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[Despatch Abstract.]

Passports.-

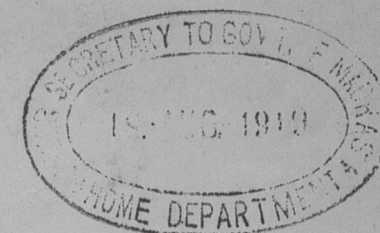
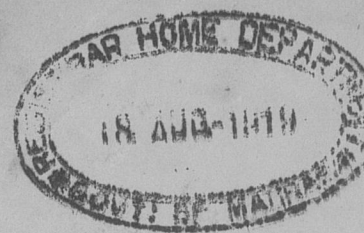
Granting ----- to Hajee Abdul Kareem and
Mah Jabin proceeding to Baghdad.

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SUBJECT.

Forwarding the applications of Mr. Hajee Abdul Karim ^{Mah Tahir.} Shirazi and Mohamed Khaleel Shirazi and Sons for passports to proceed to Bagdad:

Exo 5525 Home
18-8-19

No. 833 P.P./1919.
Enc - (2 appls, 2 phos, & 3 phs prints)
1 Forwarded.

2. The fee of Rupee one has been received from each of the two applicants and will be credited to Government. Two copies of the photograph of Mr. Hajee Abdul Karim are enclosed.

3. It is requested that the passport may be sent to this office as early as possible. The passes granted to the three individuals at Basra which are endorsed for the return journey but are time-expired are enclosed. The individuals are reported to be of good character. A letter from Messrs. Mohamed Khaleel Shirazi & Sons is also enclosed

not received.

City Police Office,
Madras,
13-8-19.

B. V. Sundaram
for Commissioner of Police.

To,

The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Miscellaneous) Department.
OOTACAMUND.

(a)
(b)
(c)
(d)
(e)
(f)
(g)



3252
(A)
DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT FOR PASSPORT.

(a) Madras 5th August 1917
I, the Undersigned (b) Hajee Abdul Karim
present residing at 36/37 Angappanaick street, J. Town hereby declare that I am
FOR A MARRIED WOMAN OR WIDOW (to be struck out in other cases). Particulars of HUSBAND'S
birth to follow.
(c) the wife of and that my husband is
the widow of late husband was
(d) Indian Subject of a native state having been born
Srinagar (Kashmir) on the 15th day of July 1867
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 having been born within His Majesty's Dominions at
paternal grandfather on the day of
Janakpur state
not having lost the status of British Subject thus acquired, and I hereby apply for a Passport for the purpose
travelling to Bagdad for the purpose of
trade

(e) [accompanied by my wife (and children under the age of 15), 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 which I
these annex hereto for cancellation).

(g) Signed Hajee Abdul Karim
AND I, the Undersigned (h) Dewan Mr. S. Navanandam Pillai
of Asotocmra, godhi, Madras hereby declare that to the best
of my personal knowledge and belief the above made Declaration of the said Mr. Hajee Abdul
Karim is true, and that I can from my personal knowledge of him vouch

him as a fit and proper person to receive a Passport.
her

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.

In the case of children under the age of 15 years requiring a separate Passport the Declaration must be made by the child's parent or guardian in a form (B) to be obtained upon application.

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

IMPORTANT.

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

DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age 50 years
Profession trade
Maiden name of widow or married woman
Place and date of birth
Height 5 feet 3 inches
Forehead Broad
Eyes Brown
Nose big
Mouth Small firm
Chin Prominent
Colour of Hair Grey
Complexion Fair
Face oval
Any special peculiarities a projection on the
left lower eyelid of the left eye
a cut on the forefinger of the left hand
DESCRIPTION OF WIFE OF APPLICANT IF TO BE INCLUDED
ON THE PASSPORT.
Names in full Khadija Sultan
Age 37 yrs
Profession nil
Place and date of birth Madras. 15th July 1882
Maiden name Khadija Sultan
Height 4 feet 11 inches
Forehead Broad
Eyes Black
Nose Straight
Mouth medium
Chin Round
Colour of Hair Black
Complexion Fair
Face oval
Any special peculiarities nil

Names, ages, and sex of children under the age of 15 if to be included on the Passport.

Aliah Khanum - 5 - female
MO. Mahdi - 3 - male

The whole of the declaration and marginal particulars should be in the applicant's own handwriting.

(h) Name and qualification of person verifying the Declaration (see Rule 4 at back), viz. :—

Political Officer, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Police Officer not below the rank of Superintendent, or Notary Public resident in India.

CAUTION.

The attention of persons who are asked to sign this declaration is specially called to the fact that it can only be signed from personal know-
ledge of the applicant and not from information obtained from other persons.

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

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 case of a child under 15 requiring a separate Passport, by the child's parent or guardian) 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 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 should 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.

