Houston County April
the 8th AD 1853

Mr. Thos. S. Gillett

Dr. Sir you
will please give the bearer
Mr. Jesse Durrin a showing
from your office to the
Auditor so that he may
be able to draw the extra
pay of John Sinclair. You
will see from the affidavit
I filed in your office that
the Power of attorny from
Sinclair was lost in your
office and if you will
explain the facts to the
Auditor you will much
oblige Yours &c

W. H. Crundiff