



# William Robert Anderson

1830-1884

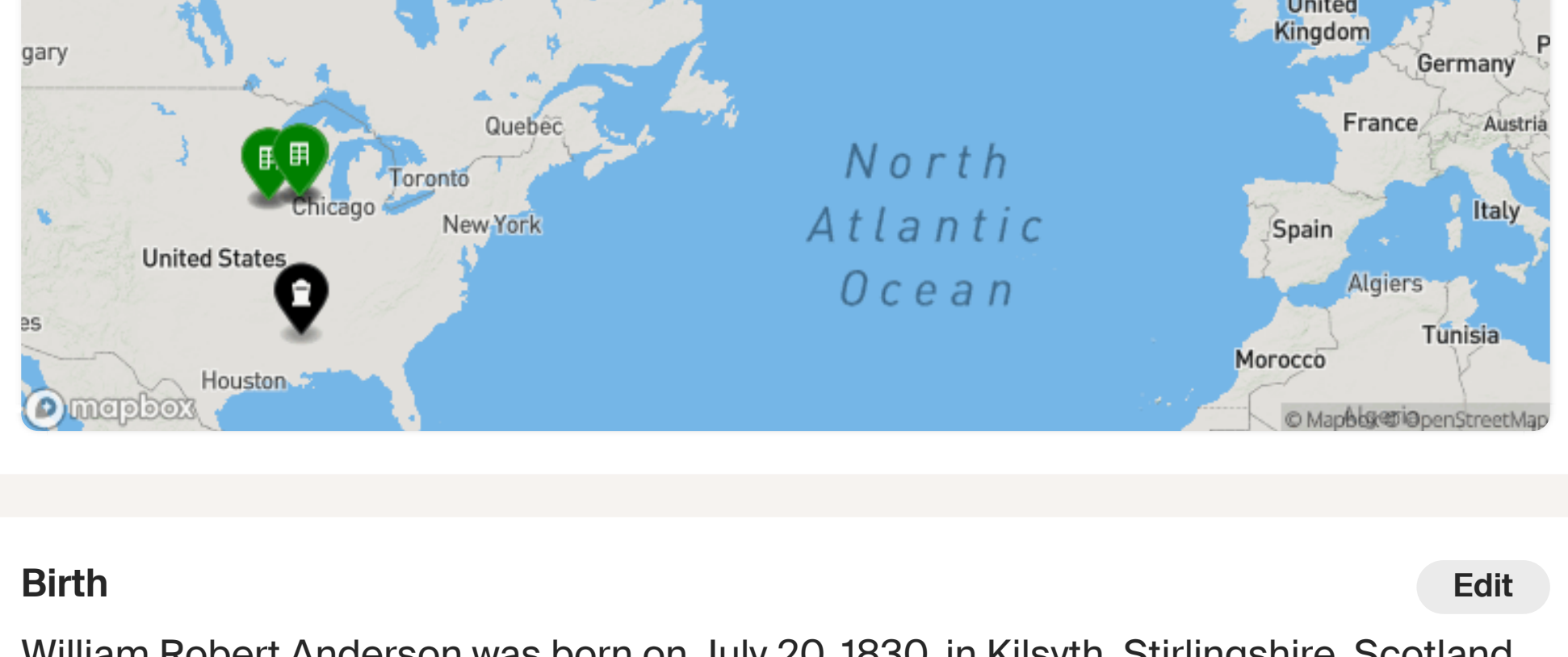
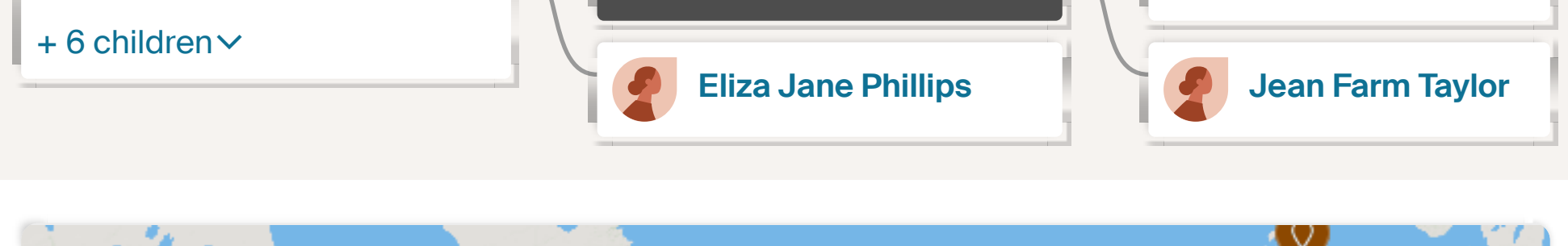
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When William Robert Anderson was born on July 20, 1830, in Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland, his father, Alexander, was 24 and his mother, Jean, was 20. He married Eliza Jane Phillips on November 16, 1856. They had seven children in 21 years. He died on August 29, 1884, in Yazoo City, Mississippi, at the age of 54.



