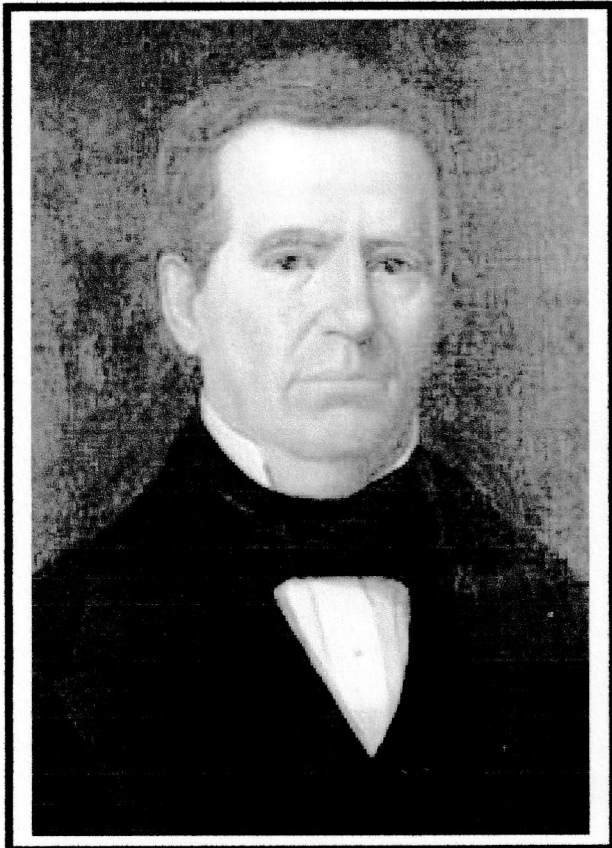
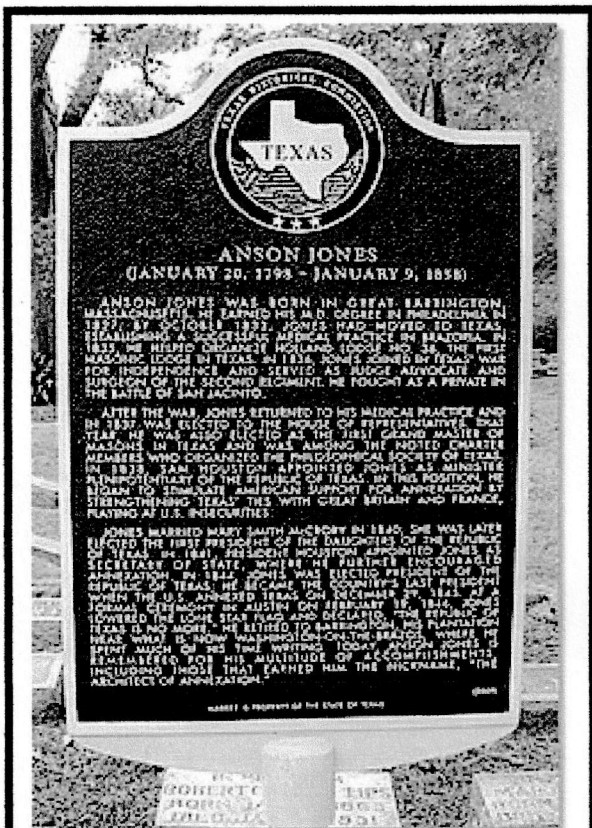
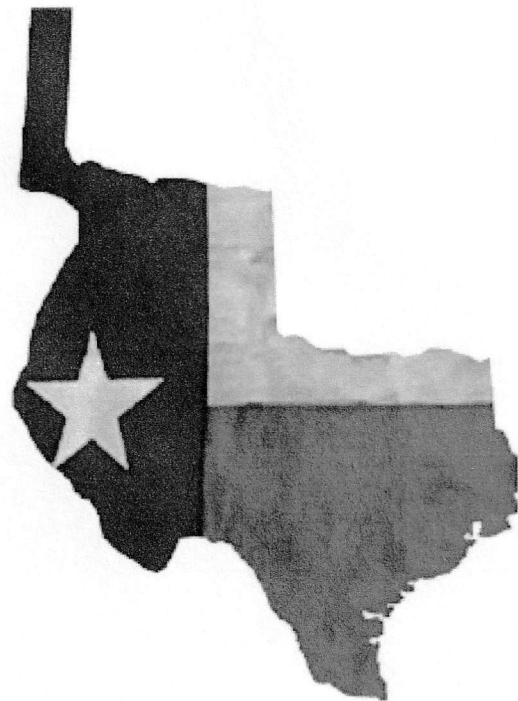


Texas Statehood Day



Anson Jones – Last President of the Republic of Texas

“The Republic of Texas is no more”
... as he lowered the Texas Flag on February 19, 1846.



This Texas Honor Day Event will be held at the Anson Jones grave marker in Glenwood Cemetery, 2525 Washington Avenue, Houston, Texas 77007 on Wednesday, February 19, 2025. The time of the ceremony will be at 2:00 p.m. and is sponsored by the Sam Houston Chapter, SRT. Dr. Anson Jones served as the last President of the Texas Republic before it became a part of the United States.

Chandler Wahrmond, Lead Interpreter, Texas Historical Commission will be the Keynote Speaker. The San Jacinto Chapter, DRT will also lay a wreath in honor of Anson Jones and his wife, Mary Smith Jones, who was the first President of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. During the Texas Revolution, Dr. Jones served as a judge advocate and surgeon to the Texas Army, though he insisted on holding the rank of private throughout the Revolution. After the war, Dr. Jones returned to Brazoria and resumed his medical practice.

During the days of the Republic he served as Minister to the United States during President Sam Houston’s first term and then later on as Secretary of State.