

ASA MILES LEWIS
1811-1863

Family history from Hugh Lewis' obituary: "Col. Asa M. Lewis came to Texas from Selma, Alabama and first settled at Columbus, moving to Brenham in 1842 or 1843. His first wife was the daughter of Nathan Browning, an old settler, by whom all of his children were born. After her death, Col. Lewis married Mrs. M. A. Harrison."

Asa M Lewis lived in Brenham, TX for 14 years (1843) or from its beginning. He was a prominent attorney and public official in Washington Co., TX, from 1845-1850.

DRT #2791 from 1944 is applicant's mother, Della Margaret Parker. DRT #2790 from 1944 is applicant's maternal grandmother, Margaret Wilkins Parker. These applications were submitted without proof documents.

They do refer to the land grant to Asa Miles Lewis: Land grant #260 in Washington County.

The applications also state that this applicant's great-great-grandmother, Eunice Lewis Wilkins was "a Real Daughter of the Republic of Texas as she was born Sept. 19th 1841 in Columbus Texas. She was a member of the chapter organized at Brenham Texas and received her certificate of membership Sept 25 1902.

Additionally, the application states that Asa Miles Lewis was a "Member of Congress at Washington Texas in 1842."