

To the honourable the Speaker and Gentlemen of the House of Delegates

The Petition of Richard Bruce humbly represents, that Judith Epperson the ~~Wife~~ ^{widow} of David Epperson deceased, late a Soldier in the continental Service, being in Distress, and your Petitioner touched with Pity and Compassion at her Misfortunes, and distressed Situation, advanced ~~her~~ ^{to} Judith Epperson the Sum of one hundred and sixty four Pounds a Certificate of which he has obtained from the County Court of Albemarle, and to which he refers, Your Petitioner therefore prays that this honourable House would take the Premises, under their Consideration, and reimburse, a ~~make~~ ^{give} your Petitioner such Relief as is reasonable & just

Rich^d. Bruce.

Richard Bruce
his petition
Decem^r: 14th: 1780.
West^d: to Trade.

December 22^d: 1780.
Reasonable
Allowed £104. agreeable to
Prayer of Petition

At a Court held for Albemarle County the ninth
Day of April 1779

Richard Bruce presented to Court an Account against
the Commonwealth of Virginia for sundry necessaries
furnished Judith Epperson Widow of David Epperson
deced late a Soldier in the continental Service amount
ing to one hundred & sixty four Pound & ten Shillings
to which he made Oath whereupon it is ordered that
the same be certified to the Treasurer of Virginia

Copy John Nicholas