

1907 / buried West-Abbey. 3940

Death of Baroness Burdett, Countess

Dec 30 - (1814 - 1906)

Financed such movements as

- 1) The Shoeblack's Brigade
- 2) Irish Fisheries Improvement
- 3) Drinking Fountains for
Horses in towns
- 4) Financed numerous social
work institutes
- 5) Emigration grants - both to
families & single women
- 6) Endowed Bishoprics in
Cape Town & Adelaide 1847
British Columbia 1857
- 7) Built many churches in
London & elsewhere
(one St-Stephens S.W.1 cost her
£90,000)

- 8) Financed schools - 3940
prior to 1870
- 9) Grants & organisation to
encourage kindness to
animals.
- 10) Turkish help in Russo-
Turkish war -
(Turkish Compassionate Fund)
- 11) Many other individual
benevolences.

Made Peeress in 1871 -
Freedom of City (London) 1872

Buried Westminster
Abbey

Baroness Biddell Coult 1814-1906

Business Woman & 3940
philanthropist —

Active in her Banking Business
administered her private
charities - Her endowments &
benevolences included —
1) E. of E. Churches & Bishoprics ^{with} ^{endowed}
2. Technical Institutes

Elementary schools - into which
she introduced sewing & cookery.

Gifted Scholarships - 1861

Herbariums to Kew 1

Subsidised Ragged School Union

Shoeblesch Brigade

Training ships for Boys 1874

National Society for Prevention of
Cruelty to

(helped to found)

Children 1883

Work for Women in East London:

e.g. sewing school -
weaving -

Flower Girls Brigade

Emigration

1st Working Men's Club in Shoreditch
1875-

Gymnasium

1891

Cartminders Bethnal Green
Stables for the donkeys

Leader of Royal Society for Prevention
of Cruelty to Animals -

instituted the prize essay scheme

Built Holly Villa & Highgate.

Started Fish & Vegetable schemes for
East London 1869 →

This was one of her few failures
 through opposition of vested interest.

Irish poor - emigration funds
 & industries (1863 onward)

Revived Fishery Industry - & founded
 a Fishery Training School (Baltimore
 1884
 co Cork).

Friend of H M Stanley - support his
 work: sent hospital equipment to
 Zulu war 1877

Peerage 1871

Compiled Women's Work in
 England for Chicago Exhibition
 1893. Died 1906

ask about this? Was she the
 first modern woman raised to
Peerage in own right