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G.O., No. 1 - 2

DATED 2 - 1 - 99

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Major L. W. Evans L.M.S.

Sanction the transfer
Travancore Darbar of the services
for employment as Darbar
during the absence of Major Thomson
on furlough, and paying the salary
should draw whilst so employed
Copy to the Secy. Foreign Dept. the

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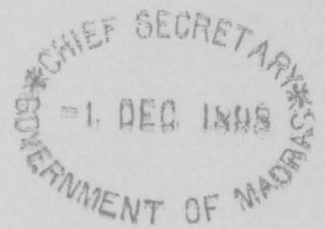
Major J. W. Evans, I.M.S.

Sanctioning the transfer to the Travancore Darbar of the services of — for employment as Darbar Physician during the absence of Major Thomson, I.M.S. on furlough, and fixing the salary he should draw whilst so employed. Copy to the Government of India, Foreign Department.

Political Department.

Public (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 3805



This is for Political
to ask ^{if necessary} not for the S.G.
He does not know that
Evans has been appointed

Am

W.
2/12/98

Order
ms

Show CA.

The services of
Major J. W. Evans, I.M.S.
are placed at the
disposal of the Political
Dept.

Cs
2.12.98

From Surgeon General.
C. S. Hoops Esq. F.R.C.S.
Surgeon-General
with the Govt. of Madras.

No. 513

Dated 30th November 98

Received 1st Dec: 98

Registered 2nd Dec: 98.

Enclosures

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SUBJECT.

Wm Political Dept (Aro)

Requesting that steps may be
taken to place ^{the services of} Major J. W. Evans
at the disposal of the
Political Department.

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No	Department.	Date.
	1433	Pub.	28.11.75
	452-3	Pub.	4.7.98

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

From

SURGEON-~~MAJOR~~-GENERAL F. SIBTHORPE, C.B., F.R.C.P.I.,

SURGEON-GENERAL WITH THE

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,

To

THE HON'BLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

Public DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

Major J. H. Evans I. Ind District
Medical and Sanitary officer and Superintendent
of Jail, Bellary having been selected by His
Excellency the Governor to act as Quarantine
Physician, Travancore during the absence of
Major H. Thomson M.B., I. Ind on sick leave,
have the honor to request that steps may be
taken for his being placed at the disposal of
the Political Department. He has been directed
to proceed to Travancore on relief by Dr. Allington.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

F. Sibthorpe

Surgeon-General

Surgeon-General

with the Govt. of Madras.

Telephone

PA. Dept

From C.S.

To S.S.

Ym 513 30th November.

Please state the authority for your request re. Major Evans. Has Travancore Darbar asked for his services? The appeal is not in the gift of this Govt.

Cmb
3.12.45

5/12/45

Ch
13/25
5.11.98

There was a D.O. letter
I think from Mr. Huddlestone
about this.

13/12/45

Refuse

Find a name

Ch
3.12.46

CA

no D.O. letter from Mr. Nicholson
can be traced but please see
abstract of D.O. 787 recd from E
ing. ind. it may contain the
info. regarding Major Evans. The
D.O. ~~abstract~~ appears to have
gone to the Private Secy.

11/12/48

SA

do you remember anything?

Cmb
8.12.45

S.A.

nothing beyond Cmb

3905. Cmb
3.12.45

~~Subs that if the S.S.
has the Rosita's D.O. f. with
say so in reply~~

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INDIAN  TELEGRAPHS. Monthly
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To
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From
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Message

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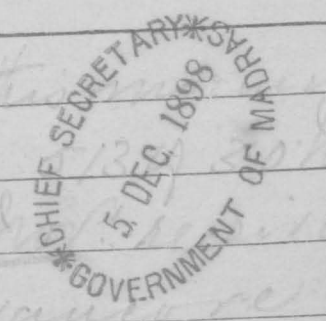
Chief Secretary

From
(Person)

Surg. Genl.

