Houston, Harris Co. Texas.
June 25th 1859.

Hon. Edward Clark;
Austin – Texas: Dear Sir: Please inform me if there is an audited or any other kind of claim in favor of Major B. B. Sturges on file in your office. Also, the amount. The heirs have written me.

Major Sturges was in service in the Texas Army in 1836-7.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I have the honor to remain

Your Most Obt Servt,
J. H. H. Woodward.

No audited claim on file:
an application has been filed by Capt. S. Crosby for his Bty land