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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
15th July 1862.*

No. 127. Read the following letter from J. RATLIFF, Esq., Civil Judge of Bellary ;
to A. J. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint
George, dated 1st July 1862, No. 81.

In acknowledging receipt of Proceedings of Government, No. 1,002, passed under date
27th ultimo, upon a petition submitted by me, with letter accompanying, under date 20th idem,
I have the honor to bring to your notice—in case of accident to any previous communication
that may have been made—that the intimation *thereby* conveyed, as to the resolution passed by
Government, upon my application for postponement of abolition of the Principal Sudder Ameen's

Twenty-fifth, 5-5 p. m.

Postpone the abolition of the Principal Sudder Ameen's Court
for the present.

Court, is the first, and, save the Telegraphic
Message as per margin, *only one*, that has
hitherto reached me, on the subject—whilst I
would further, respectfully solicit information,

as to whether the recommendation submitted by me in closing paragraph of above noted letter
as to henceforth restriction of the Principal Sudder Ameen to purely *Civil* work, has met with
approval or otherwise.

2. Impressed as I am, with a strong sense of the very great convenience to the public
(as suitors) that would result from the continuance of a local Court, with powers such as those
possessed by that in point, as well as of the very great possible, indeed, as far as I can judge,
probable inconvenience that must arise from continuation, or partial recurrences, of the existing
state of things on the Criminal side of my own Court, I have taken this opportunity of suggest-
ing to the Higher Court the advisableness of recommending to Government the abolition of that
of the *District Moonsiff* at this Station, rather than that of the *Principal Sudder Ameen*, and of
keeping open the latter as a permanent institution.

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 15th July 1862, No. 1,114.

The Governor in Council will await a communication from the Sudder Court on the subject
referred to in the foregoing letter.

2. In respect to the remarks in the first paragraph of his letter, Mr. Ratliff is informed that
the Order, postponing the abolition of the Principal Sudder Ameen's Court at Bellary, was
issued under date the 2nd instant, and that on the 4th instant, it was notified in the Fort Saint
George Gazette, that the Court would continue open for the hearing of suits under Regulation
VII of 1827.

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

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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No 81.

Civil Relations Court (Bella)

1st July 1862.

From,

J. Ratliff Esquire,

Civil Judge of Bellary,

To, A. J. Arundell Esquire

Acting Chief Secretary to Government

Fork St George.

Sir,

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Proceedings of Government, No 1002, passed,
under date 27th current, upon a Petition sub-
mitted by me, with letter accompanying, un-
der date 20th idem, I have the honor to bring
to your notice - in case of accident to any pre-
vious communication that may have been
made - that the intimation thereby conveyed,
as to the resolution passed by Government,
upon my application for postponement of
abolition of the Principal Sudder Ameen's

Court, is the first, and, save the
Telegraphic Message as per
margin, only one, that has hitherto
reached me, on the
subject.

Received by me
5-6-62 Gm.
Part of the above
letters of the
Principal Sudder
Ameen's Court
for the present.

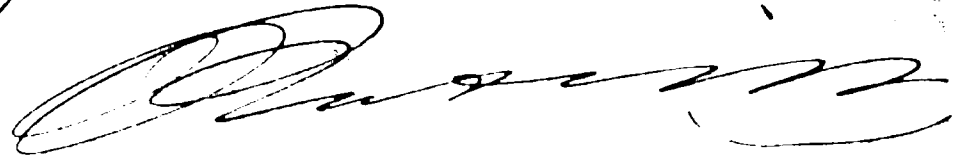
subject - which I would further respectfully,
solicit information, as to whether the re-
commendation submitted by me in closing
para of above noted letter as to benevolent res-
-truction of the Principal Sudder Ameen to purely
civil works, has met with approval or otherwise.

2. Impressed as I am, with a strong sense
of the very great convenience to the public justice
that would result from the continuance of a local
Court, with powers such as those possessed by that
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indeed - as far as I can judge - probable - incon-
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or partial recurrences, - of the existing state of things
on the criminal side of my own Court - I have
taken this opportunity of suggesting, to the Higher
Court the advisableness of recommending to
Government the abolition of that of the District
Mooniff at this station, rather than that
of the Principal Sudder Ameen - and of keeping
open the latter as a permanent institution.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant.



Civil Session Judge

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