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Home (1918) Department.

Miscellaneous

Ordinary SERIES.

G.O. No. 820

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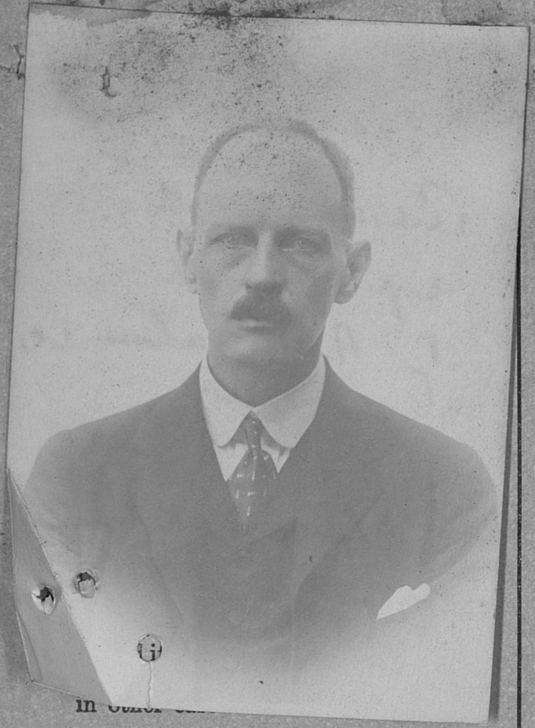
[Despatch Abstract.]

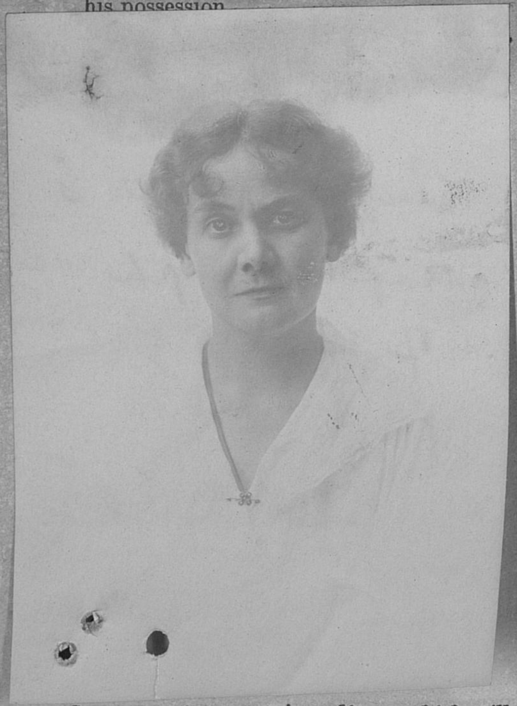
Passport.-

Granting a ---------- to the Hon'ble Mr. and Mrs. Graham proceeding to England.



Persons travelling in Asia must state the routes to be followed.

(f) The words in brackets to be struck out and initialled in cases where the applicant has no previous passport in his possession.



Specimen signature of applicant which will be detached and affixed to the Passport when issued.

(A)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT FOR PASSPORT.

(a) Madras 23rd Nov 1918

I, the Undersigned (b) Robert Arthur Graham

at present residing at Madras hereby declare that I am

(c) FOR A MARRIED WOMAN OR WIDOW (to be struck out in other cases). Particulars of HUSBAND'S birth to follow.

the wife / widow of ______ and that my husband is / late husband was

a (d) British born Subject having been born

at Meerut, India on the 15th day of December 1870

FOR PERSONS BORN ABROAD, who derive British nationality from a father or paternal grandfather born within His Majesty's Dominions. (To be struck out in other cases.)

my (his) father / paternal grandfather having been born within His Majesty's Dominions at ______ on the ______ day of ______

and not having lost the status of British Subject thus acquired, and I hereby apply for a Passport for the purpose of travelling to England

(e) [accompanied by my wife ~~(and children under the age of 16), as~~ indicated in the margin, ~~who~~ do not possess separate Passports].

I further declare that I have no Passport already in my possession (f) (other than that ~~these~~ which I annex hereto for cancellation).

(g) Signed R A Graham

AND I, the Undersigned (h) E M Gawne,

of Fort St George Madras hereby declare that to the best of my personal knowledge and belief the above made Declaration of the said Mr. ~~and~~ ~~Mrs.~~ ~~Miss~~ Graham

is true, and that I can **from my personal knowledge** of him and her vouch him and her as a fit and proper persons to receive a Passport.

