# FAMILY SHEET SIR JULIUS BENEDICT OF STUTTGART + NAPLES (ITALY) + LONDON

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#### **SIR JULIUS BENEDICT** (born as Isaac Benedict)

born 27 Nov 1804 Stuttgart (Germany), died 5 Jun 1885 London (England) parents = banker + artist Moses Benedict in Stuttgart + wife Flora (Bluemchen) von Geldern

talented pianist, studied with Nepomuk Hummel and Carl Maria von Weber, became famous as bandmaster in Vienna/Austria, Naples/Italy, Paris/France and London/England, where he settled as a conductor and composer of operas, symphonies and piano concerts (Professor of Music). Converted to Christianty (Lutheran, in Naples?), accompanied singer Jenny Lind on her tour through America in 1850 - Julius Benedict was knighted in 1871

married (1) ca 1833 in Naples (Italy)

#### THERESE MARGARET ADELAIDE JEAN (Catholic) 1815 - 1851/1852

died ca 1851 in London soon after her son had died in France (see below) parents = Charles Jean + wife Anne nee Thiriet

married (2) 23 Dec 1879 in London (England)

# **MARY COMBER FORTEY**

born 06 May 1857 Belley Madras (British India), died ca 1915 (in London?) parents = Henry Fortey + wife Mary nee Paramore (5 Jan 1833-19 Aug 1866) Henry's wife Mary died and was buried in Madras (British India) Henry Fortey served as inspector of schools in Madras, India

Mary as a young lady had come all the way from India to study piano with Julius Benedict

after Julius Benedict had died, Maria Comber Benedict married 1 Feb 1886 in London (England)

# FRANK LAWSON (single so far)

born ?, died ? of London Daily Telegraph father = deceased Lionel Lawson

at time of mrriage couple lived in London - couple appeared in 1901 census in England

couple produced 3 sons =

Lionel Lawson died in a fire at Eton College (14 years old)

**Frank Lawson** shot himself to death by his own revolver in 1914

**Reginald Lawson** owned Saltwood Castle in Kent, married Iva Christian (father = Daniel Christian from USA?) widow Iva married on 17 Nov 1934 Baron Martin Conway of Allington, who died in 1937. So Reginald Lawson must have died before 1934.

SO FAR KNOWN CHILDREN out of Julius Benedict's first marriage =

### (01) ADELINE JOHANNA MARIA BENEDICT

born 21 Aug 1836 in Naples (Italy), died 16 Dec 1883 in Stuttgart married 6 Sep 1856 (in Stuttgart ?)

**Heinrich Freiherr von Huegel** from Ludwigsburg near Stuttgart 03 Nov 1820 - 10 Jun 1873 (died in Ludwigsburg from tuberculosis) parents = Lieutant-General Freiherr August Ferdinand von Huegel + 2nd wife Freifrau Albertine Sophie nee Woellwarth

Heinrich von Huegel died as "Oberst" (= Colonel) and Commander of the 4th Wuerttemberg Infantry Regiment Nr 122, he had participated in the Wars of 1866 and 1870/71

Adeline von Huegel appeared as widow of Oberst von Huegel in Stuttgart city directories 1877 - 1882, she was buried right next to her husband at Old Cemetery of Ludwigsburg

Adeline + Heinrich von Huegel produced two children =

- x **Georgine von Huegel** 01 Oct 1858 05 Jan 1873 died in Ludwigsburg from tuberculosis
- X **Julius von Huegel** born ca Nov 1862, still alive in 1873 but not mentioned in grandfather's last will of 1885

#### (02) ERNEST CHARLES FELIX JULES BENEDICT

(order of names according to last will of his father)

born in London 08 Oct 1838 - died in London 01 Dec 1925 civil engineer for Eastern Bengal Railway Office (in 1871) at Sealdah, Cacutta (India)

his father mentioned him in 1867 as "building a bridge over the Ganges river" in British India, probably Hardinge Bridge at Sara? married (1) 9 Oct 1865 in London

#### **Fanny Moigan**

ca 1843 - ?

(1)

father = John Moigan

couple produced a son (born in Calcutta, India) =

**Charles Julius Ernest Bradford Benedict** ca 1869 - ? (mentioned in Sir Julius Benedict's last will of 1885)

(2) **Ernest Benedict** married (2) 19 Jun 1875

Evelyn Louise Sophia Sloman Herring (single so far)

ca 1838 - ca 1897

father = John West Herring (solicitor)

at time of marriage couple lived in Clapton, Parish of Hackney , County of Middlesex  $\,$ 

(3) **Ernest Benedict** married (3) 7 Nov 1905 **Ada Elizabeth Pacey** from Sussex ca 1884 - ? (died after 1925)

couple produced so far known two sons =

- x Edward Benedict born ca 1906
- x **George Herbert F Benedict** 15 Jul 1916 May 1997 (Yorkshire) married 1941 in Leeds

Marjorie Byfleet

? - ?

# (03) JULIUS BENEDICT

born ca 1839 in London - died Oct-Dec 1851 died when falling from a Rhone river steamboat in France

#### (04) MARIA GEORGINA BENEDICT

born ca 1842 in London - ? (died between 1891 and 1901 ?) married 7 Apr 1866 in London

Reginald Palgrave Simpson from Norwich, Norfolk (England)

practitioner (in Weymouth, Dorset, England)

20 Oct 1844 - ? (died after 1901)

parents = George E Simpson + wife Sophia Louisa nee Hyde

couple produced 6 children in Weymouth, Dorset (England) who all still lived with their parents in 1891

daughter **Edith G P Simpson** (born ca 1879)

married ca 1893

#### Edward M Porritt (born ca 1875)

# (05) ALICE MARY CESARINE BENEDICT

born ca 1846 in London - died when ? in France ? married Jul/Sep 1863 in London

**Etienne Ernest Boulan** 

? - ?

around 1863 merchant in London, later in France

Alice's father mentioned her as youngest daughter, married in France

out of this marriage one daughter known = **Emily Boulan** 

(grandfather Sir Julius Benedict mentions her in his last will of 1885)

ONE KNOWN CHILD out of Julius Benedict's 2nd marriage, born in London (England) =

(03 ALBERT EDWARD JULIUS WILBRAHAM SCOTT BENEDICT

12 May 1881 - 15 Dec 1915 (died at St Margret's house, Kings Lynn District, Norfolk County, England) Lieutenant + Adjudant of 1st Royal Buckinghamshire Hussars died of pistol wound in the head, accidently self administered married April/June 1912

? - ?

this marriage is an assumption so far

Harriett Williamson