

Christ Episcopal Church Cemetery Inventory

State and Water Streets, Dover DE 19903

Lot Number: 27 Space: B

Find A Grave # 7349822

Name: **Kirk, Sarah Quinnely Stevenson**

Birth date: February 22, 1829 Death date: March 28, 1910 Burial Date: Age: 81

Spouse: James Kirk (1828-1893) m. September 14, 1854

Children: Andrew Stevenson Kirk (1855-1902); James Edgar Kirk (1858-1932); Sarah (Sallie) Q. Kirk (1861-1943); Margaret Dunning Kirk (1863-1940); Annie Stevenson Kirk (1864-1868)

Parents: Thomas Stevenson and Sarah Quinnely Stevenson

Siblings:

Residence: Dover, DE

Cause of death/Burial/Obituary: Bright's disease; see next pages

Service/occupation information:

Officiate:

Lot Owner: James Kirk, A - J

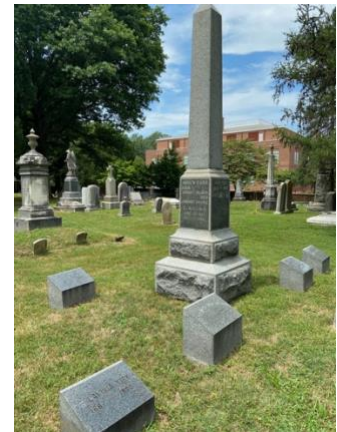
Marker: Family monument and headstone

Inscription: Headstone:

James Kirk
1828 - 1893

Monument, north side:

James Kirk
Born
February 23, 1828
Died
October 27, 1893
Sarah Kirk
Born February 22, 1829
Died
March 28, 1910



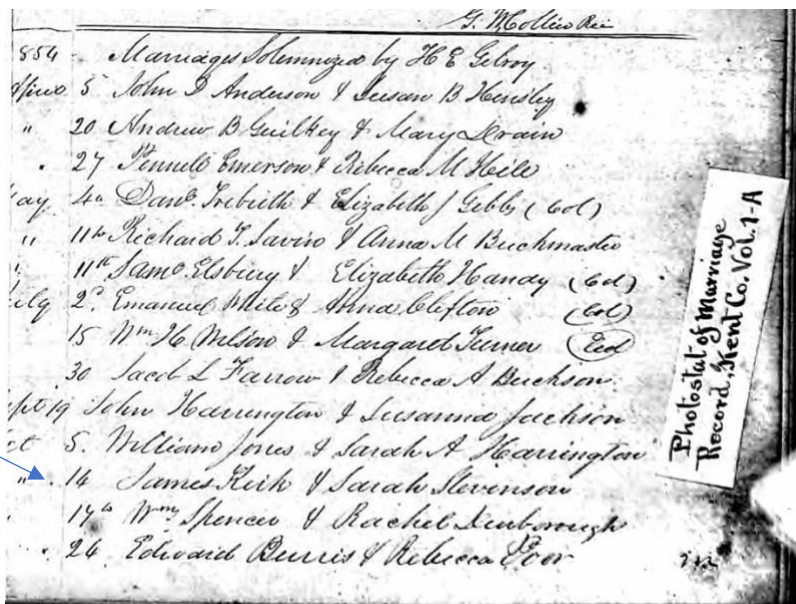
DIMENSIONS: Headstone: H 16" x W 18" x D 12"
Monument: H about 12' x D 36" x D 36" at base

STYLE: headstone and family monument

No repairs needed

Inventory date: July 9, 2020 Recorder: Nancy Quinn





Death Certificate, retrieved from ancestry.com on July 25, 2020

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STANDARD DEATH CERTIFICATE
DELAWARE

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Kent
Hundred _____
or Village Dover
City _____ No. _____ St. _____ Ward _____

2 FULL NAME Irish Kirk

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH _____ (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 81 yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. If less than 1 day, ____ hrs. ____ min.

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work _____
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Delaware

PARENTS
10 NAME OF FATHER _____
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (state or country) _____
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER _____
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (state or country) _____

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE
(Informant) Irish Kirk
(Address) Dover Del

15 _____ Registered No. _____

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
16 DATE OF DEATH March 28, 1910
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from March 21, 1910, to March 28, 1910, and that I last saw her alive on March 28, 1910, and that death occurred, on the date stated above, at 4 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:
acute Bantlett disease following R. Grippe
(Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

Contributory Secondary Cold (Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

(Signed) [Signature] M.D.
April 25, 1910 (Address)

* State the Disease Causing Death, or, in death from Violent Causes, State (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospital, Institution, Transient, or Recent Resident)
At place permanent in the _____ State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.
of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.

Where was disease contracted, If not at place of death? fourth
Former or usual residence Dover Del

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL _____ DATE OF BURIAL 30

March 1910

20 UNDERTAKER Wm. E. Pritchard Dover

MARGIN RESERVE FOR BINDING - WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK - THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD - WRITE ABOVE IN FULLY legible characters - EXACT statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate. R. B. - Every item of information should be carefully supplied in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified.



The Cover:

The cover photo for this issue of *The Genealogical Helper* was taken about 1898-99 when Mrs. Julia (Kirk) Biggs was four years old and she had been sent from Jacksonville, Florida to live with her paternal grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Q. (Stevenson) Kirk in Dover, Delaware.

Mrs. Biggs was 90 years old on 9 October 1984 and when we received this special photo for consideration for use as cover material, she was still residing in Dover in the family home of her great grandfather, Thomas Stevenson.

Mrs. Biggs, through her mother, Eunice (Gladwin) Kirk, is a descendant of Elder William Brewster of the *Mayflower* and of Governor Thomas Prentice, Major John Freeman and Deacon John Doane, all of Plymouth Colony.

This photo is very remarkable in that it shows the love that existed between the granddaughter and her grandmother.

The grandmother, Sarah Quinnely (Stevenson) Kirk, was born 22 February 1829, the daughter of Thomas and Sarah Quinnely Stevenson, she married James Kirk in 1854 and she died 28 March 1910.

The granddaughter, Julia Sarah (Kirk) Biggs, was born 9 October 1894, the daughter of James Edgar and Eunice Louisa (Gladwin) Kirk. She married first Wm. Jackson Baynard and married second Alfred S. Biggs.

This special photo was shared with us by a niece of Mrs. Biggs - Mrs. Rosemary (DeWitt) Ackley, 9738 Redd Rambler Dr., Philadelphia, PA 19115.