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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

FEBRUARY 16, 1891.—Ordered to be printed.

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

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 11349.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill granting a pension to Nancy F. Glenn, widow of Robert A. Glenn, deceased, a soldier in the Black Hawk war of 1832, have examined the same and report:

From the facts stated in the House report herein, which is hereby approved and attached hereto and made a part hereof, we believe this to be a meritorious measure and do accordingly recommend its passage.

HOUSE REPORT.

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 11349) granting a pension to Nancy F. Glenn, have considered the same and report as follows:

The claimant's late husband, Robert A. Glenn, deceased, was a private in Capt. William C. Rall's company of Illinois Volunteers, and served from April 23, 1832, to May 28, 1832, in the Black Hawk war.

It is shown that the soldier died on the 14th of December, 1860, and that the claimant has never remarried; also that she is 70 years old and is dependent for her support upon her daily labor and upon the contributions of others not legally bound to support her. Her post-office address is Wichita, Kans.

Congress has in numerous instances granted pensions by special act to the widows of soldiers of the old Indian wars, and as the pension in this case is necessary to the comfortable support of the beneficiary, your committee return the bill, recommending its passage with an amendment to fix the rate of pension at \$12 per month.