64 Word Form.

Your telephone message of the 13th inst. regarding
the authority for my letter to Mr. Lewis is received.
is Mr. Lewis's D.O. No. 452 dated 4th July 98 regarding
this young officer. Mr. Traverser
+ has wished to have Major Evans
The appointment is as the gift of
the Government. See G.O. No. 452
of 4th July 98 regarding
Major Thomson.
CB



+ How can he know this. I thought it was
in a D.O. from Mr. Mitchell but that
was mistaken.

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5/12/18.

Recd. from

LN.

Sent to

LN.

At

Hrs.

Mts. by

At

Hrs.

Mts. by

Telegraph Master.

C. No.

TELEPHONE MESSAGE.

From

Chief Secy

CHIEF SECRETARIAT,

To

Purabi Secy

Dated 5/12/ 189 8.

Singam Smt. states that
on the authority of a D.O. from
Jm Dated 22nd Nov. Major
Wam S. M.S. has been selected
for Darbar Physician appt in
Tranacore. Appt. is not in
list of this list & the Darbar
should first ask for services
of the officer to act. Have
Jm any communication from
Rust. which authorizes action
being taken in view to
placing of Wam's services at
disposal of the Darbar

cut
5.12.18
18/19
5.11.98

15/12/18.

Copy.

Telegram to the Resident
in Travancore & Cochin of
28th November 1898

N^o. 654. Your letter November
eighth and telegram of twent
sixth. Thomson's leave granted.
may proceed at once.

Sd/- G.S.

Note

This telegram is with the file
re the appt of a successor
to Major Thomson.

AS
5/12/98

Political (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 1511

Ref

Where is the other file in
which a telephonic message
went to P.S. L.H.8 the

From

The Resident in Madras
& Cutch

Order

CA

The file linked to the one
is subm'd.

6/12/98

Cut

6.12.98

Ref No. 3818

Dated 30th November 1898

Received 4-12-98

Registered 5-12-98

Enclosures 2

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The S.S. has not replied
to the telephonic message of
the 5th on the 6th of the linked
file.

Pub.
2.12.98

Remind him.

17/12/98

CHIEF SECRETARY
-4 DEC. 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

SUBJECT.

Leave to Major Thomas
Dunham Physician in Charge

Appointment of Dr. B.
Rao, of the Mysore Brigade
in his place during his
absence.

BACK PAPERS.

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CURRENT NO. 1511

Resident's office
Travandram 30th Nov. 1898.

Ref. no 3818

From

F. A. Nicholson Esquire
Ag Resident in Travancore & Cochin.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your telegram No. 654
A dated 28th November 1898, I have the honor to
report for the information of Government
that Major Thomson was relieved of the duties
of Durbar Physician Travandram by Dr. Per
Surgeon, Major Brigade, on the 26th Instant
as mentioned in my telegram of that date.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. servt.

F. A. Nicholson

Ag. Resident.

In 80 1433 Pub. 8
28-11-98

cut.

Resident's Office
Tirunelveli, 25.12.1898

From

J. A. Nicholas Esq.
Agent in Tirunelveli

To

The Chief Secretary to Government
Madras.

With reference to your telegram of 25th
dated 25th December 1898, I have the honor to
report for the information of Government
that Major Thomson was relieved of the duties
of Quarter Master General, Tirunelveli, on the 25th inst.
as mentioned in my telegram of that date.
I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

J. A. Nicholas



GOVERNMENT HOUSE,

Quind. 6 Dec 1898

My dear Sir,

In reply to your
telephone message about the
Surgeon-General sending
Evans to Travancore,
please read the accom-
panying papers in the
order in which I have marked
them. You will see that His
Excellency did consult the
Travancore authorities be-
fore approval of the Surgeon-
General's proposal to send

[G
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500-11-8-07.

Political Department.

C. No. 1571
(43805 Pub.)

TELEPHONE MESSAGE.

From

Chief Secretary

CHIEF SECRETARIAT,

To

The Asst General -

Dated 8-12 - 1898.

Proposed place services of Major
Evans M.S. District Medical
Officer Bellary at disposal of
Travancore Darbar for employ-
ment as Darbar Physician during
absence of ~~Colonel~~ Major Thom-
son on furlough. Darbar Physician
pay is twelve hundred please
state what salary Major Evans
would draw & whether there is any
account objection to his transfer.

