
Horation Nelson William COMYN (c. 1801-1887)

1. **Horation Nelson William COMYN**, son of Stephen George COMYN (c. 1763-c. 1839) and Charlotte CARTER (c. 1770-), was born c. 1801 in Bridgham, Norfolk. He appeared in the census in 1841 in Horsey, Norfolk - 30, clergyman, living in the household of William MYHILL (35, carpenter) and his family and servants. In 1846 the Electoral Register showed him living at The Rectory in Brunstead, Norfolk - freehold rent charge in lieu of tithes. Horation married **Elizabeth MARTYN** on 7 Feb 1849 in London. He appeared in the census in 1851 in Brunstead - 49, Rector of Brunstead, living with wife Elizabeth (50) and 4 servants. In 1856 the Electoral Register showed him living at The Rectory in Brunstead - rent charge in lieu of tithes and glebe. Horation appeared in the census in 1861 at Comyns House in Brunstead - 60, rector of Brunstead, living with his wife Elizabeth (61) and 4 servants. In 1866 the Electoral Register showed him living at The Rectory in Brunstead - rent charge in lieu of tithes and glebe. Horation appeared in the census in 1871 in Brunstead - 67, Rector of Brunstead, living with his wife Elizabeth (70) and servants Thomas WILLIAMS (19, footman), Susan TATE (30, cook) and Caroline WHITE (29, housemaid). In the 1873 England and Wales Return of Owners of Land he owned land in Norfolk - living in Brunstead, Norfolk; land area A.23 R.1 R.19 (9.46 hectares); rentable value £70. In 1876 the Electoral Register showed him living at The Rectory in Brunstead - rent charge in lieu of tithes and glebe. Horation appeared in the census in 1881 at The Rectory in Brunstead - widower, 79, clergyman, living with 3 servants. He died on 17 Jan 1887. He was buried on 24 Jan 1887 in Brunstead - aged 86 years. He had his estate probated on 29 Mar 1887 in Norwich, Norfolk - "COMYN Reverend Horatio Nelson William. 29 March [1887]. The Will with a Codicil of the Reverend Horation Nelson William Comyn late of Brunstead in the County of Norfolk Clerk Rector of Brunstead who died 17 February 1887 at Brunstead was proved at Norwich by Charles Lacey George of 28 Richmond-place in the hamlet of Bracondale in the County of the City of Norwich Gentleman and the Reverend John William Clapcott of Thrigby in the County of Norfolk Clerk Rector of Thrigby the Executors. Personal Estate £3,690 4s.". He is commemorated in Brunstead, Norfolk - "In Memory of / Elizabeth Comyn, wife of the / Rev. H. N. W. Comyn, / Rector of Brunstead. / Who died March, 23, 1877, / Aged 94 Years. / Deeply ;amented by her Affectionate / Husband and numerous circle of / sincere friends. / Also of the / Rev. Horation Nelson William Comyn, / Who died Jan. 17, 1887. / Aged 85 Years.". He. Admitted at a College (age 18) at CAIUS, June 30, 1825. S. of Stephen George [father], clerk, of Bridgham, Norfolk. B. there. School, Ely (Mr Miller). Matriculation: the formal admission of a student into the University as distinguished from his admission into a College. It occurred in each of the three terms, Lent, Easter, Michaelmas. Matric. Michs. 1825; B.A. 1830. Ord. deacon (Norwich) June 6, 1830; priest, Oct. 9, 1831. Succeeded his father as V. of Roudham, Norfolk, 1835-41. R. of Brunstead, 1841-87. P.C. of Walcot, 1850-87. Married Elizabeth, dau. of Martyn, D.D., R. of St George's, Bloomsbury, London, Feb. 7, 1849. Died Jan. 17, 1887.

Elizabeth MARTYN, daughter of John Lee MARTYN (-), was born c. 1800. She died c. 1877.