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Kind Sir:

I have your favor  
of 14th inst and note instructions.  
The short spell of fair weather that we have  
had is causing the <sup>oldest</sup> cotton to open ~~quite~~  
fully. We have only ginned and pressed  
8 bales as yet.

The river is very low and the boat expenses  
some difficulty in getting to our landing.  
Jim Reynolds, is still suffer from his complaint  
we are doing all that we can to alleviate  
his misery.

When I receive the notice of my appointment  
to the position of Justice of the Peace, I will  
be up <sup>to see you</sup>. We have received no mail from  
Vicksburg since my reply to the General's inquiry  
as to whether or not I would accept.

Yours very old servt

Bury

Mr Joseph E Davis  
Vicksburg  
Miss