Cms
8-12/11

19-12/18.

Repacked
C.H.
14/40

R Return to P. after disposal of

Cms



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To
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From
(Office)

Words.

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Hour.

Minute.

*Official
Instructions*

To
(Person)

From

SECRETARY*
12 DEC. 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
From
(F. 1000)

64 Word Form.

F. C. 2.

Recd. from

LN.

Sent to

I.N.

41

Hrs.

Yes, by

43

Hrs.

Mts. by

Telegraph Master.

*App't of Barbar
Physician - Travancore*

Political Department.
C. No 1571 Pol
3805 Pub -

TELEPHONE MESSAGE.

From

Chief Secretary

CHIEF SECRETARIAT,

To

Accountant General -

Dated 12-12-1898.

Barbar Physician & Travancore.

*Please say what
Is there any objection ^{there is} to Major
Evans being appointed under Art
sub clause (2) of clause (IV) of article
806 ~~not~~ (*) and drawing
the full pay of post (Rs 1200) while
acting for Major Thomson.*

*12/12/98. Cmt
12.11.6
Sgt
13-12-98
17/21
R*

Return to P. after dec

*Cmt
12.12.98*

*Major Thomson was
appointed under 806
to (2) therefore why
should not Evans come
under 806 II (1).*

12/11/18
12/11/18
12/11/18

Chief Secretary

Chief Secretary

12-11-18

is there any objection to Mr.
Evans being granted the
full pay of the Surbar Physician
Rs. 1200 under Article 806 sub
clause 2 of Clause IV C.S.P.

12/11/18

12/11/18

G.
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INDIAN TELEGRAPHS. Monthly Number.

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Chief Secretary

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Per

14 DEC 1898
GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

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Political (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 1542



From

The Resident in Siam
& Cochins

Order

Ref No. 3904

Dated 5th December 1898

Received

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Enclosures

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SUBJECT.

Forwards ^{formal} application
from the Resident in Siam
for the services of Major J. H.
Evans to act as District
Physician during the absence
of Major Thomas in Siam

BACK PAPERS.

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CURRENT No. 1543



From The British Resident
in Travancore & Cochin

Order

Ref no. 3972

Dated 10th Dec 98.

Received 14. 12. 98

Registered

Enclosures

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SUBJECT.

Report of Major Evans
J. M. S. having taken
charge of the duties of
the Durbar Physician
of the Travancore State

BACK PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department	Date

FURTHER PAPERS.

G.O.	No.	Department.	Date.

Ref memo. 3972

CURRENT No. 1543

Resident's office
Trivandrum, 10th Dec. 1898.

From,

F. A. Nicholam Esq.
Ag. British Resident
in Travancore & Cochin

To,

The Chief Secretary to Govt.
Fort St. George.

Sir,

I have the honor to report for the information of Government that Major. Evans, I.M. S. reported himself to me on the morning of the 8th instant and has taken charge of the duties of the Durbar Physician from Dr. Perkins who was in temporary charge, on the forenoon of the 9th idem.

I have the honor to be
Sir

your most obedt. servant

F. A. Nicholam

Ag. Resident.

cut.

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Department.

C. No.

TELEPHONE MESSAGE.

From

Chief Secretary

CHIEF SECRETARIAT,

To

Acct Genl

Dated 16. 11 1898.

Understood that Travancore
Darbar will not have to bear
any portion of the absences
allowance of Major Thomson Esq
Darbar Physician. Please say
if this is so

cmh
15.12.95

11/12/18.

Just
Ct
11/12/18
16.11.98

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To (Office) *Telephonic* From (Office) *Messrs*

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To (Person) *Chief Secretary* From (Person) *Accountant General*

64 Word Form.

Major Thomson's allowances are wholly paid from British Revenue. Regret telephonic message of 14 was incorrect. Dr. Dutt cannot get more than Rs 975. Dutt should pay full Rs 1200/- and difference between these sums Rs 225/- should be credited to British Govt vide article 839 C.S.R. *CA*

F.C.2.

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Political Dept.
21-12-98
Mr. Dr. Biggs -

D/O -

H

With reference to telephone message of 19th inst will you please let me know how Dr. Evans' salary as Acting Durbar Physician @ Travancore is calculated at Rs 975 with reference to Art 839 C S R.

