

EDWARD WHITLOCK (1790?-1804)

Amongst the massive amount of Georgia and South Carolina research Earl Johnson and I collected during my visit in January 1996 was a miscellaneous item that caught my eye. It was an entry in *Marriage and Death Notices from The (Charleston) Times, 1800-1821* Compiled by Brent H. Holcomb, 1979. "Issue of August 16, 1804 Died, at Dr. Chouler's Broad-street, aged 14 years, Master Edward Whitlock son of the respectable Actor and Actress of that name..."

I assume Edward's parents were Charles Edward Whitlock and Elizabeth Kemble. I did not know of this son and was interested to learn they had more children. See article on Elizabeth Kemble Whitlock in the December 1992 issue (Vol.11 No.4 Pg.3).

We have still not determined who Charles Edward Whitlock's parents were but he and "Mrs. Whitlock" are mentioned in the will of his cousin Isabella Whitlock, Spinster of Beaufort Row, Parish of Saint Luke, Chelsea, London. Isabella's will is dated October 3, 1792 and was proved in London December 19, 1792.

Source: R934; R1274/2