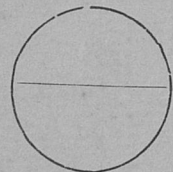
- (a) Insert name of Place and Date.
- (b) Christian Names and Surname of the applicant in full and present address.
- (c) In the case of a MARRIED WOMAN OR WIDOW, the particulars of birth required are those of her HUSBAND OR LATE HUSBAND—not of the applicant herself.
- (d) State whether a British born Subject, a naturalized British Subject or Subject of a Native State in India. IN THE CASE OF A NATURALIZED BRITISH SUBJECT SEE RULE 5 AT BACK.
- (e) Wife ^{and} or children should only be included if they do not possess separate passports. Strike out the sentence other cases.
- (f) The words in brackets to be struck out and initialled in cases where the applicant has no previous passport in his possession.
- (g) Signature.

The applicant must also write a specimen of his signature in the space below marked*.

The whole of the declaration and marginal particulars should be in the applicant's own handwriting.

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

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(A)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT FOR PASSPORT.

(a) Madras 5th August 1919

I, the Undersigned (b) Mah Jahin

at present residing at 36/37 Angapparaick street G. Town hereby declare that I am

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

(c) the wife of British born subject and that my husband is late husband was

a (d) Indian subject having been born

at Madras on the 15th day of July 1902

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 having been born within His Majesty's Dominions at

paternal grandfather 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 Bagdad for the purpose of

accompanying my father

(e) ~~accompanied by my wife (and children under the age of 15), 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 those which I annex hereto for cancellation).

(g) Signed MAH JAHIN (M. Mah Jahin)

AND I, the Undersigned (h) Deputy M. S. Dahan and amil.

of Asst. Commissioner of Police, Madras hereby declare that to the best

of my personal knowledge and belief the above made Declaration of the said Mrs. Mah Jahin

Miss

is true, and that I can from my personal knowledge of him her vouch

him her as a fit and proper person to receive a Passport.

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.

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

IMPORTANT.

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DESCRIPTION OF APPLICANT.

Age 17.

Profession nil

Maiden name of widow or married woman _____

Place and date of birth _____

Height 5 feet 2 inches

Forehead medium

Eyes Black

Nose Straight

Mouth medium

Chin Round

Colour of Hair Black

Complexion Fair

Face oval

Any special peculiarities nil

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

Names in full _____

Age _____

Profession _____

Place and date of birth _____

Maiden name _____

Height _____ feet _____ inches

Forehead _____

Eyes _____

Nose _____

Mouth _____

Chin _____

Colour of Hair _____

Complexion _____

Face _____

Any special peculiarities _____

Names, ages, and sex of children under the age of 15 if to be included on the Passport.

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4. Passports are granted upon the production of a declaration by the applicant (in the case of a child under 15 requiring a separate Passport, by the child's parent or guardian) 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.

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Home (in) Dept

Memo 5525-1 / 20.8.19

With reference to his letter No. 833 PP/1919 of the 13th August 1919, forwarding the passport applications of Hajji Abdul Karim Khalil & his daughter, the Commissioner of Acheh, Nadas, is informed that the letter from Messrs. Muhammad Khaleel Shitazi & Sons Ltd. to have been enclosed therein has not been received.

2. He is also requested to obtain & forward duplicate copies of the photograph of Hajji Jabin, as per No 1027 Pub. & 9th Nov. 1919 which exempts for a woman from the producing photograph does not apply to those who are proceeding to Baghdad.

Moreover the Commission has no objection to submit the photograph, to all the consulates.

[CR 5525]

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Rai 19.8.19. para 2 of 297 (incl)

The Commissioner of Acheh, Nadas (I memo)

29.8.19

[Remind 3 weeks after issue]

Home (His) Dept.

Letter No. 5525-2 of 26.8.19

To
The Dy Commissioner of Police,
C.P.D., Barrack

Sir,
I am directed to
inform you that applications
for passports to proceed to
Baghdad have been
received from one Hafeez
^{his wife Khadija Hafeez}
Abdul Hafeez & his daughter
Kah Jabin. They possess
passes (nos 105, 103 & 99 respectively)
franked by the Political
Resident in the Persian Gulf
& endorsed for the return
journey but which are
time barred. This Govt
is satisfied as to the bona fide
of the applicants & nothing
is known against them.
I am to enquire if there is
any objection to the grant of
the passports applied for.

Rd
26.8.19

305-306+201

305
Rd
26.8.19

Amr Chisdepr

Remo. 5525-3

268-9

In Continuation of
his Dep. memo. No. 5525-1
of the 20th August 1909, the
Commissioner of Police,
Rangoon, is requested to obtain
& forward duplicate
copies of the photograph of
Kadija Suetan wife of
Hajee Abdul Karim Sahib.
If, however, the husband has
conscientious objection to
exhibit the photograph
he will report the fact

*omitted from the previous
memo by oversight which
is repeated.

