranged a revolver match in which he beat Corporal C. D. Nicholson (80th Divn. U.S. Army), champion military revolver shot of the United States Army. He was severely wounded by machine gun fire at the taking of a village east of Caudry a fortnight before armistice, and was discharged from hospital 13th March 1919 category B III with life pension (confirmed), and transferred to army reserve 11 April 1919.

Eldest son of the late Harry George Poulter, of Collingwood Place, gent., by his wife Kate, fifth daughter of Robert Briant, and cousin of George Grossmith the actor, and Joseph Wells, D.C.L., Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford.

They had issue:-

1b. George Collingwood Brownlow Poulter, b. 5 Nov. 1908. Co-opted Member of the Records and Ancient Monuments Committee of Surrey County Council, and of the Historical Records Committee of Frimley and Camberley Urban District Council, 1934.

Elected a Member of the Society of Genealogists, 1933. Author of "The MacCrimmon Genealogy," "The Wilsons of Barbados," "The Golden Farmer," and "The Later Highwaymen of Baghot Heath."

Member of Comunn na Piobaireachd (which records the history and publishes ancient tunes of ceol mor, and maintains advanced classes for army pipers at Edinburgh Castle).

Life Member of the English Twenty Club and of the Surrey XX Club, Bisley. Memb. of the Executive Committee of the Surrey County Miniature Rifle Association. Hon. Secretary of Chobham and District Rifle Club, and late Chairman of its Finance Committee. Shoots for West Surrey, Chobham and Worplesdon. Bell medal, 1930.

Vice-President of the Surrey County Chess Association 1930-4, and a member of the Council since 1933; Surrey county player. Member of the Council of the Middlesex County Chess Associa-

tion. Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer, Camberley Chess Club, since 1927, and winner of the championship silver medal in that year.

2b. Charles Geoffrey Brownlow Poulter, 318th A.A. S/L Coy., R.E. (T.), b. 14 Jan. 1910. Surrey county service rifle shot, and also shoots for West Surrey, Royal Engineers (Guildford), and Chobham. Second in Surrey Group R.E. service rifle championship in both 1932 and 1933. Runner-up Westlake Cup 1932 and winner of Westlake Cup 1933. Member of English and Surrey XX Clubs.

Bell Medal 1929. R.E. silver medals for service rifle shooting 1931-2. N.R.A. Donegall Badge 1932. Surrey County R.A. bronze medal, 1934. Class "A" National Roll of Marksmen 1930-1-2-3-4-5. Hon. Sec. Royal Engineers (Guildford) Rifle

Club.

Plays chess for Camberley.

- 2a. VIOLET ELIZABETH CORBOULD, educ. at St. Boniface School and Ellerker College, Richmond Hill, Surrey. Married in 1908, PERCY HARRY ANGUS EAMES, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, son of Richard Eames of Fareham, Hants, grandson of William Eames, member of the armigerous family of Eames of Hampshire and Somerset. They have:—
 - 1b. OLWYN MYFANWY VIOLET EAMES, b. in Wales, 18 June 1909.
 - 2b. Martin Percy James Eames, of Coobang, Parkes, N.S.W., b. 12 July 1910, educ. at Colston's School, Bristol. Settled at Traingie, N.S.W., Australia, in Sept. 1926.
- 3a. Hubert James Corbould, of 152, David Street, Sudbury, Ontario, Canada, Accountant, b. at Ventnor, I. of W., 25 April 1886, educ. at Colston's School, Bristol, 1896-1901. Member of the Yarborough Masonic Lodge, No. 551.

Married at Montreal, Canada, 24 Sep. 1922, MILDRED KATE, b. at Dean, 4th dau. of Francis Attrill, of Dean, Whitwell, by his wife Fanny, dau. of William and Charlotte Attrill of Jobsons, Niton, and granddau. of Daniel Attrill of Dean, Whitwell, b. 1822, d. 12 July 1895, bur. at Whitwell, I. of W., and his wife Mary Fleming (d. 1894). They have one son:—

- 1b. Francis James Corbould, b. at Sudbury, Ontario, 1 Feb. 1930, bapt. at the church of the Epiphany, Sudbury, 14 June 1930.
- 3. MARIA MUNVILLE CORBOULD, b. 15 Jan. 1863, educ. at "The Hurst," Andover, and in London. Married, as his 2nd wife, at Ventnor, 6 June 1886, Henry James Hoey, Inland Revenue Dept., of Southampton, and later of Glasgow, Aberdeen, Craigellachie and Brighton, son of Patrick Hoey, by his wife, a member of the ancient and armigerous family of O'Neil. Mr. Hoey, who d. 29 Oct. 1927, had married 1st Henrietta Elizabeth Worthington of Ventnor, who d. 10 Nov. 1883 aged 32, bur. at Ventnor; they had one child who died in infancy.

