Austin December 26th. 1855.

Major James S. Gillett is authorized by these presents to receive and receipt for all monies due for the services of John F. Gilbert in Capt. Bryant's Company and also in Capt Reed's Company both for the period of Three Months. and also to receive the pay due on the discharge of Eli Bailey for six Months services in the Company of Squire Haggard.

Yours Respectfully
J. H. Thorn

To
Jas H. Raymond
Treasurer H.