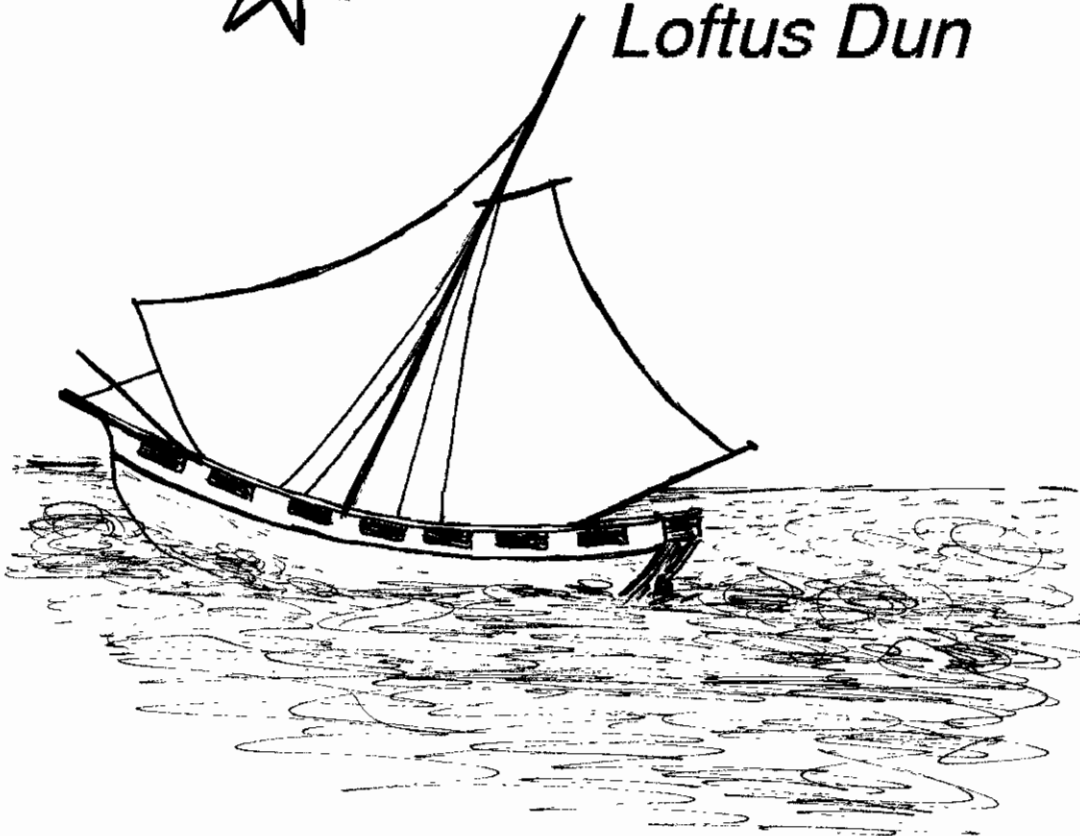




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Families in Early Australia

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The Dun family and its relationships with the Bedwell, Ward and Cork families in early Australia (and with some of the many other families related by marriage, up to the time of the First World War).

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CONVERSION TABLE

One foot	=	0.305 metre
One yard	=	0.914 metre
One mile	=	1.609 kilometres
One square yard	=	0.836 square metres
One acre	=	0.405 hectares
One pound (lb.)	=	0.454 kilogram
One ton	=	1.016 tonnes
One gallon	=	4.546 litres
32 degrees Fahrenheit	=	0 degrees Celcius
70 degrees Fahrenheit	=	21.1 degrees Celcius
100 degrees Fahrenheit	=	37.8 degrees Celcius

*'Be it east or west,
one common sign we bear,
The tongue may change, the soil, the sky,
But where your British brothers lie,
The lonely cairn, the nameless grave,
Still fringe the flowering Saxon wave,
'Tis that! 'Tis where
They lie - the men who placed it there,
That marks the frontier line.'*

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle
from *The Frontier Line*

*By those adventurous ones who went
Forth overseas, and, self-exiled,
Sought from far isle and continent
Another England in the wild,
For whom no drums beat, yet they fought
Alone, in courage of a thought
Which an unbounded future wrought; ...*

