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In J D McCalls note on the back of my letter of 3rd inst is before me. — In the case of the application of Seborn Berry for a pension I sent up a power of Attorney from Mr Berry authorizing me to draw any money or warrants issued to him on his pension but Mr McCall says — "Warrants cannot be sent by mail" — This seems very stringent to say the least. The U S Government sends anything to pensioners by mail and surely when ordered by the pensioner or his Attorney there can be no impropriety in sending it. on the contrary it operates as a great hardship upon a class of our