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MATHEW LAMBERT.

MAY 2, 1890.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House and ordered to be printed.

Mr. DE LANO, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 5851.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 5851) granting a pension to Mathew Lambert, have considered the same and report:

The claimant was (as shown by the records of the War Department) a private in Capt. R. B. Simms's company, Col. Walter Smith's regiment Mounted Alabama Volunteers, Creek war, 1836, from May 30, 1836, to July 22, 1836.

It is shown that Mr. Lambert is about seventy-five years old, in feeble health, unable to earn a support, and with no income.

There are precedents for the allowance of pensions to the aged and destitute survivors of the old Indian wars, and your committee therefore report the bill back with the recommendation that it do pass.

