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[Despatch Abstract.]

Passport

Granting a ----- to Mr. G.Z.Meli proceeding to
Switzerland and England.

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Station Tinnevely, Dated the 22nd September 1919
Camp, Kollpatti,

From (Name) A. R. G. O. R. Esquire I.C.S.,
(Designation) District Magistrate.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home (Judicial) Department.
Ootacamund.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose for favour of orders
a passport application from Mr. G.Z. Meli of Tuticorin for
himself and wife. He has paid the required fee of
Rupee one into the Treasury.

I enclose small duplicate unmounted photographs of
his and Mrs. Meli, as also the naturalization certificate
granted to him.

The route intended to be taken is via Mediterranean
and Marseilles.

I recommend the grant of passport at an early date.

I have the honour to be,

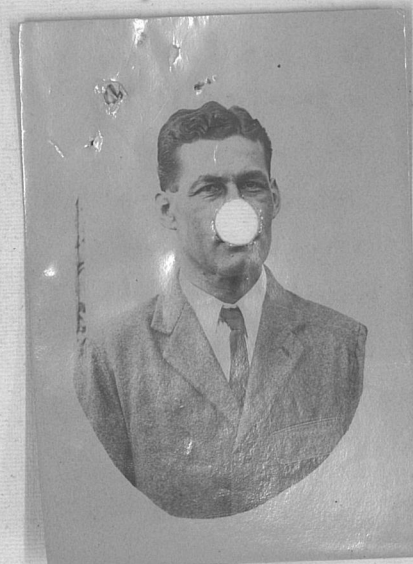
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

acex

T.R.N./22-9

District Magistrate.



Certified that this is
a photograph of
Mrs Meli - wife of
Mr G. Z. Meli who
is an applicant for
a passport to
Switzerland & England.
G.R. Fontenham.
Joint Magr.
Tuticorin

Certified that this is
a photograph of
Mr G. Z. Meli -
applicant for a passport
to travel to Switzerland
and England.
G.R. Fontenham.
Joint Magr.
Tuticorin

- (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.

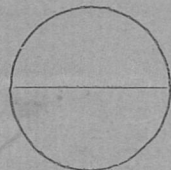
- (e) Wife and children should only be included if they do not possess separate passports. Strike out the sentence in other cases.

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.
(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.

- (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.



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

G. Z. Meli

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

L. Meli

(A)

DECLARATION TO BE MADE BY APPLICANT FOR PASSPORT.

(a) Tuticorin, 14th September 1919
I, the Undersigned (b) Giacomo Zino Meli
at present residing at Tuticorin 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
widow late husband was
(d) naturalized British subject having been born
at Winterthur, Switzerland on the fifth day of April 1879

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.)
(e) 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 Switzerland & 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 which I annex
hereto for cancellation from those

(g) Signed G. Z. Meli
AND I, the Undersigned (h) G.R. Fontenham - Joint Magistrate
of Tuticorin hereby declare that to the best

of my personal knowledge and belief the above made Declaration of the said Mr. G. Z. Meli
Mrs.
Miss

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

Signed G.R. Fontenham

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.

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.

Age 40 1/2
Profession merchant
Maiden name and place and date of birth of widow or married woman travelling singly
Height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches
Forehead high
Eyes grey
Nose normal, straight
Mouth normal
Chin round
Colour of Hair brown
Complexion brown, healthy
Face oval
Any special peculiarities

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

Names in full Louise (Luggi) Meli
Age 35
Profession
Place and date of birth Brugg, Switzerland
Maiden name Müller
Height 5 feet 2 1/2 inches
Forehead normal, high
Eyes grey
Nose normal, straight
Mouth normal
Chin round
Colour of Hair auburn
Complexion fair, healthy
Face oval
Any special peculiarities enlarged neck

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 should 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.

Home (nu.) Dept.

