~~Cedar Creek Bastrop County Texas~~
June the 20th 1859
To the Honor.l Edward Clark
Commissioner of Claims Dear Sir
you will confer a favor on the heirs
of Berry Doolitle by examining
the records in your office and ascertain
if the name of Berry Doolitle appears
on any of the records as having participated
either in the Battle of Sanjacinto or
Sanantonia in 1835
the reason ~~that~~ I have made this request of you
is, that the heirs of Doolitle say that they
gave his Sanjacinto Claim and his League
and Labor to one Mr. Surgason and they
have never herd of him since, by referance
to the Land office I learn that his league
Certificate has ben returned there but there
is no return of his Sanjacints Claim
you will confer a favor on the undersigned
as well as the heirs by addressing the
undersigned at Bastrop William B. Green