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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 22, 1891.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. TURPIE, from the Committee on Pensions, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 10992.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 10992) granting a pension to Mrs. Mary B. Floyd, have examined the same and report:

From the facts stated in the House report we believe this to be a meritorious measure, and recommend the passage of the bill. The House report is attached hereto, approved, and made a part hereof.

[House Report No. 3115, Fifty-first Congress, first session.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 10992) granting a pension to Mrs. Mary B. Floyd, have considered the same and report:

John J. Floyd, the claimant's late husband, was a captain of Georgia volunteers and served one month and eleven days in the Creek Indian war of 1836.

McCormick Neal, J. T. Henderson, George H. Hammond, and other citizens of Fulton County, Ga., testify that the claimant is 73 years old, in feeble health, indigent circumstances, and dependent upon her children for a home and the comforts of life.

Many precedents have been established for the granting of pensions by special act to applicants of this class, and your committee therefore report the bill back with a favorable recommendation.