The Committee on Revolutionary Claims, to which was referred the petition of Jonas Bartlet, report:

The petitioner states that he is intermarried with Abigail Dale, who is the only daughter and heir of Jeremiah Dale, who was a non-commissioned officer in the army of the Revolution, and slain at Saratoga in the year 1777. He asks that his wife Abigail, sole heir and representative of said Jeremiah Dale, may have the benefit of the resolutions of May 15, 1778, and August 24, 1780, giving seven years' half pay to the widow or children of such officers of the army as may die in the service.

These resolutions, applying only to commissioned officers of the army, and not to non-commissioned officers or privates, the prayer of the petitioner cannot be granted, and the committee accordingly so resolve.

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