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ELIZABETH ROGERS.

APRIL 12, 1898.—Ordered to be printed.

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

REPORT.

[To accompany H. R. 7783.]

The Committee on Pensions, to whom was referred the bill (H. R. 7783) granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Rogers, have examined the same and report:

The report of the Committee on Invalid Pensions of the House of Representatives, hereto appended, is adopted and the passage of the bill is recommended.

HOUSE REPORT.

The said Elizabeth Rogers is pensioned at \$8 per month under the act of July 27, 1892, as the widow of David L. Rogers, who was captain and major of the First Tennessee Volunteer Infantry in the Cherokee Indian wars of 1836 to 1838, his period of service being eleven months and four days, or from July 8, 1836, to April 25, 1837, and from May 27, 1838, to July 12, 1838.

The widow was married to the soldier in 1862, and the soldier died in 1864. The widow is 88 years old, is very poor, having no property or income except her pension of \$8 per month.

It is therefore recommended that the bill pass.