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21st February 1868.

No. 267. Read the following letter from M. CROSS, Esq., Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Negapatam, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Negapatam, 1st February 1868.

I have the honor to solicit that His Excellency the Governor in Council will be pleased to grant me sick leave to England for one year.

2. My case and certificate have been forwarded by me through the usual channels.

3. In forwarding the same, I further pray that this leave may be granted to me under the Old Rules—vide Order of Government, 1st March 1867, No. 324.

4. This is my first application for such leave since I entered the Service in 1858.

5. If Government are pleased to comply with my request, it is my wish to leave by the first French Steamer in March, about the 6th; and in that case I would beg that I may be allowed preparatory leave from the 1st March.

Maurice Cross, Esq., Judge of the Small Cause Court at Negapatam, having applied to me, as his Medical Attendant, for a certificate on which to ground his application for sick leave, I do hereby certify that I have attended Mr. Cross professionally for the last three years; that, prior to May 1867, I have had occasion to treat him at intervals for ailments incidental to the climate; that, in May of that year, during the recess of his Court, Mr. Cross proceeded to the Shervaroy Hills for change of climate, where he was seized with a severe attack of the Miasmatic Fever, of those kind which necessitated his return to the plains; that those attacks continued to recur with great severity at intervals of five or six days; that during the last six months, the attacks have been frequent, have not abated, and have been of a more severe character, recurring for 2, 3 and at times for 7 days; that during my treatment of Mr. Cross, I have tried antiperiodics, such as Arsenic, Quina, Tonics, and alteratives—but these remedies have failed to afford any relief, owing to the liver being affected from the long continued recurrence of the fever; that his bowels keep regular, appetite pretty good, with, however, restless nights. His nervous system from those continued attacks, coupled with his long residence in India, appears to have received a shock which has tended to undermine his constitution. From Mr. Cross' present state of health, coupled with the circumstance that he came to India upwards of 23 years ago, his present residence being an uninterrupted one of 10 years, during which he has suffered from a severe attack of Small-pox, I am decidedly of opinion that nothing short of a change to England will benefit Mr. Cross and restore his system to its natural state.

NEGAPATAM,
11th January 1868.

(Signed) J. HOYLE,
Pensioned 2nd Apothecary.

(Countersigned) J. SMITH,
Actg. Civil Surgeon, Tranquebar.

I, James Smith, Assistant Surgeon, Acting Civil Surgeon, Tranquebar, do hereby certify on honor that Maurice Cross, Esquire, Judge of the Small Cause Court at Negapatam, is in a bad state of health, and I sincerely declare that, according to the best of my judgment, a change of air is essentially necessary to his recovery, and do, therefore, recommend that he may be permitted to proceed to England for a period of twelve months.

TRANQUEBAR,
20th January 1868.

(Signed) J. SMITH, Assistant Surgeon,
Actg. Civil Surgeon, Tranquebar.

I do hereby certify that, according to the best of my professional judgment, after careful personal examination of his case, I consider the state of health of Mr. Cross to be such as to render leave of absence to Europe for a period of twelve months absolutely necessary for his recovery.

TRICHINOPOLY,
31st January 1868.

(Signed) J. A. REYNOLDS,
Dy. Inspr. Genl., Indian Medl. Dept.

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I do hereby certify that, according to the best of my professional judgment, after careful perusal of the case, I consider the state of health of Maurice Cross, Esq., Judge of the Small Cause Court at Negapatam, to be such as to render leave of absence to Europe for a period of twelve months absolutely necessary for his recovery.

17th February 1868.
Signed B. W. MANTON, Esq.,
Judge of the Court of Small Causes,
Negapatam.
(By Order)
(Signed) H. WIGRAM,
Acting Registrar, Appellate Side.

MEMORANDUM.
Eligible to a year's leave to Europe on medical certificate, and the Old Rules, subject to confirmation by the Right Honorable the Secretary of State, and to preparatory leave, under Section 48 of the Revised Unconsolidated Service Absence Rules.
This Order referred to by Mr. Cross in paragraph 3 has not been communicated to this Office.
6th February 1868.
(Signed) W. DONALD,
Examiner of Claims.

ORDER THEREON, 21st February 1868, No. 391.
The Government in Council grants Mr. M. Cross, Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Negapatam, leave of absence to Europe for a period of twelve months from the date of departure of the first French Steamer in March next, under the Old Unconsolidated Service Absence Rules, subject to the confirmation of the Secretary of State for India.
2. Preparatory leave from the 1st proximo is also granted.
(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To Mr. Cross, Esq.,
Accountant General,
Examiner of Claims.

Edw. J. H. Burns.

Negapatam
17th February 1868.

From
Mr. Cross Esquire
Judge of the Court of Small Causes
Negapatam
To
The Honble R. C. Ellis Esq.
Chief Secretary Government
Madras.

Sir,
I have the honor to
submit that His Excellency
the Governor in Council will
be pleased to grant me such
leave to England for one year.
2. My case and certificate
have been forwarded by me
through the usual channel.
3. In preferring the request
I further pray that the leave
may be granted under and
the old Rules - Under order
of Government 1st March 1867
No. 334.

4. This is my first appli-
cation for such leave and
entered the service in 1858.

5. If Government are
pleased I am with
my respect, in my wish
to leave by the first French
steamer in March about
the 6th, and in that case I
would beg that I may be
allowed preparing leave
from the 1st March.

Yours most obedt. Servt.

Sir

Yours most obedt. Servt.

Maurice P.

Esq.

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dermine his constitution. From
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coupled with the circumstances that
he came to India upwards of 23½ years
ago, his present residence being an
uninterrupted one of 11 years during
which he has suffered from a severe
attack of Small Pox. I am decidedly
of opinion that nothing short of a
change to England will benefit
Mr Croft and restore his system
to its natural state.

Mejapatan, 3
11 January 1868
J. A. Doyle
Colonel D. A. Doyle

Dr. Smith
As: Civil Surgeon
Trangkebar

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I, James Smith, Assistant Surgeon,
Acting Civil Surgeon, Tranquebar, do
hereby certify on honor that Charles Cross
Esquire, Judge of the Small Cause
Court at Negapatam, is in a bad
state of health, and I sincerely declare
that according to the best of my
judgment, a change of air is essentially
necessary to his recovery, and do therefore
recommend that he may be permitted
to proceed to England, for a period
of twelve months.

Tranquebar }
29th January 1868 }
Do: *[Signature]*
Assistant Surgeon
Acting Civil Surgeon, Tranquebar

I do hereby certify, that according to the best of my pro-
fessional judgment, after carefully examining the Cross
do hereby certify, that according to the best of my
judgment, a change of air is essentially necessary to his recovery,
and do therefore recommend that he may be permitted to proceed to
England, for a period of twelve months absolutely necessary for his recovery.
31st January 1868
[Signature]
Assistant Surgeon

Subscribed to by J. Smith
29th January 1868

Statement of Case
of Medical Certificate
of Mr. J. Smith, Surgeon-Judge
of the Court of Small
Causes at Negapatam.

Do: 29th Jan 1868
[Signature]

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Received of *[Signature]*
the sum of Rs. 1000
on 29th Jan 1868