Signed E Gawne
Justice of the Peace and
1st Class Magistrate.

NOTE.—Duplicate small unmounted photographs of the applicant (and wife if to be included) must be sent, one of which must be certified on the back by the recommender.

Specimen signature of wife if to be included on the Passport.

IMPORTANT.

Applicants, and persons recommending them, are warned that should any of the statements contained in their respective declarations prove to be untrue, they will render themselves liable to prosecution.

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT. 2

Age 48

Profession Indian Civil Service

Maiden name and place and date of birth of widow or married woman travelling singly.

Height 5 feet 8 inches

Forehead high

Eyes blue

Nose broad

Mouth medium

Chin round

Colour of Hair brown turning grey

Complexion sallow

Face oval

Any special peculiarities Lame in right leg

DESCRIPTION OF WIFE OF APPLICANT IF TO BE INCLUDED ON THE PASSPORT.

Names in full Ismena Charlotte Graham

Age 41

Profession

Place and date of birth Vriddhachalam, India 8th Aug 1877

Maiden name Thomson

Height 4 feet 10 inches

Forehead normal

Eyes brown

Nose retroussé

Mouth normal

Chin double

Colour of Hair brown

Complexion fair

Face round

Any special peculiarities mole on forehead

Names, ages, and sex of children under the age of 16 if to be included on the Passport.

PASSPORT REGULATIONS.

1. Applications for Indian Passports must be made in the prescribed form, printed on the back of these regulations, and submitted either direct or through the local authority—

(*a*) in the case of a resident in British India, to the Local Government or Local Administration concerned.

(*b*) in the case of a resident in a Native State, to the Agent to the Governor-General or Political Resident concerned.

2. The charge for an Indian Passport is Re. 1.

3. Indian Passports are granted to :—

(*a*) Natural-born British Subjects.

(*b*) Wives and widows of such persons.

(*c*) Persons naturalized in the United Kingdom, in the British Colonies or in India.

(*d*) Subjects of Native States in India.

A married woman is deemed to be a subject of the State of which her husband is for the time being a subject.

4. Passports are granted upon the production of a declaration by the applicant in the prescribed form of application verified by a declaration made by a *Political Officer, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Police Officer not below the rank of Superintendent* or *Notary Public,* resident in India.

5 If the applicant for a Passport be a Naturalized British Subject, the certificate of naturalization must be forwarded with the form of application to the Officer empowered to grant the Passport. It will be returned with the Passport to the applicant through the person who may have verified the declaration.

Naturalized British Subjects will be described as such, in their Passports, which will be issued subject to the necessary qualifications.

6. Small duplicate unmounted photographs of the applicant (and wife, if to be included) must be forwarded with the application for a Passport, one of which must be certified on the back by the person verifying the declaration made in the application form.

7. Indian Passports are not available beyond two years from the date of issue. They may be renewed, *in India only,* for four further periods of two years each after which fresh Passports must be obtained. The fee for each renewal is Re. 1.

8. Passports cannot be issued or renewed on behalf of persons already abroad . such persons snould be told to apply for Passports to the London Foreign Office or nearest British Mission or Consulate. Passports must not be sent out of India by post.

9. In the case of an applicant for a Passport being unable to write English, a transcription in English should be placed below the applicant's vernacular signature in the form of application. In the case of an illiterate person, a thumb impression should be substituted for a signature on the form of application, which should be certified by the person verifying the declaration.

BACK PAPERS.

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Home [illegible] / Deptt

Telegram

To the G.O.C. 9th (Secunderabad) Division
Bangalore

Hon'ble Mr. R. A. Graham Member Board of Revenue aged 48 years applies for [a] passport to England. please wire if [there is] any objection to [a] passport being granted.

Post copy to fo.

Wd
25.11.18
Filed
25.11.18

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Ds.-

Submitted with reference to H.E.'s ~~orders~~ on the margin of the main file. Submitted to Secy.

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Home(misc) 3478
27-11-18

C.

INDIAN TELEGRAPHS 00877

REGISTRAR HOME DEPARTMENT
27 NOV 1918
GOVT OF MADRAS

MADRAS
18
G.T.O.

NOTICE.

This form must accompany any inquiry made respecting this Telegram.

Charges to pay.
Rs. As.

Office Stamp.

