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ROBERT A. PICKETT

FEBRUARY 1 (calendar day, FEBRUARY 12), 1926.—Ordered to be printed

Mr. HARRELD, from the Committee on Indian Affairs, submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany S. 850]

The Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 850) for the relief of Robert A. Pickett, having considered the same, report favorably thereon with the recommendation that the bill do pass without amendment.

This bill has the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, as is set forth in letter from him under date of January 13, 1926, which is attached hereto and made a part of this report.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, January 13, 1926.

Hon. J. W. HARRELD,
Chairman Committee on Indian Affairs,
United States Senate.

MY DEAR SENATOR HARRELD: Further reference is made to your letter of December 14, requesting my opinion, for the benefit of the Committee on Indian Affairs, on S. 850, a bill for the relief of Robert A. Pickett. Favorable action is recommended.

The act of June 4, 1920 (41 Stat. 751), in section 13, provides that every member of the Crow Tribe shall designate as a homestead 640 acres of land, which shall remain inalienable for a period of 25 years. This provision, in general, is wise and indeed necessary in order to protect the members of the Crow Tribe from the loss of their property.

The proposed bill is intended to meet an exceptional case. Robert Pickett is an educated man, living away from the reservation, is now and has been for some time employed by the United States Bureau of Animal Industry, stationed at South St. Paul, Minn. His interests and associations are altogether separate and apart from the Crow Tribe. He is reported to be fully competent and it is believed that he should be invested with the responsibility of managing his property.

Very truly yours,

HUBERT WORK.

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Presented to the Senate and House of Representatives at the first session of the Sixty-fifth Congress, January 1917.

Mr. [Name] from the Committee on Finance, submitted the following

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The Committee on Finance, to which was referred the bill (H. R. 10000) for the relief of [Name], do hereby report the same with amendments thereon, and recommend that the bill do pass without amendment.

REPORT OF THE

COMMISSIONER OF

INTERNAL REVENUE

For the year ending June 30, 1917.

W. W. [Name]

Very truly yours,