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ANN ROSS.

[To accompany bill H. R. No. 465.]

JANUARY 25, 1838.

Mr. STANLY, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, made the following

REPORT :

The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to which was referred the petition of Ann Ross, report :

The petition of Ann Ross, widow of Lieutenant Andrew Ross, late of the marine corps, who died of his wounds received in battle with the Seminoles, in the Wahoo swamp, states that she receives fifteen dollars per month, under the provisions of an act of Congress, which she states is not sufficient to afford his widow and children the necessaries of life.

Accompanying the petition are several letters from distinguished gentlemen, giving a high character to Lieutenant Ross, for integrity, patriotism, and valor, and a certificate from the private secretary of General Jackson, by the request of the general, which mentions Lieutenant Ross, as "an old companion in arms, and a brave and meritorious officer."

He entered the army during the late war with Great Britain, and was at New Orleans on the 8th. After the close of the war, he was, at his own instance, transferred to the marine corps.

Five dollars increase per month from the time she received the fifteen dollars up to this time, and as long as she is entitled to a pension.

Thomas Allen, print.