Handed in at (Office of Origin).	Date.	Hour.	Minute.	Service Instructions.	Words.
Bangalore 250					15
				20 7	

TO

Recd. here at H. M

Home Madras

10272/18/CS no objection honble mr Graham being granted passport

= Comdg Divn =

N. B.—The name of the Sender, if telegraphed, is written after the text.
Gulab Singh & Sons, Calcutta—No. 20s Tel.—12-12-14—10,000 Bks.

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Home (Mil) Dept

U.S.

A passport has been prepared and is subd. with a draft order

2. Mr. Graham is aged ~~only~~ 48 and is liable to military duty. ~~Hence~~ A reference to the G.O.C. 9th Division, is usually made with reference to para 1 of G.O. no 815 Pub of 7.8.18. before a passport is granted.

3. There is no information as to whether Mr. Graham proceeds to England for urgent private reasons or for reasons of health. In the Endt ~~on~~ the passport, the reasons have to be stated.

4. The restrictions⊗ regarding grant of passports to women and children have been ~~removed~~ ~~at~~ removed (~~Please see~~ Telegram ~~at Slip.~~) received from the G. of I. is in Public).

The file may be sent to Public dept.

W.S.
23.11.18

Initd
23.11.18

C.S.

The G. of I's telegram is rather disappointing; after

(M)

Put up draft W.12.

22.11.18

Subd and issued after approval by C.S.

W.S.
28/11

⊗ other than the need for adducing urgent private necessity for obtaining a passport.

Let me see it please

U.S. –

Copy put up at slip (K)

W.S.
22/11

apparently announcing what we have all been waiting for, it then hedges in the last sentence to such an extent as to leave us very much where we stood. The only restriction actually removed is that of women & children travelling through the danger-zone — & this, there being now no danger-zone, would hardly seem a very daring advance. I fancy, however, the C. of S. want to hang on to the ppt. system for a while as it is clearly the one — or at least the simplest — method by which they can control the allotment of passages should they decide to do so. It seems probable that some kind of control of passage-distribution will be adopted & in the Gilbert-Swayne file I have accordingly told the office to keep the waiting-list with special care as unless there are ~~spec~~ distinguishing features in the case priority of application will come to be our only criterion in allotting passages.

2. C.S. is better aware of the circumstances of the present case than I am: Mr. Graham told me a medical certificate for Mrs Graham wd. be readily forthcoming if it were required. Under H.E.'s instructions, however, C.S. has directed on another file that we need not insist on any such qualifications. The order granting passport may therefore be approved. Mrs Graham's old ppt. will then be cancelled.

3. Mr Graham's case will be that of a Govt official on leave & as such will be covered by G.O. 438. & no reasons for the journey need be shown.

No medical certificate is necessary.

I understand the telegram to mean that the 'general' restrictions of the letter in G.O. No 431, dated 9-5-18, i.e. those applicable to both men and

(C)

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women are all that remain in force. You will find Burma's interpretation of it in this morning's ~~[illegible]~~ 'Madras Times'. I expect passports have come to stay

25-11-18

at slip (D)

5.

Our communiqué was on the same lines as Burma's.

The [illegible] new ppt. may be signed & ~~the~~ Miss Graham's old one cancelled.

The fee of 1/- may be recovered by the peon who delivers the passport

26-11-18

(C.S. told me this morning that a wire had been received intimating that instructions as to allotment of passages would shortly follow.)

copy of telegram at slip (E)

C.S. The G.o.C. has replied that

Scott. II—8 (a)—160.004—16-1-17.

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There is no objection to the grant of a passport to the Hon'ble ~~Mr.~~ Mr. Graham. The passport may be submitted to the Secy for signature and the draft order for approval.

C.W.S.
27.11.18

P.A.R.
27.11.18

S.
27.11.18

L.W.S.
27.11.18

"Travelling to England for urgent private business by mail steamer via the Mediterranean"

Scott. II—8 (a)—160,001—16-1-17.

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Home (mis) Dept

Secy

In view of the medical certificate produced on behalf of Mrs Graham, it is for orders if the original endorsement made on the passport may be cancelled and the following endorsement made.

"Travelling to England via the Mediterranean by mail or other ~~than mail~~ steamers; Mrs Graham for urgent reasons of health and Mr Graham as attendant on her and for urgent private business."

If approved the endt will be made on the passport

Initials
4.12.18

~~Forwarded to the Hon'ble~~ Mr R.A. Graham.
It is usual to endorse the above particulars & I shall do so if you wd kindly return this note. Passport is with me

LDS
4.12.18

Pdd.
4.12.18

I have given him the passport
LDS
4.12.18

Seen
Initials

Thank you
RAG
4/12/18

Secy
~~The~~ passport has been reendorsed. The scoring out ~~erasure~~ of the previous endt has to be authenticated by the Secy & the new ~~endt attested~~ endt attested.