1 ✓ Rai
to the Commissioner of Police.
(Rangoon)

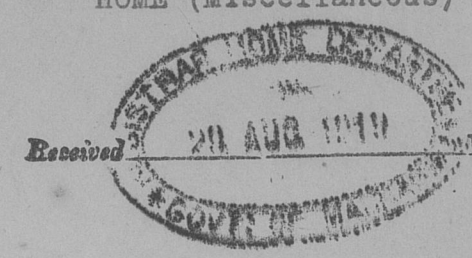
Rai
26.8.09

for
26.8.09

for
26.8.09

HOME (Miscellaneous)

DEPARTMENT.



Ms 5678
Registered 50/8 1919

Subject.

Forwarding the letter from Mohamed Hajee Abdul Kareem reporting that he has conscientious objection to the - photograph of ^{Mah} Mohamed Jabin and Khadija Sultan being either taken or exhibited.

Enclosures.
No. 2.
Spare copies nil.

Re No. 583/15
C.P.

Station M a d r a s, Dated the A u g u s t 1919

From (Name) F. Armitage Esq.
(Designation) Commissioner of Police,
Madras.

To The SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,
HOME (Miscellaneous) Dept.,
Ootacamund,

Sir,

With reference to Home (Miscellaneous) Department Memorandum No. 5525-2 dated 19th instant, I have the honour to forward the letter from Messrs. Muhammed Khaleel Shirazi and Sons which was inadvertantly kept back and also a letter from Muhammad Hajee Abdul Kareem Sahib in which he reports that he has conscientious objection to the photographs of Mah Jabin and Khadija Sultan being either taken or exhibited.

I have the honour to be,
S i r,
Your most obedient servant,

Savanandam Pillai
Commissioner of Police.

36/37, Angappa Naik Street,
Madras, 25th August 1919. 8



To

The Commissioner of Police,
M a d r a s.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 23rd instant bearing No. RE 833, I have to inform you that I have a conscientious objection, as an orthodox Muhamadan, to either taking the photographs of Mah Jabin and Khadija Sultan or exhibiting the same.

Therefore you will be kind enough to intimate Government about it, and to request them to issue the necessary passports. Thanking you in anticipation, and hoping to be excused for the trouble,

I remain,
Yours faithfully,

Sd/ Abdul Karim.

38/37, Angappa Nair Street,
Madras, 28th August 1919.

To
The Commissioner of Police,
M a d r a s.

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 28th instant bearing No. H. 232, I have to inform you that I have a conscientious objection, as an orthodox Mohammedan, to either taking the photographs of Mah Jabin and Khadija Sultan or exhibiting the same. Therefore you will be kind enough to intimate Government about it, and to request them to issue the necessary passports. Thanking you in anticipation, and hoping to be excused for the trouble,

I remain,
Yours faithfully,

Sd/ Abdul Karim.

MOHAMED KHALEEL SHIRAZI & SONS.

Telegraphic Address:
"KHALEEL."

Codes: A. B. C. 5th Edition
and Private.

Madras, 8th August 1919.

The Inspector Of Police,
B, Division,
M a d r a s.

Sir,

We know Mr. Hajee Abdul Karim Shirazi who is a British Subject and had been a resident in Madras for many years. Latterly he went on a trip with his family to Mesopotamia, and has returned therefrom with them to see his relatives as well as to recuperate his health. Now he intends going back to that country for which we understand that he has applied to you for a pass-port.

You may be interested to know that the above Gentleman is the younger brother of our Mr. Mohamed Khaleel Shirazi, a well known merchant and land-lord in the city, and will thus please assist him in every way at your disposal for which we thank you in anticipation, and remain,

Yours faithfully,


8-8-19

Sd/ Mohamed Khaleel Shirazi & Sons.

8th August 1919

The Inspector of Police,
B. Division,

M. S. R. S. M.

Sir,

We know Mr. Hajee Abdul Karim Shirazi who is a British Subject and had been a resident in Madras for many years. Latterly he went on a trip with his family to Mesopotamia and has returned therefrom with them to see his relatives as well as to recuperate his health.

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and remain,

Yours faithfully,

Sd/- Mohamed Khaleel Shirazi & Sons.



SUBJECT

No. 963-P.

Office of Dy. Commissioner of Police, C.I.D.

Station Basrah, Date 15th Sept., 1919.

FROM

Captain F. W. Gerrard, I. P.,

Dy. Commissioner of Police, C.I.D.

TO

The Secy. to the Govt. of Madras,

Home (Miscellaneous) Deptt.,

OOTACAMUND.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 5525-2 dated 26-8-19 I have the honour to inform you that there is no objection to Hajee Abdul Karim, his wife Kadija Sultan and his daughter Mah-i-jabin being allowed to proceed to Basrah.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

F. W. Gerrard

Capt., M.C.,

for Dy. Commissioner of Police, C.I.D.