Yours sincerely -

W.C.
20/12/98

Cred
20.12.98

Yours Signed by M.

2 Mr. Biggs Esq
Act. Secy.

Copd + 800
21/12/98

Keep file intact

Submit with file to W.C.

D.O. NO 837

ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FORT ST. GEORGE,



the 23rd of ^{Dec} Jan 1898.

Dear Sir,

^{XXV} Your demi-official
dated the 21st December
1898 addressed to
Mr. Biggs.

Mr. Evans' salary as
acting District
Physician at
Travancore is
calculated as
follows:—

Subject

Surg Maj Wans' appoint-
ment as Darbar Physician
to Travancore.

Self C. S. P. P. S.

Political Dept

cb

Mr Public

AK
5/12/50

XX

The S. G. writes G.O. No.
452 Pt 7 4 July 1898 as
showing that the Darbar
Physician appt. is in the gift
of this Govt. Subd. that he has
mistaken the position entirely
that order, which ^{sanctioned} placed ~~Major~~
~~Thomson's services~~ the transfer
of Major Thomson's services
to the Travancore Darbar, was
passed on a request from the
Darbar that this might be
done. The G.O. proceeds that
it is for the Travancore Darbar
to more first as regards the
officer to be selected. If the
Darbar has not asked for
Major Wans' services, it may
object to his being sent down
to Travancore to take up the
appt. Subd. that P.S. may be
asked by telephone if he
has any comm. from the
Resid. Please see draft before

He has
already gone.
AK.

Cund
5/12/50

P.T.O.

2

The P.S. replies in D/O dated II
6th inst & explains the situation
by sending the following D/O's
in original —

1. D/O No ⁵⁷⁹_{107/11/98} from S.G. ^{P.S.} stating that
Major Thomson is ill & that as he
understands that ~~the~~ the Maharajah
wishes for a European Offr of "D.S." standing
he nominates Major Swans of
Bellary & Capt Johnston (unattached)
"for selection by H.E."

2. D/O from P.S. to Res^t ^{dated 14/11/98} requesting to
know whether H.H. has any wish in
the matter of a successor.

3. Telegram from Res^t ^{P.S.} dated 18th stating
that Major Swans' services were
desired by H.H. — followed by ^{P.S.}

4. D/O dated 18/11/98 from Res^t ^{P.S.} explain-
ing grounds on which H.H. desired
Major Swans to be appointed.

In their correspondence P.S. wrote
D/O to S.G. stating that H.E. had
"ascertained that ~~the~~ the Maha-
"Raja of Travancore wd be glad to
"have Major Swans in the place of
"Major Thomson as Darbar Physo"
adding "H.E. accordingly approves
your proposal to this effect &

Attached to D/O from P.S. @ II

Vide copy on P.S.'s enclosure
marked (5) at II

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"will be glad if you will take
"the necessary action in the matter."

2 It is subm^d that ^{letter comm^d} this is the
D/O referred to in S.G.'s Telephone
of 5th (flagged III) but that the
Surge Gen^l is under a misappre-
hension as to the App^t under refer-
ence being in the Gift of the Madras
Govt. ~~and~~ It might be well to
correct this in a D/O for future
guidance.

3 Subm^d that there is no objec-
tion to Major Swans' appointment
& that the Rft Order put up below
may issue.

4. C No 1571 in the file is an
official intimation from the Res^t
"for the information of Govt." to the
effect that Lt Perkins of the
Nayar Brigade relieved Major
Thomson on 26th inst — pro tem —
as mentioned in ^{the Res^t} telegram of
that date. Subm^d that this
may be recorded. (Vide dock
of Current)

10/12/98

The Acet Encl, having been

B+C — consulted on the subject by

Copy 28/12/98

The P.S. explains that
the meaning of his words
was that the S.G. could
take any ordinary
official steps which
might be necessary.

IV

phone, says there is no Asst objection to Major Evans being appointed to act as Durbar Physician under Art 806 (iv) (2) of C S R & drawing the full pay of the appointment.