Pdd. Initials
4.12.18 4.12.18

Sectt. II—10 (a)—36,003—21-1-18. (6) Passport Home (Mis) DEPARTMENT.

Granting a — to the Hon'ble Mr. & Mrs. Graham proceeding to England U

READ AGAIN G.O. No. ...., dated .... 191 .

" " " " .... " .... 191 .

READ ALSO:—

C. No. ...., From the Hon'ble Mr. Graham, I.C.S. No. —, dated 23-11-1918

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ORDER. No. 820, dated 27-11 1918.

Mis

A passport is granted.

2. A fee of Re 1 is due to Govt.

Cos
23.11.18

Fdcd
23.11.18

LWS

3. The passport granted to Mrs Graham by the ~~[illegible]~~ Office in CGW is cancelled.

Cos
27.11.18

Fdcd
27.11.18

LWS
27.11.18

Note. The passport granted to Mrs Graham by the ~~Colonial~~ Foreign Office will be cancelled. ~~A fee of Re 1~~

Cos

To the Hon'ble Mr R. A. Graham I.C.S (with passport)

Received & despd with p.port CR 12.40 PM 28.11.18

Fee of Re 1/ recd & credited

PASSPORT REGULATIONS.

1. APPLICATIONS for Foreign Office Passports must be made in the authorized form, and inclosed in a cover addressed to "THE PASSPORT OFFICE, FOREIGN OFFICE, DOWNING STREET, LONDON, S.W."

2. The charge for a Passport is 5*s*. Passports are issued at the Foreign Office, between the hours of 10 and 4 ON THE DAY FOLLOWING THAT ON WHICH THE APPLICATION FOR THE PASSPORT HAS BEEN RECEIVED, except on Sundays and Public Holidays, when the Passport Office is closed. Applications should, if possible, reach the Passport Office before 4 p.m. on the previous day. If the applicant does not reside in London, the Passport may be sent by post, and a Postal Order for 5*s*. should in that case accompany the application. POSTAGE STAMPS WILL NOT BE RECEIVED IN PAYMENT.

3. Foreign Office Passports are granted :—
   - (1.) To natural-born British subjects.
   - (2.) To the wives and widows of such persons ; and
   - (3.) To persons naturalized in the United Kingdom, in the British Colonies, or in India.

A married woman is deemed to be a subject of the State of which her husband is for the time being a subject.

4. Passports are granted :—
   - (1.) In the case of natural-born British subjects and persons naturalized in the United Kingdom, upon the production of a Declaration by the applicant in the authorized form, verified by a Declaration made by a member or official of any *Banking Firm* established in the United Kingdom, or by any *Mayor, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Minister of Religion, Barrister-at-law, Physician, Surgeon, Solicitor, or Notary Public*, resident in the United Kingdom. The applicant's Certificate of Birth and other evidence may also be required.
   - (2.) In the case of children under the age of 16 years requiring a separate Passport, upon production of a Declaration made by the child's parent or guardian, in a Form (B), to be obtained upon application to the Foreign Office.
   - (3.) In the case of persons naturalized in any of the British Self-governing Colonies, upon production of a Recommendation from the High Commissioner or Agent-General in London of the State concerned; and in the case of natives of British India and persons naturalized therein, upon production of a Letter of Recommendation from the India Office. Persons naturalized or ordinarily resident in any of the Crown Colonies must obtain a Letter of Recommendation from the Colonial Office.

5. If the applicant for a passport be a Naturalized British subject, the Certificate of Naturalization must be forwarded to the Foreign Office with the Declaration or Letter of Recommendation. Naturalized British subjects, if resident in London or in the suburbs, must apply *personally* for their Passports at the Foreign Office ; if resident in the country, the Passport will be sent, and the Certificate of Naturalization returned, to the person who may have verified the Declaration, for delivery to the applicant.

Naturalized British subjects will be described as such in their Passports, which will be issued subject to the necessary qualifications.

6. Foreign Office Passports are not available beyond two years from the date of issue. They may be renewed for four further periods of two years each, after which fresh Passports must be obtained. The fee for each renewal is 2*s*.

7. A Passport cannot be issued by the Foreign Office on behalf of a person already abroad ; such person should apply for one to the nearest British Mission or Consulate. Passports must not be sent out of the United Kingdom by post.

