

West Settlement (Kelly family) Cemetery, Town of Halcott, Greene County

West Settlement Rd., 1.5 miles from County Rte 3

Transcribed May, 2009, by Diane Galusha, Boldface annotations from Joe Kelly

Chauncey Kelly- **(b. 10/15/1832)**

Son of Thomas and Jane Kelly

Died Dec. 31, 1869 (1860?) **(1869 is correct)**

Aged 37 years, 2 months

Hannah Kelly **(b. 8/6/1827)**

Wife of Philip (T)ollers (Fellows?) **(Fellows is correct)**

Who died April 18, 1866 (?) **(this is correct date)**

Aged 38 years

Martias **(Martin was his name)- b. 8/7/1840**

Son of Thomas and Jane Kelly

Died Sept. 2, 1845

Aged 5 years, 27 days

Justus- **(b. 10/14/1826)**

Son of Thomas and Jane Kelly

Died Feb. 26, 1851

Aged 24 years, 4 mos, 12 d

Amy Kelly **(b. 11/30/1838)**

Wife of Warren Scudder

Who departed this life

August 7, 1866 (1860?) **(1866 is correct)**

Aged 27 years, 8 mos., 7 days

Thursey **(b. 11/17/1835)**

Wife of Warren Scudder

Died Dec. 28, 1873

Aged 38 years, 1 mo., 11 d

Edmond M. **(or Edmund)- b. 7/2/1843)**

Son of Thomas and Jane Kelly

Died Oct. 25, 1862

19 years, 3 mos, 23 days

Philip **(b. 9/30/1846)**

Son of Thomas & Jane Kelly

Died May 11, 1863

16 years, 8 mos., 11 days

John **(his middle initial was "B."- b. 2/20/1834)**

Son of Thomas and Jane Kelly

Died Nov. 30, 1863

29 years, 9 mos., 10 d.

Death thou has conquered me for I am slain

But Jesus hath conquered thee, and I shall rise again

This is my notes on John B. Kelly: He received a common school education and started farming when he was 21 yrs. old. After his marriage he moved to Bradford Co., PA., where he bought a farm, but died there a short time later (two years later). He left a widow and two children. He died just before his induction into the Civil War. Another source states that he died in 1865 (Delaware Co. Biographical Review, 1895).

On his tombstone it is written:

For I am slain

And Jesus hath conquered thee

And I shall rise again

From the History of Delaware Co.: JOHN B. KELLY, a son of Thomas Kelley of Halcott, was born in 1834; was married to Mary, daughter of Benjamin L. Crosby, of that town, and removed to Pennsylvania, where he died in 1863, after a residence in that place of four years. After his decease Mrs. Kelley returned to this State, settling at Griffin's Corners, where she has since been engaged in the millinery business. She has two interesting children.

He may be buried in the Kelly Cemetary in Halcott Center, NY. There is a large flat tombstone in the Clovesville Cemetary in Fleischmanns, NY that states that he was buried in Halcott, NY.

Jane Kelly (b. 9/30/1804)

Wife of Thomas Kelly

Died May 12, 1879

Aged 74 years, 5 mos., 12 days

___ mother departed we see thee no more

Thou art gone to thy birthplace, a happier shore

And O may our Father the spirit of love

Lead and guide us to join thee our mother above

Thomas Kelly (b. 5/28/1806)

Died Nov. 7, 1869

Aged 63 years, 6 mos and 1 Day

Asleep in Jesus blessed sleep

From which none ever wake to weep

A calm and undisturbed repose

Unbroken by the last of foes

Asleep in Jesus, O how sweet

To be for such a slumber meet

With holy confidence to sing

That death has lost its cruel sting.