- By his 2nd wife, he had issue:-
- 1a. MARIA HOEY, b. in Scotland, 30 March 1887. Married 17 Sept. 1911 GEORGE ERNEST RYDE of Hove, Sussex, gent. She served throughout the Great War at a V.A.D. Hospital in Brighton.
- 2a. ELLEN HOEY, b. in Scotland, 8 Aug. 1888, d.s.p. 18 March 1925. Married 18 Oct. 1920, PERCY EDWIN SMITH, of Learnington Spa, Warwick.
- 3a. HENRIETTA HOEY, b. at Craigellachie, Scotland, 6 Feb. 1891. Art Class Teachers' Certificate (South Kensington, 10 March 1913). Commendation, National Competition, Board of Education, 1910. London City and Guilds Certificates.

On the formation of the Women's Royal Air Force, she was gazetted Assistant Administrator, and appointed Assistant Technical Superintendent, 2 Aug. 1918. Demobilized, 30 Nov. 1919.

Married 16 Sep. 1922, Joseph Stuart Darracott, of The Laurels, Cargate Avenue, Aldershot, Worshipful Master (1932) of the Palma Virtuti Masonic Lodge, No. 4187. During the Great War from 1915 to 1918 he served in France in the Artists' Rifles and the Hampshire Regiment, gazetted 2nd Lieut., and was wounded.

He is the adopted only son of the late Thomas Darracott, of Flexbury, Cargate Avenue, Aldershot, Hants, Esq., C.C. and J.P. (Hants), C.C. (Cornwall), Governor of Aldershot Hospital, member of the Society of Friends, who d. 2 Aug. 1932, will pr. Oct. 1932 at £18,448, and his wife Annie Maria Shepherd.

They have:-

- 1b. Thomas Michael Darracott, b. 25 Aug. 1923.
- 2b. JOHN MUNVILLE DARRACOTT, b. 7 March 1928.
- 3b. JOSEPH CORBOULD DARRACOTT, b. at Aldershot 22 Feb. 1934.
- 4a. Patrick Henry Michael Hoey, of Oakdene, The Avenue, West Wickham, Kent, b. at Brighton 12 Oct. 1896, Executive Officer, Inland Revenue Department, Somerset House, London. Staff side Secretary, Inland Revenue Dept., Whitley Council, July 1920 to date. Hon. General Secretary, Civil Service Confederation (membership 5,600) Nov. 1927 to date. At his school at Brighton he was in the 1st XI cricket and football, captain of school house, holder of 100 yds. running record for 8 years, member of his school chess team, also of Inland Revenue chess team. He enlisted in the Queen's Westminsters in Jan. 1916; but was demobilized in Sept. 1916, owing to heart disease.

Married 30 June 1921, Joan Edith Sams, of London, and has issue:—
1b. Patricia Mary Hoey, b. 17 June 1926.

- 5a. THOMAS O'NEIL HOEY, of Banbury, Oxfordshire, of the Civil Service, formerly of Lloyd's, b. at Brighton, 16 July 1899. Attested Aug. 1917. Joined up 7 Jan. 1918. Served in the 10th Batt. Royal Warwickshire Regt., and also in the Oxfordshire Hussars. Wounded near Lille Aug. 1918, also wounded near Malplaquet (4 miles from Mons) 7 Nov. 1918. Discharged as disabled 28 Feb. 1919.
 - Married 6 Sep. 1928, EDITH BEATRICE CORNLEY, of Coventry.
- 6a. ROBERT LEE HOEY, of the Royal Air Force, b. at Brighton 29 May 1903, served with the Shanghai Defence Force during the disturbances in China in 1926. Married 3 April 1926, ADA PHYLLIS FREEMAN, of Gloucester.
- 4. MARY CORBOULD, b. 14 Feb. 1864, educ. at the Benedictine Priory of the Sacred Heart, Ventnor. Died at Manchester 7 Nov. 1932. Married in 1886, COLONEL ALBERT EDWARD JOLLIFFE, R.G.A., of 20, Reynard Road, Chorlton-cum-Hardy, Manchester, served with the 42nd Division B.E.F. France 1916, sometime Commandant of Prisoners-of-War Camp, youngest son of Jonathan Jolliffe, of Luccombe and Bonchurch, Isle of Wight, b. 1818, d. 28 Jan. 1897, bur. at Bonchurch, by his second wife Frances (b. 1824, d. 14 March 1911, bur. at Bonchurch), dau. of Arthur Way of Luccombe, b. 1784, d. 22 July 1859, bur. at Bonchurch, and Jane his wife (b. 1800, d. 21 Dec. 1877, bur. at Bonchurch).