Submⁿ - that the order put up may now issue? - (Vide below)

14/12/98

Since the above notes were written two currents have been received from the Resident L & C in one of which he forwards letter from the Durbar addressed to himself & officially intimating that the Durbar desires the temporary services of Surg Maj Evans as Physician during the absence of Surg Maj Thomson & stating that the Durbar will pay him Rs 1200 per mensem & free house on the understanding that Dr Thomson's absentee allowance will be borne

the British Govt - (flagged F)

The other communication from the Resident is an official announcement that Surg Major Evans reported himself for duty on the

* Ref on C No 3904
9-12-98.

* Ref on C No 3972
10-12-98.

* Dr Perkins took temporary charge from Dr Thomson -
Vide Resident's telegram dated 26/11/98, flagged K -

morning of the 8th inst took charge of the duties of Durbar Physician from Dr Perkins of the Nayar Brigade on the morning of the 9th (letter is flagged G).

2. Under Art 835 Civil Service Regn (read with 817 (1) of the same) Govt bears the ^{whole} charge for absentee allowances due to Major Thomson. It is submⁿ, therefore, that the order granting the full pay of the appointment to Major Evans may issue.

C

This appears to be the case but in order to make quite certain on the point A.S. may be asked to telephon - please see draft flagged ~~10~~. If the A.S. reply in the affirmative, the order flagged ~~10~~ might issue.

Curr
16.12.98

M. J. J.

Telephone message 7.19.12. 98
flagged H.

The A.S. states that Major Thomson's absentee allowances are
Cust 28/12/98

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wholly paid by British Revenue but corrects his statement of 14th inst (vide telephone message flagged D) that there is no objection to Major Evans drawing Rs 1200 under Sec 806(IV)(2) of CSR.

He now points to Sec 839 CSR which provides that "any saving arising from the absence of a permanent officer accrues to his employer except when an officer is exempted from the payment of the contribution prescribed in Art. 809 when the saving should be paid to the British Govt.," & states that Major Evans cannot get more than Rs 975 as temporary Darbar Physician, but that Darbar should pay Rs 1200 (the full pay of the appointment) & the difference should be credited to the British Govt. salary of Rs 975 on the pay to be drawn by Major Evans is calculated by the table follows - (Vide his D/O No 837 23-12-99)

Pay of Rank (Vide Art 806 c of Army Reg^{ns}) - 677.6.11

Half Staff Salary of substantive Appt - 36.4.6.

XIX

(Sub^{re} Appt^{re} is Dm & S officer of Bellary on Rs 750) -

Rs 1200
- 677-6-11

522-9-17
251-4-7

Salary
(Staff pay being reckoned at the difference between pay of Rank & the Consolidated pay of the appt)

7

Half-staff pay of Off^r
Appt - - - - - # 261.4.7

Rs 975.0.0

This scale is in accordance with Art 134(a) of CSR which states that for officiating officer shall draw half the staff salary of the appt in which he officiates & the staff salary of his substantive appointment, (Art 135 of the same Regns ruling that the allowance of a Commissioned Medical Officer off^r in an appt reserved exclusively for officers of that class shall be regulated by Arts 133 & 134)

2. It is subm^d, therefore, that in appointing Major Evans to act as Darbar Physician during the absence of the permanent incumbent the Residents' attention should be called to the provisions of Art 839, with the request that he will see that the saving be credited to the funds of the British Govt.

a military officer officiating for in civil employ for an absence who is subject to the rules of 1868,

on the assumption that the pay of the appt. is a Staff Salary equal to the difference between the officiating officer's unemployed pay and the consolidated pay he would receive if he held the appt. Substantively

A revised Dft Order is subm^d for approval -

27/12/99 W.S. Please see draft 641
Cost 281.0.0

148 No. 1000000

30/12/98
23/12/98

Political

DEPARTMENT

Read again G.O. No. ⁴⁵² ~~1433~~ / 5, 24.7.98
- 1433 Pub. 928. 11.98 (P)

Pub. C. No. 3805 From the S.S. No. 573, dated 30. 11. 1898 (P)