20 JUL 1830

**Birth**  
William Robert Anderson was born on July 20, 1830, in Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland, to Jean Farm Taylor, age 20, and Alexander Anderson, age 24.  
Near Glasgow  
July 20, 1830 • Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland

30 JUL 1830

**Christening**  
Alexander Anderson-23153. Alexander married Jean Ferm Taylor-23154. Jean Ferm Taylor-23154. Jean married Alexander Anderson-23153. They had the following children: M i William Anderson-23152 was born on 20 Jul 1830 in Kilsyth, Stirling, Scotland. He w  
July 30, 1830 • Kilsyth, Stirlingshire, Scotland

18 DEC 1832 AGE 2

**Birth of brother**  
His brother Robert was born on December 18, 1832, in Manhattan, New York, when William Robert was 2 years old.  
**Robert Anderson**  
1832-1863  
December 18, 1832 • New York County (Manhattan), New York, United States of America

1836 AGE 6

**Birth of brother**  
His brother John Andrew was born in 1836 in Illinois when William Robert was 6 years old.  
**John Andrew Anderson**  
1836-1861  
1836 • Illinois, USA

ABT 1842 AGE 12

**Birth of brother**  
His brother James was born in 1842 in Illinois when William Robert was 12 years old.  
**James Anderson**  
1842-1881  
abt 1842 • Illinois

1 NOV 1844 AGE 14

**Birth of brother**  
His brother Peter A was born on November 1, 1844, in Illinois when William Robert was 14 years old.  
**Peter A Anderson**  
1844-1929  
1 Nov 1844 • Illinois, USA

1844 AGE 14

**Birth of brother**  
His brother Edwin was born in 1844 in Lake, Illinois, when William Robert was 14 years old.  
**Edwin Anderson**  
1844-  
1844 • Lake County, Illinois, USA

9 JUL 1849 AGE 18

**Birth of sister**  
His sister Phoebe Elizabeth was born on July 9, 1849, in Iowa when William Robert was 18 years old.  
**Phoebe Elizabeth Anderson**  
1849-1913  
July 9, 1849 • Cottonville, Iowa, USA

1850 AGE 20

**Residence**  
William Robert Anderson lived in Richland, Iowa, in 1850.  
1850 • Richland, Jackson, Iowa

16 NOV 1856 AGE 26

**Marriage**  
William Robert Anderson married Eliza Jane Phillips on November 16, 1856, when he was 26 years old.  
**Eliza Jane Phillips**  
1837-1912  
16 Nov 1856 • Jackson, Iowa

12 OCT 1857 AGE 27

**Birth of daughter**  
His daughter Geneva Clarissa was born on October 12, 1857, in Bellevue, Iowa.  
**Geneva Clarissa Anderson**  
1857-1951  
12 October 1857 • Bellevue, Jackson County, Iowa, United States of America

1860 AGE 30

**Birth of daughter**  
His daughter Etta J was born in 1860 in Iowa.  
**Etta J Anderson**  
1860-1934  
1860 • Iowa, United States

20 APR 1861 AGE 30

**Death of brother**  
His brother John Andrew died on April 20, 1861, when William Robert was 30 years old.  
**John Andrew Anderson**  
1836-1861  
April 20, 1861 • Cottonville, Jackson, Iowa, United States

1862 AGE 32

**Residence**  
William Robert Anderson lived in Iowa in 1862.  
1862 • Iowa

22 MAY 1863 AGE 32

**Death of brother**  
His brother Robert died on May 22, 1863, in Vicksburg, Mississippi, when William Robert was 32 years old.  
**Robert Anderson**  
1832-1863  
May 22, 1863 • Vicksburg, Warren County, Mississippi, United States of America

8 SEP 1863 AGE 33

**Death of father**  
His father Alexander passed away on September 8, 1863, in Iowa at the age of 58.  
**Alexander Anderson**  
1805-1863  
September 8, 1863 • Cottonville, Iowa, USA

27 SEP 1865 AGE 35

**Birth of daughter**  
His daughter Isadore was born on September 27, 1865, in Iowa.  
**Isadore Anderson**  
1865-1876  
September 27, 1865 • Iowa, United States