They have:—

- 1a. Rosa Mary Jolliffe, b. at Ventnor 9 Aug. 1889. Married at Bonchurch, Isle of Wight, 31 Dec. 1912, Victor George Martin, of Rose Bank, West Didsbury, Manchester, Managing Director of the Aerowater Supply Company, Manchester and Liverpool, and has issue:—
 - 1b. BARBARA BETTY MARTIN, b. at Whalley Range, Manchester, 9 Oct. 1913.
 - 2b. PAULINE MARY MARTIN, b. at Whalley Range, Manchester, 2 Aug. 1918.
- 5. VIOLET CORBOULD, b. 17 Feb. 1865, d. 24 March 1865, bur. at Ventnor.
- 6. Annie Martha Corbould, of Scatwell, Higham, Kent, b. 7 March 1866, educ. at Newport, Isle of Wight, Dibdin in the New Forest, then at King's Lynn, Norfolk and in London. Throughout the Great War she served at Great Hermitage V.A.D. Hospital, Higham.
 - Married at St. Mary's Church, Brighton, Sussex, 10 May 1902, JOHN (IAN) NIMMO, electrical engineer, of Higham, b. at Milton-of-Buchanan, co. Stirling, Scotland, son of William Nimmo, of Penicuik, Midlothian, and of his wife Agnes Haggart, of Balquhidder, co. Perth, Scotland.
- 7. FREDERICK CORBOULD, an engineer at Woolwich Arsenal, b. 19 Sep. 1867, seriously injured in motor accident, Woolwich, 1915. Married in 1897 at St. Andrew's Parish Church, Sonning-on-Thames, Berks, Elsie Hilma

d. at Salfords, Redhill, Surrey, 16 July 1934, dau. of Francis Brown, of The Old Deanery, Sonning-on-Thames, and of Melbourne, Australia, and gt. niece of the Rev. Principal Robert Bren, C.M.S., of Reading.

They had:-

- 1a. ELSIE MADELINE CORBOULD, of Hilma, Salfords, Redhill, b. at Blackheath, S.E., 13 Aug. 1898. During the Great War she joined No. 1 School of Aeronautics at Reading, was subsequently engaged in detailing and tracing at John I. Thornycroft's at Basingstoke, and is now with the Monotype Corporation, Ltd.
- 8. Alfred Giles Corbould, of 39, Sundorne Road, Charlton, S.E.7, b. at Blenheim House, Ventnor, 1 Jan. 1875; with Messrs. Copestake, Crampton and Co., 50, Cheapside, London, E.C., for the past 44 years.

Married at St. Luke's Church, Old Charlton, S.E.7, 31 Aug. 1912, MARY ALICE, b. 10 March 1874, eldest dau. of Captain William Henry Park, shipowner, and his wife Catherine, and granddau. of Mungo Park, Esq., M.D., London, who was a son of Captain Mungo Park, R.N., of Fowlshiels, Yarrow, Selkirk, sometime a physician at Peebles, the celebrated African traveller and author, a friend and neighbour of Sir Walter Scott, Bt., and Commander of the Niger Expedition of 1805, by his wife, the eldest dau. of Thomas Anderson of Selkirk.

- 9. SISTER BEATRICE ROBERTSON CORBOULD, one of the Anglican sisterhood at St. Michael's Home, Bloemfontein, South Africa, b. 22 Oct. 1876. Educ. at the Benedictine Priory of the Sacred Heart, Ventnor, and at a London hospital.
- 10. SISTER AGATHA CORBOULD, of Royston, Herts, a Roman Catholic nun, b. 13 April 1879, educ. at the Benedictine Priory of the Sacred Heart, Ventnor.