Foreign Office, February 1, 1915.

No. 44810

PASSPORT.

SIX PENCE

We, Sir Edward Grey
a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, a Member of His Britannic Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, a Member of Parliament, &c. &c. &c. His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Request and require in the Name of His Majesty all those whom it may concern to allow

Mrs Ismena Charlotte Graham –

to pass freely without let or hindrance, and to afford her *every assistance and protection of which* she *may stand in need.*

Given at the Foreign Office, London the 16th *day of* September 1915

CANCELLED

E Grey.

This passport is valid for two years only from the date of its issue. It may be renewed for four further periods of two years each after which a new passport will be required.

RENEWALS.

1.

2.

3.

4.

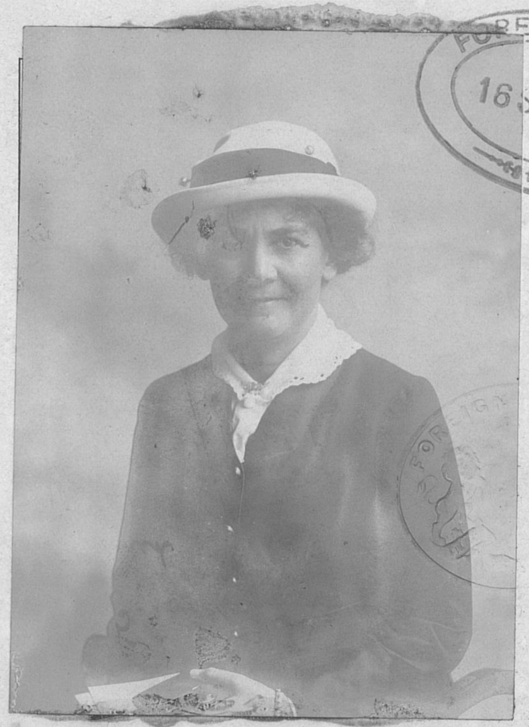
DESCRIPTION OF BEARER.

Age 38 *Profession* ✓
Place & date of birth India 1877
Maiden name of widow or married ~~woman~~ travelling singly Thomson
Height 5 *feet* – *inches*
Forehead lined *Eyes* brown
Nose flat *Mouth* ordinary
Chin double *Colour of Hair* brown
Complexion sallow *Face* round
Any special peculiarities mole in forehead
National Status British born subject

CANCELLED

PHOTOGRAPH OF BEARER.

FOREIGN OFFICE
16 SEP. 1915



SIGNATURE OF BEARER.

I. C. Graham.

DESCRIPTION OF WIFE OF BEARER.

Age *Profession*
Place & date of birth
Maiden name
Height *feet* *inches*
Forehead *Eyes*
Nose *Mouth*
Chin *Colour of Hair*
Complexion *Face*
Any special peculiarities

PARTICULARS OF CHILDREN UNDER THE AGE OF 16 YEARS.

Name	*Age*	*Sex*

PHOTOGRAPH OF WIFE.

SIGNATURE OF WIFE.

OBSERVATIONS.

THIS PASSPORT IS NOT VALID FOR THE ZONE OF THE ARMIES.
CE PASSEPORT N'EST PAS VALABLE POUR LA ZONE DES ARMEES.

CANCELLED

- 6 Nov. 1915

ENDORSEMENTS

Travelling to India via France

COMMISSARIAT SPECIAL DE BOULOGNE S/M
Débarquement

FOREIGN OFFICE
15 SEP. 1915

FOR *Madras via Colombo* ONLY *by S.S. "Worcestershire"*
NOT WITHIN THE ZONE ...

via Marseille & Port Said

via Boulogne
Londres le *4 November* 1915
Pour le ...
A Chatin

LONDRES
Quit. No. *4 Nov.* 1915
Date
Tarif Art. *155*
Obs.
Perçu *7/6*

VU AU CONSULAT GÉNÉRAL
DE FRANCE À LONDRES
LONDRES LE *4 Nov.* 1915
p/LE CONSUL GÉNÉRAL
Cartmi
Comp.

CONSULAT GÉNÉRAL DE FRANCE - LONDRES -

ENDORSEMENTS

Seen Avr 15/11/15

Travelling to England via Marseilles.

J Rajagopalachari

Ootacamund,
24th July 1916.
Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Judicial Department.

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READ AGAIN G.O. No. , DATED
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STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

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