RICHARD SHUBRICK—HEIR OF.

[To accompany bill H. R. No. 475.]

January 25, 1838.

Mr. Muhlenberg, from the Committee on Revolutionary Claims, made the following REPORT:

The Committee on Revolutionary Claims, to which was referred the petition of Susannah Hayne Pinckney, sole heir and representative of Captain Richard Shubrick, report:

The petitioner is the sole heir and only surviving daughter of Captain Richard Shubrick; she claims the seven years' half pay promised by the resolve of August 24, 1780, to the widow, or, in case of her death or intermarriage, to the children of such officers as have died, or shall hereafter die in the service.

It appears, from incontestable evidence, that Richard Shubrick was a captain of the 2d South Carolina regiment on continental establishment, (appointed November 15, 1776,) and that he died, while in the public service, on the 8th day, of November, 1777; Major General Moultrie certified these facts in August, 1791.

It appears, also, that Captain Shubrick left a widow and two daughters; the widow intermarried some time after his decease; one of the daughters died, leaving no children, so that the petitioner, the other daughter, Susannah Hayne Pinckney, is now the sole heir and representative of Captain Richard Shubrick.

It appears, further, that this case was examined, under a reference made by the House, by the Secretary at War, General Knox, as early as November, 1791, and favorably reported on; upon which report there would, however, seem to have been no final action, at least as far as Captain Shubrick's heirs were concerned.

The committee believe the petitioner fully entitled to the seven years' half pay promised by the resolution of August 24, 1780; and as it appears never to have been paid, either by the United States or the State of South Carolina, a bill is reported for her relief.

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