

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Judicial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1030

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
1st July 1862.*

No. 11. Read the following letter from E. W. BIRD, Esq., Acting Civil Judge of Negapatam, to A. J. APPERTHOT, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Tranquebar, 16th June 1862, No. 491.

With reference to paragraph 4 of the Orders of Government, No. 898 of the 10th instant, calling on me to report what accommodation is available for the new Court of Small Causes about to be established at this place. As the Head Quarters and at Negapatam as the out-station, I have the honor to state that there are no Government buildings within the Fort of Tranquebar which are available for the purpose, but that there is a house to be obtained on rent which, I conceive, is in every way suitable. It is situated in the immediate neighbourhood of the Civil Court and will be easily accessible to the Vakeels who at present practise in the four Courts now located at this place. The owner of the premises in question will accept Rupees 15 (fifteen) monthly as rent, and promises, should the building be taken up for the Court, to build a large record room on any plan desired, without an increase of the rent in question. The house will require no further additions to make it at once suitable and convenient for the proposed Court. The only other building in this neighbourhood at all suited for the purpose is the Government House in Poriar, but this building is at present occupied by the Public Works Department, and its upper story which I had thought of as likely to suit, will require considerable repair before it can be made use of. It is further at a distance of about 2 miles from Tranquebar and the roads in this neighbourhood being in very bad order, I conceive it would be highly inconvenient to Mr. Cross, who will probably have to live in the Fort, to hold his Court at such a distance. Added to this, the Vakeels who practice in the Courts in the Fort will be prevented from appearing professionally before the Judge of the new Court if his sittings are to be held at so great a distance as Poriar from Tranquebar.

2. In regard to the best locality for the Court House during the sittings at Negapatam, there is no building so suitable there as the one south of the Flag Staff and lately used as the Government school. It is situated most eligibly for the purpose required, being near the town yet close to the sea. The building is large and would well accommodate the Records of the Court and furnish sufficient accommodation for the Judge and his Establishment. I would beg strongly to recommend that the Government be pleased to reserve this building for the Judicial Department for the use of the new Court.

3. In reference to the Furniture required (which can all be made up here) I beg to submit an Estimate of what, I conceive, will be sufficient, costing Rupees 521-2 in all. To this will have to be added the price of the Court Seal of Office and of the 6 Peons' belts; namely Rupees 15 for the former and Rupees 30 for the latter. An estimate of the Stationery required for the use of the Court for a year is also submitted as required in paragraph 4 of the Orders of Government under reply. I have to request that I may be favored with the early sanction of Government in reference to the Furniture of the new Court, as it will all have to be newly made, and it will be difficult, if there be much delay, to have it ready by the time fixed for the opening of the new Court under the recent Orders of Government.

No. 12. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1862, No. 1,030.

The Governor in Council authorizes the Judge of the Court of Small Causes about to be opened in the Zillah of Negapatam to hire for the Tranquebar Small Cause Court the house referred to in paragraph 1 of the letter above recorded, at a rent of Rupees (15) fifteen per mensem.

2. In the Proceedings of Government in the Revenue Department, dated the 12th March last, No. 532, the Collector was authorized to appropriate the building formerly occupied by the Industrial School to the Negapatam Taluq Cutcherry. The Civil Judge will ascertain from the Acting Collector, whether this building can be spared for the Small Cause Court—if not, some other must be selected.

3. In regard to the Furniture for which the Civil Judge has submitted an Estimate, the Governor in Council considers that two Almirahs will be sufficient, with this exception the Estimate is sanctioned.

4. The Judge of the Court of Small Causes should submit an Indent on the Superintendent of Stationery for the Stationery entered in the Civil Judge's Estimate. Pending its arrival such articles as may be wanted can be lent from the Civil Court.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Estimate showing the description & cost of
furniture required for the proposed Small
Cause Court at Negapatnam.

1 Small platform of wood 1 foot high, 6 feet square for Judges' chair Mangoe wood	Rs 16	4	0
1 Judges' Table, teak wood 8 x 4	23	10	"
6 Chairs, Princesimala wood @ 4 Rs	24	"	"
2 Writers' Tables teak wood 3 1/2 x 2	24	"	"
1 Box to carry Records, teak wood 3 x 2 x 1 3/4	14	2	"
1 Pakel's small Table, 6 x 4	13	8	"
1 Form, Mangoe wood, 8 feet	4	"	"
1 Small Cash Chest, teak wood 2 x 1	5	4	"
Total Pakels	125	"	"

Tranquebar
17th June 1862

Signed G. Chinnasamy
Clerk

True copy /
E. H. V. V.
Atty. Genl. Secy.

Estimate showing the description & cost of furniture required for
the proposed small house built at Ponguebar.

For making a judges Bench with rail.

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Teak wood	28-...	
Mango wood	7-...	
Sanyas' hire	7-6-	
Carpenter's D ^r	27-4-	
Nails	1-4-	
Glue	8-	71-6-
1 Judges Table, Teak wood		25-...
3 Admirals, D ^r at 48 3/4 At		145-4-
1 Writers Table with drawers		16-...
2 D ^r D ^r D ^r at 12 At		24-...
1 Cash box, Teak wood		13-...
1 Totals Table D ^r		17-4-
4 Groomsters' Desks D ^r at 6 At		24-...
8 Chairs Pine wood at 4 R		32-...
2 Benches, Mango wood at 4 R		8-...
1 Stationary Box, white Teak		14-4-
1 D ^r small Box D ^r		5-...

Total Reques. 396-2-

Ponguebar 18 June 1882.

(Signed) C. Chinnasamy Naik.

(True copy)

E. W. Nash

Chief Judge

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List showing the estimated quantity of the articles of Stationery &c required for the proposed Small Cases Court at Langueban

Description of articles	Quantity required		
	Small Cases	Small Cases	Small Cases
Reynolds	"	"	6
Stationery	"	1	"
Quills	2	"	"
Quills pen	"	3	"
Quills pen	1	10	"
Quills pen	"	15	"
Quills pen	"	"	12
Quills pen	"	"	6
Quills pen	"	"	6
Account books	3		
Archives	1		
Table boards	1		
Quills	1000		
Quills black case	15		
Quills powder	12		
Quills pen	1/2		
Quills pen	3/4		
Quills pen	1/4		
Quills pen	8		
Quills pen	1/2		
Quills pen	15		
Quills pen	3		
Quills pen	10		
Quills pen	12		
Quills pen	2		
Quills pen, complete	2		
Quills pen	6		
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Langueban
16 June 1862

E. H. Smith
Agent for the

June 16/62
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6 Tables — 53-4-
5 Chairs — 20-1-
5 Desks — 30-5-
2 Benches — 17-8-
2 Almshouses — 59-4-
1 Cook Chart — 21-
Surveyor's Duty done
on planths — 5-

Re. 186-6--

The table, however, is

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Negafixtan

Sudge's Bench with	
rail	71.60
do's. Table	25.00
4 Tables	57.40
4 Desks	24.00
8 Chairs	32.00
2 Formis	8.00
3 Almshouses	46.40
1 Cash Box	13.00
2 Stationary Boxes	19.40

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Ludges Platform	16..8..
dot Table	23..10..
6 chairs	24.....
3 Tables	37-8..
1 Records box	14-2..
1 Form	4-...
1 Cash box	5.4.

Nagapattanam.
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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Civil Judge of Nagapattinam Despt 28
Judge of the Court of
Small Causes at Nagapattinam } Despt 28

del'd 14 July

Judicial 1862. Department.

No. 1030.

PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT.

Dated *14 July 1862*
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*Respecting the
arrangements for the
annual Census Court
at the Department.*

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