1867 AGE 37

**Birth of daughter**  
His daughter Selina Olive was born in 1867 in Bellevue, Iowa.  
**Selina Olive Anderson**  
1867-1952  
1867 • Bellevue, Iowa

1870 AGE 40

**Destination**  
Land records indicate Wm Anderson 155 acres located in sections 20-21-29 of Richland Township. This land crossed Bellevue-Cascade Road East of Cottonville.  
1870 • Cottonville, Iowa, USA

1870 AGE 40

**Residence**  
William Robert Anderson lived in Bellevue, Iowa, in 1870.  
Bellevue City, Iowa Occupation recorded as steam boat captain.  
1870 • Bellevue, Jackson, Iowa, United States

FEB 1871 AGE 40

**Birth of son**  
His son Robert William was born in February 1871 in Bellevue, Iowa.  
**Robert William Anderson**  
1871-1961  
February 1871 • Bellevue, Jackson, Iowa, United States

19 FEB 1876 AGE 45

**Death of daughter**  
His daughter Isadore passed away on February 19, 1876, in Bellevue, Iowa, at the age of 10.  
**Isadore Anderson**  
1865-1876  
February 19, 1876 • Bellevue, Jackson, Iowa, United States

15 MAY 1876 AGE 45

**Birth of son**  
His son Walter Lorraine was born on May 15, 1876, in Bellevue, Iowa.  
**Walter Lorraine Anderson**  
1876-1951  
15 May 1876 • Bellevue, Jackson, Iowa, United States

28 NOV 1878 AGE 48

**Birth of son**  
His son Maro Potter was born on November 28, 1878, in Bellevue, Iowa.  
**Maro Potter Anderson**  
1878-1936  
28 Nov 1878 • Bellevue, Iowa

1879 AGE 49

**Biograpy 1879**  
CAPT. WILLIAM ANDERSON, firm of Anderson & Co., agents for the Keokuk Northern Line Packet Co., dealers in grain and produce and pork-packing, Bellevue; he was born near Glasgow, Scotland; when an infant, he moved with his parents to New York; his father  
1879 • Jackson, Iowa, United States

16 JUN 1880 AGE 49

**Residence**  
William Robert Anderson lived in Bellevue, Iowa, on June 16, 1880.  
Occupation recorded as grain dealer.  
June 16, 1880 • Bellevue, Jackson, Iowa, United States

3 MAY 1881 AGE 50

**Death of mother**  
His mother Jean Farm passed away on May 3, 1881, in Iowa at the age of 70.  
**Jean Farm Taylor**  
1810-1881  
May 3, 1881 • Cottonville, Iowa, USA

1881 AGE 51

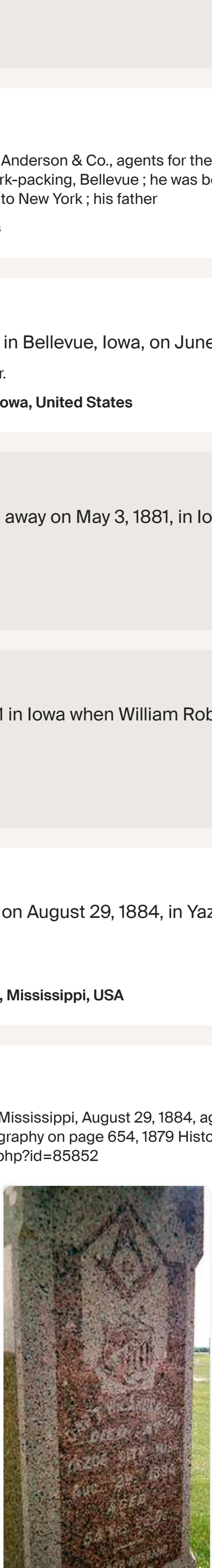
**Death of brother**  
His brother James died in 1881 in Iowa when William Robert was 51 years old.  
**James Anderson**  
1842-1881  
1881 • Cottonville, Iowa

29 AUG 1884 AGE 54

**Death**  
William Robert Anderson died on August 29, 1884, in Yazoo City, Mississippi, when he was 54 years old.  
Yellow Fever  
August 29, 1884 • Yazoo City, Yazoo, Mississippi, USA

29 AUG 1884 AGE 54

**Burial**  
Monument note. Died at Yazoo City, Mississippi, August 29, 1884, aged 54 years, 29 days. Riverboat captain on the Mississippi River. Biography on page 654, 1879 History of Jackson County. http://iowagravestones.org/gs\_view.php?id=85852



August 29, 1884 • Cottonville, Jackson, Iowa, United States

13 SEP 1884

**Probate**  
13 Sep 1884 • Jackson, Iowa, USA