

POTTAWATOMIE INDIANS.

FEBRUARY 6, 1888.—Referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs and ordered to be printed.

Mr. MORRILL submitted the following

RESOLUTION:

Whereas one E. John Ellis, an attorney of the city of Washington, D. C., has pending in this House a claim for services rendered professionally for the Pottawatomie Indians; and

Whereas many of these Indians are citizens of the United States and claim that they are not indebted to the said E. John Ellis in any sum
Therefore,

Be it resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be requested to furnish this House all the information possessed by his Department concerning said claim, for whom rendered, and circumstances under which rendered, and any other information he may possess concerning the propriety of the said proposed legislation, and also if any moneys have been paid to any other persons for services rendered in procuring appropriation from Congress in favor of said Indians in act of August 3, 1886, and if so, to whom and by what authority said moneys were paid.