

JOHNSTON COUNTY
CLAYTON, N. C.
HORNE FAMILY CEMETERY

<u>NAME</u>	<u>BORN</u>	<u>DIED</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
Horne, Nellie Lee(Cont'd)			<p>(Daughter of Ashley and Cornelia Lee Horne, Nellie H. McCullers in her youth was American correspondent for the English edition of the Paris "Herald.") Benajah Horne's sons, Samuel Ruffin and Ashley Horne gave the $\frac{1}{4}$ acre for a burial ground for the Horne family. The title is now vested in Ashley Horne 2nd, of Clayton, and William Henry Horne of Leonia, New Jersey. The said William Henry is the 4th of that name, but not by lineal descent, being named for his great uncle, Wm. Henry Horne, Confederate Soldier, who was named for his uncle, Dr. William Henry Horne, a brother of Benajah Horne. Information on this page (card) furnished by (1) Charles W. Horne, son of Ashley Horne, and (2) R. S. Dodd, of Morrisville N. C. nephew of Samuel Ruffin Horne and Ashley Horne. Horne Family Cemetery, in addition to being a geneological curiosity Descendants of Puritan settlers and descendants of those who boasted blood royal or noble birth buried within a stone's throw of each other should be important historically because it contains; 4 Confederate Soldiers; Wm. Henry gave his life for the Southern cause, while Sam Ashley, and Hardee fought to the end of the war. Two figures of Southern romance, Ashley and Cornelia Lee Horne. (See the novel "Forget-me-nots of the Civil War." by Laura E. Lee Battle.) Two philanthropists, Ashley and Sam R. Horne. Two mothers of writers, Evelyn Creech Dodd and Ida Harrell Horne, mothers of Dr. Wm. E. Dodd, historian, and Dr. Herman H. Horne, lecturer and writer on psychology and philosophy. Two women writers, Ida Harrell Horne and Bessie Worthington Horne.</p>
(An addition)			<p>Patrick Dowd was, it seems, actually the first pastor of Liberty Church. Whether he was an ordained minister or not is yet to be discovered. Rev. John F. Ellington, the Civil War incumbent, was the second pastor of Liberty and was an ordained minister. Rev. John Gulley, Colonial Clergyman of Johnston County was also an ordained preacher of the Gospel. Dr. N. Y. Gulley, of Wake Forest, is responsible for all three statements. And the Patrick Dowd item is affirmed by Mrs. B. A. Hocutt, Clayton, grand-daughter of Rev. John F. Ellington. Mrs. J. J. Young, mother another grand-daughter of Rev. John F. Ellington, has lost or misplaced the family bible so no authentic dates are to be had. Dr. John E. White, grandson of John F. Ellington, was written to and it seems, very tragically he has died. (My mistake- The letter, however, has not come back to me.) No single fact is yet to be found about about Patrick Dowd, but there are a few more items about Dr. Ellington and Liberty Church that could be put on the card, if a new card for Liberty Church is desired. Inform me Melba M.C.</p>
			<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Child's 2. Child's Foot stone reads "G. H." (These two small graves are near the grave of Louis Creech. Are probably before 1913) 3. Grown person