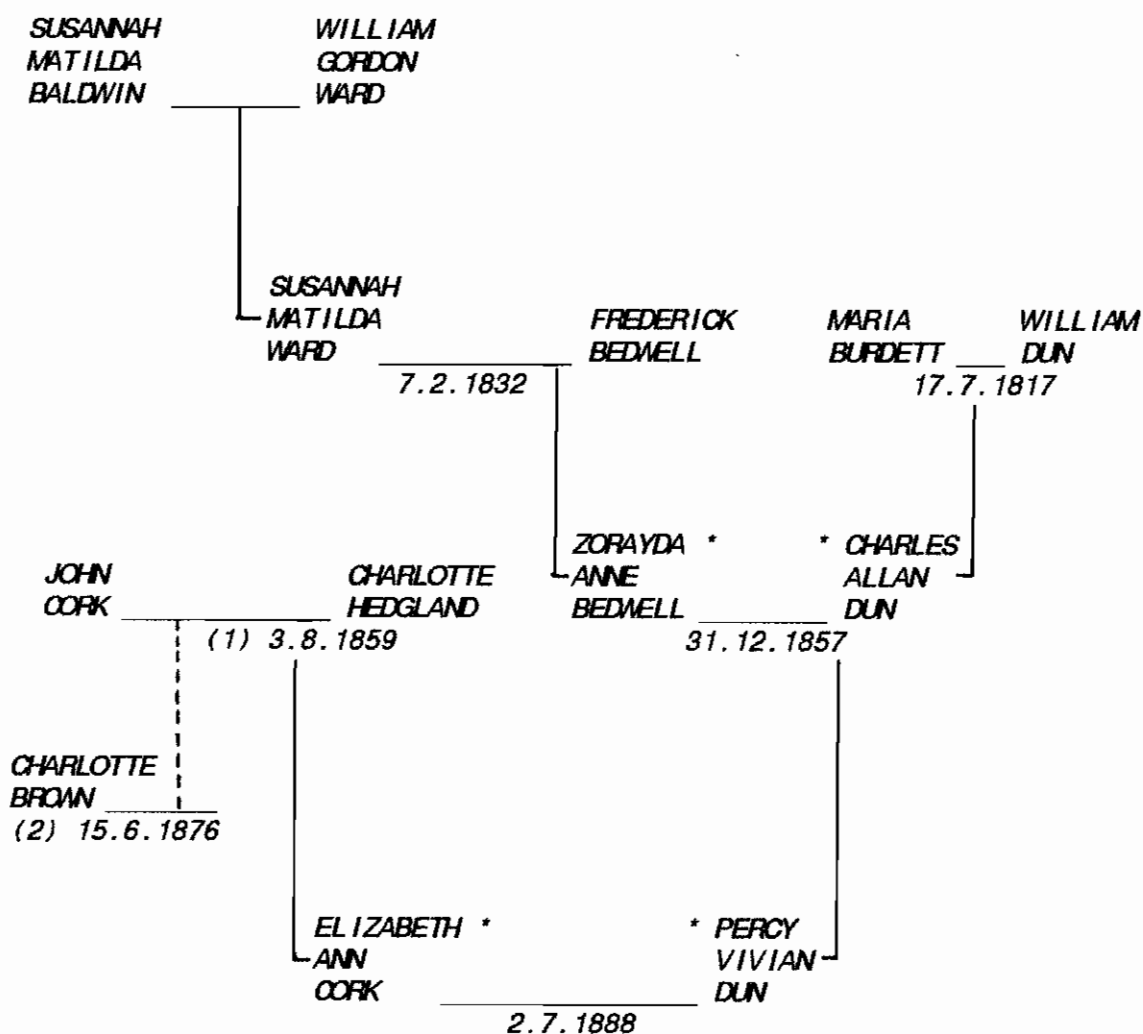
Laurence Binyon
from *England*

Both extracts are from 'Poems of Home and Overseas' compiled by
Charles Williams and V. H. Collins (published in 1921 by
Oxford University Press)

COMPACT FAMILY TREE

*Showing the relationships between those ancestors
who either settled or were born in Australia*

(refer to other charts for family details)



* Indicates Born in Australia