

QUAPAW INDIANS.

FEBRUARY 13, 1891.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

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

REPORT:

[To accompany S. 2764.]

The Committee on Indian Affairs, to whom was referred the bill (S. 2764) providing for the allotment of lands in severalty to the Quapaw Indians in the Indian Territory, have examined the same and submit the following report:

The bill is almost identical with House bill 7662 of the present Congress, heretofore reported favorably from this committee, and attention is called to such report, giving reasons therefor.

Your committee, however, is of the opinion that the bill should be amended so as to make it more specific in a single particular.

Since the last official roll of the tribe was prepared and approved some changes have occurred in the membership of the tribe. Some have died, and there have been some births, and other changes, and hence in the judgment of your committee a new roll should be prepared and presented for approval; and hence we recommend that in line 4 of the engrossed bill, immediately before the word "furnished," the words "to be" be inserted, so that it will read "upon list to be furnished" etc.