P.A.C. " 1511 " " Result in T.C. " 3818, " 30. 11. 1898 (P)

" 1542 " " " " 3504, " 9. 12. 1898 (A)

" 1543 " " " " 3572, " 10. 12. 1898 (P)

Telephonic Message from the Asst. Smt. of 19. 12. 98-10
(concluding [])

Office
Result in S.S.
Cms
done 2/1/99
in no list to

3.54
30.12.98

Done 12/1/98

Order No 1 of 2-1-99
P.A. With reference to

article 806 of the C. S. R., The
Governor-in-Council sanctions
the transfer of the Travancore
Darbar of the services of Major
James William Evans, D. M. S.,
for employment as Darbar Physician,
during the absence of Major
Thomson D. M. S. on furlough.
2. Major Evans will under
articles 806 and 135
of the C. S. R. receive what
so employed a salary of Rs 975 ^{per mensem}
The difference between this
amount and the full pay of
the Asst. of Darbar Physician
(Rs 1200) should under article

839 of the C. S. R. be paid to
the British Government. The
Reside in France will
be requested to arrange accordingly

Chas
28/12/99

Mr. for C.
29/12/99

Reside in Tré
2/1/99

Public Dept.

Public Dept.

Chas
28/12/99

Chas
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STATEMENT WITH DITTO

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Copy of our letter to Mr. Nicholson
of 14th Nov 18

My dear Nicholson

In the matter
of selecting a Successor to Dr. Mon-
ton, Surgeon Physician, His High-
ness had to know if H. H. the
Maharajah has any special
wish in the matter. Sir Theophrastus
recommendations will be
found in the enclosed letter,
but possibly, His Highness may
wish to have some ~~one~~ particular
person, whom he knows, sent
instead.

Yours truly
C. H. Smith

Copy of our letter to the Surg. Genl
"not. refd to in the telephone."

Dear General, His Highness

has ascertained that His
Highness the Maharajah of
Saurashtra wd be glad to have
Majr. Evans in the place of
Majr. Thomson as Durbar Officer.
His Highness accordingly
approves of your proposal to
take effect. I will be glad if you
will take the necessary action
in the matter. I am with, I suppose, re-
commend some one for Bally
in Evans's place.

Yours truly
R. H. P. H.

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To the Honble the Secretary

V.O. 21379



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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS

My dear Sir,

Major H. Monson
District Physician is
sick and has submitted
an application for a year
leave on medical certificate
from Dr. Nicholson, D.O.
The Honble Mr. Stokes
observes that "It

Highness the Maharajah
is anxious that the post
should be occupied by
a European British Medical
Officer of the Standing of
District Engineer in Madras.
I submit the names of
two Officers for selection
to His Excellency viz:
Major J. W. Evans - Dist Medl
& Sanitary Officer Bellary
Capt. C. A. Johnston - just
placed at the disposal of
the Civil Dept Madras & the
Govt of India

Major Evans has been an
applicant for Truncheon
& is the better of the two
in all respects. He is acting
Deputy during Major Thimmon
absence on leave.

Should His Excellency
select Evans for Truncheon
I would propose Johnston
for Bellary.

Awaiting His Excellency's
order I remain
Yours sincerely

C. T. Frost
Johnston is now serving in the
Military but his services have been
placed at our disposal.



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18th Nov-90

My dear Sir

Your letter of
the 14th, enclosing me
from the Surg. General
mentioning two names
for selection of a locum
tenens to Major Thomson
I. M. S. ~~for~~ Durbar
Physician, proceeding on
sick leave:—

I sent the names on

to the Dewan for int-
-mission to His Highness;
in reply I am informed
that H. H. wishes to
have Major ^{J. W.} Evans I. M. S.
John Bellamy. I have
therefore wired to you to
that effect. Major
Evans was already, and,
I believe, personally known
to His Highness, since he
was Surgeon to the Vain
Brigade before he went
as Civil Surgeon to
Cochin; it is thought

that his previous knowledge
of the place, coupled with
his present practical know-
-ledge of plague precautions
will be very useful here.
I hope that he will be
able to join before long.

I return the Surg.
General's letter.

Yours sincerely,

F. A. Nicholson