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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
20th May 1862.

No. 144. Read the following letter from E. W. BIRD, Esq., Acting Civil Judge of Negapatam; to C. F. CHAMIER, Esq., Registrar of the Sudder Court, Fort Saint George, dated Tranquebar, 29th April 1862, No. 370.

With reference to your letter of the 14th April 1862, to the address of the Civil Judge of Tanjore, sent to me for my information, notifying to that Officer that an application should be made at once, accompanied by the usual Tabular Statement, for transmission to Government, explaining the grounds on which the continuance of the additional District Moonsiff's Courts in that Zillah is considered necessary, I have the honor to submit a Tabular Statement showing the state of the file of the Negapatam and Nagore District Moonsiffs' Courts up to the 1st instant as contrasted with the return of the 1st July 1861, of the same Courts' operations, which accompanied my letter to your address under date 30th August 1861, and to which I beg to refer you. It will be seen that there are 428 suits on the file of the Negapatam Court in excess of the number reported on the 1st July last, and that in the Nagore Court, while there are 362 suits pending on the file there are 448 Plaints presented and about to be brought on the file; being an excess of 327 suits over the number reported on the 1st July 1861. During the interval the District Moonsiffs presiding over these two Courts have disposed of a fair amount of work, allowance being made for the fact that the Nagore Court was during nearly six weeks of this time closed in consequence of the leave granted to the late Moonsiff Appasamy Pillay. Under all the circumstances of the case, I trust the Judges will be pleased to recommend to Government that the additional Moonsiff's Court at Nagore may be continued till the 30th April 1863. I have to add that the proposed charge has already been entered in the Budget Estimate for 1862-63, submitted by me on the 15th November last.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) THOMAS WILKINS,
Ag. Dy. Registrar.

No. 70.

The Judges of the Sudder Court beg to support the recommendation of the Acting Civil Judge, as the retention of the additional District Moonsiff's Court seems absolutely necessary.

By Order.
(Signed) THOMAS WILKINS,
Ag. Dy. Registrar.

5th May 1862.

To the Acting Chief Secretary to Government.

No. 145. ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1862, No. 815.

Application will be made to the Government of India for their sanction to the continuance, up to the 30th April 1863, of the additional District Moonsiff's Court at Nagore, on the Civil Judge of Negapatam submitting a Tabular Statement in the prescribed form. The Civil Paymaster will be authorized meanwhile to pass the charges on account of the Court.

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

Exd. F. Cartledge.

	Plaintiffs	Defendants
	Suits	Suits
Pending on the 1st July 1861	1030	483
Filed up to 1st April 1862	1316	574
Total	2346	1057
Disposed of between 1st July 1861 and 1st April 1862	888	695
Balance	1458	362
Plaints presented & about to be filed		448
		810

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29th April 1862

E. W. Bird
Asst Judge

Order 20 May 1862 No 815.

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To the Judges Court
" Civil Judge Negapatam Despr 21st
" Civil Paymaster

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From

The Asst Civil Judge

of Negapatam

To The Registrar of the Sudder Court

Dated 29th April 1862

Recd 3d May

No 370

Transmitting One

No 918

Recommending

that the addl Stff

Court at Kagore may

be continued till the

30th April 1863 Vide stating

that provision has not

been made for the pro-

posed charge in the Bud-

get Estimate for 1862/63

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No 70

The Judges of the Sudder Court beg to support the recommendation of the Asst Civil Judge, as the retention of the Two additional District Moonsiffs' Courts seems absolutely necessary

By Order

Thr Lushington

Sy Dy Registrar

5 May 1862

To

The Chief Secretary

to Government

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