I forwarded to the Comptroller together with Hunters pension papers so that the Comptroller might see the power of atty and also the certificates of identification attached to it —. This from my conversation with Col Darden I understood would be in full compliance with the law and that I would not have to be personally present to receive and receipt for the bonds. If I am mistaken in this I have gone to considerable trouble unnecessarily —. If the law requires the Attorney receiving the bonds or certificates to be identified then I suggest that they be sent to Jm Brownson Banker here at my expence who can send any character of certificate necessary to my identification. By analogy to banking usage however (& I do not understand that the law requires greater strictness in the identification than bankers require) my signature would be sufficient —. I hope it may not be necessary for me to come to Austin or send Hunter to Austin to collect this pension & I think myself that with the affidavits of identification of Hunter attached to my power of attorney it will be unnecessary. It would entail great & needless expense upon pensioners to require such a journey of all of them. Please let me hear from you on the subject

Yours obt Servt
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