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*Notes of H.C. and H.M. connected with Public Co 2901.*

C. No. 2981.

My Lt. Col. Laing has  
on leave from before I  
came into Council, so that  
of the current work I have  
has been his; and I can  
recall ever having seen  
his back work - I sup-  
pose I have done so, but it  
made no impression  
on my mind. It can  
be seen, however, of a  
usable nature - What  
I heard of Dr. Laing is, how-  
ever, that he is an absolutely  
first man - I regret that I  
have not been able to  
see his work for years past.

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1/11/94

I know very little of Dr.  
Laing's work, but I am + others  
in the same way of work  
in the same way of work

I consider that Surgeon Lt. Col.  
Laing was a useful Sanitary  
Commissioner.

2/11/94

Before transferring this to  
the Military Dept. for disposal  
as regards Surgeon Lt. Col. Laing  
application for an extension of  
it is sub. for orders as regards  
with reference to the question  
of his retention of the office of  
Sanitary Commissioner after  
21<sup>st</sup> June 1895. The present  
extension, if granted, will  
carry his leave on to  
August 1895.

C.S.  
19. \*

19/10/94

I see no objection myself to an extension  
being granted to Dr. Laing as Sanitary  
Commissioner but I should be glad to know what  
my hon. colleagues think about it.  
The hon. Mr. Bliss has much more  
knowledge of his work than I have.

28 Oct

After all that has been said  
Surgeon Lt. Col. Laing may have  
been extended - but it should be his

FOR ORDERS.

H.R. Love

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Government of Madras.

## MILITARY DEPARTMENT,

Fort Saint George 16 November 1895.

Read the following:—

From the Public Department, No. 2219, dated 13 November, regarding application from Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel J. A. Laing, Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, for an extension, for a period of six months, of the furlough already granted to him.

Order—His Excellency the Governor in Council has no objection to Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel J. A. Laing applying to the Secretary of State for India for an extension of his leave by six months.

2. It is observed that Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel Laing vacates his appointment as Sanitary Commissioner, Madras, on the 21st June 1895.

(True Extract)

J. H. Woodcock Colonel

Offg. Secretary to Government

The Surgeon General with the Government of Madras.

" Public Department with original note for orders.

" Adjutant General

" Principal Medical Officer, Madras Army } for information.

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The Military Department  
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C.S.  
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Stating that this Govt has no objection to  
Surg. Lt Col. J. A. Laing applying to the  
Secy of State for India for an extension  
of his leave by six months.

W.D.

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Recording Officer Military  
dept stating that there  
is no objection to Sp. J.  
to the Secy of State for  
an extension of his leave  
by six months