[C 5525]

Home (H) Dept.
From the Commr of Police, No 833 PO/1919
Dy 13. 8. 29

Passport

PCP

no

The letter referred to in para 3 of the Commissioner's letter has not been received

2. The Commissioner has not forwarded photographs of Khat Jabin, apparently because she is a

(E)

goshu woman. But for 1027 Public Order dated 9. 11. 1918 enacts goshu women from producing photographs when proceeding to certain places

(E)

only - vide para 3 of the go. Resolutions. It would, therefore, seem necessary to call for duplicate photographs of the lady.

Am signed so

1919

PCP

3. As the letter from Nasser Muhammad Khaleel Shirazi to me referred in para 3 of the Commissioner's letter may contain information as to the character & bona fides of the applicants & the reasons for their journey, the report to the Dy Commissioner of Police, Bagdad

perhaps
may be made after receipt of this
letter

Draft Submitted

Plb
9.8.19
Sa
19.8.19

S.
To save time we may
also address Basrah now.
19.8.19

Please issue memo
by way of return file

Sa
19.8.19

us

draft memo to the Commission of Enquiry
Draft letter to Basrah submitted

No. The memo to the Commission
of Enquiry was issued on a holiday
(20th inst) when I was not in
town & the file seems to have
got mixed up with other outstanding
memos in the file. I am
hence the delay in putting up this
reference, which is very much
regretted

Plb
26.8.19

Plb
26.8.19
Sa
26.8.19

me
26.8.19

Letter 5325-2 & 26.8.19
Memo 5325-3 & 26.8.19

procc [Civ. 5875] From the Comm. of Enquiry. No. 883/19
2 August 1919

No

procc

The Commission of Enquiry reports
that Abdul Kareem has conscientious
objections to exhibiting the photographs of his
wife & daughter. Attention is, in this
connection, invited to p. No. 12017
B.89 in which one Haji Mirza Asadulla
Kerani was not given an opinion in the
matter of producing his wife's photograph.

Box 15
2.9.19

For orders.

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Box 15
2.9.19

2.9.19

S

The question of exemption from the photograph rules lies in the hands of the Govt. of India. If thought advisable, a ref may be made to them enquiring whether the exemptions sanctioned in their letter no 1787-G dt 8.10.18 may be made to apply to Bagdad. There will probably be objections to this. In view of the fact that the Basrah fares are already ordered for the return journey may we perhaps let them through?

E
Mesopotamia
S

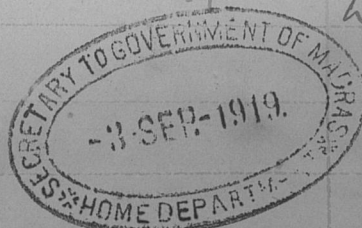
2.9.19

Very well. The came on here on a passport without a photograph with permission to return.

Ld.
2.9.19

I think so. Under the spirit of the exemption already sanctioned, we may pass this.

Muhammadas feel strongly on this point & we may advise India to cancel the exemption in all cases where conscientious scruples are alleged.



Hm

2/9/19

[Cm 6049]

From the Dy Commr of Police C.I.D., Basrah

U.S.

14

The Dy. Commissioner of Police, Basrah, reports that there is no objection to passports being granted to proceed to Basrah; apparently Baghdad is meant. As applicants wish to go there. ^{this Dept's} letter No 5325-2 of 26.8.4 appd C.F.

Draft order submitted.

DXB

30.9.4

Se

30.9.4

S

The order shd perhaps say we have discussed with the photograph.

After issue shd India be added as suggested on p 3 ant?

30.9.4

Extract taken for separate a/c

Please. I am disposed to think that the name of Mesopotamia is a clerical mistake

30.9.4

U.S.

Read by the DC from the J.M.

Passports
Franklin — to Hajee Hadne
Kareem & Mah Jabin
proceeding to Baghdad.

READ AGAIN G.O. No., dated 191

READ ALSO:—

C. No. 5525, From the Comm. of Ohio, No. 8337 dated 13-8. 131

" " Memo to do _____ 5520-1 g 208. 191

" " 5678 111 111 " " do " 883 $\frac{10}{4}$ " August 1919

ORDER.

His

No. 1348, dated 30.9. 1919.

Passports are granted.
2. They must be vised
by the General Staff at
the port of embarkation
and shown before
embarking to the
Embarkation Staff
Office.

The Commission of Advice
- Roads
- (Sto with 1942)

201

25.8.0

~~6/30/19~~

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When given for copying
When copied
When examined
When signed

19

READ AGAIN Q.O. No.
19

DATED

SENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

A A A A A A A

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH LITTO.

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