CNO 5994

Memo No. 5994-1 Home (nu.) dt 27.9.19

With reference to his letter
 Re. no. 6 cur. g. 1919 dated the 22nd
 September 1919, forwarding a
 passport application from Mr. G. L.
 Meli, the D.M. Timnevelly, is
 requested to ascertain and report
 the reasons for the applicant's
 journey to Europe. If the journey
 is undertaken in the interests of
 health the D.M. is requested
 to obtain and forward the
 necessary medical certificate.

Remind after three weeks.

LaTo The D.M. Timnevelly
 (At memo)

Recd.

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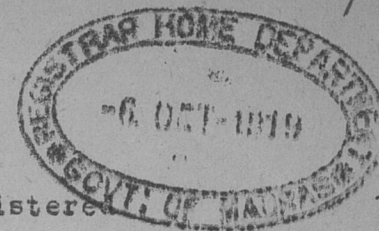
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Subject

Submitting the medical certificate in the case of Mr.G.Z. Meli who has applied for a passport to proceed to Europe.

Enclosure
One.

Ref.c. No. 634/m. 19.

Station Tinnevelly

Dated the 3rd October 1919.

From

A.R.Cox Esquire, I.C.S.,

District Magistrate of Tinnevelly.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Home (Miscellaneous) Department,

Stonehouse Hill, Ootacamund.

Sir,

With reference to Government memorandum No.5994-1, dated 27th September 1919, I have the honour to report that the journey is chiefly for reasons of health. I enclose the necessary medical certificate. No doubt the Head Office in Switzerland will also avail itself of Mr. Meli's presence - there during his leave for business purposes.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Shivalingam
4.10.19
For District Magistrate.

M.S.P/ 4-10.

Tuticorin, 2nd October 1919.

I hereby certify that Mr. G.Z.Meli is suffering from a general break down in his health - the result of long residence in the tropics. I therefore consider that a change to Europe is very necessary in the interests of his health. I have been Mr. Meli's medical attendant for the last three years.

V. Eapen,
L.R.C.P. & S, Ed.

Application for passport.

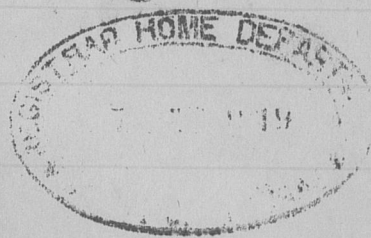
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Memo to D.M., no. 5994-1
P.O. 631 from D.M., no. 634 of 3-10-19.

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the draft order proposing the
grant of passport.

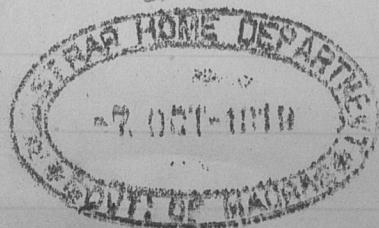
Should not Pub. be
consulted. Better.
R.R.R. 7.10.19.

us-

Subd. for orders whether
Pub. may agree to the grant
of a passport.



File no. 4283-1
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Yours.
7.10.19

I know him well - always impressed
him as being thoroughly pro-German.
However there are no papers about
him in Pub. he passed as alien.

Home no

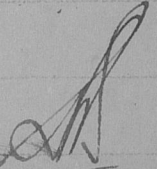
ages
7.10.19

us

Please see the Public U.S.'s
remarks on p1 ante. For order
whether the passport already
prepared may issue signed by
the Chief Secretary, or whether
a ^{fresh} passport is to be prepared.
If the latter one of the signed passports
in U.S.'s custody may be sent down
to the office.

Rxb
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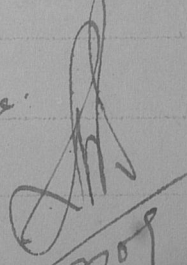
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One sent herewith


8.10.9

us

A fresh passport is submitted.
For order whether the draft order
already put up ^{now} may issue.

Rxb
8.10.9

Issue.

8.10.9

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READ AGAIN G.O. No. 191 DATED

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH LETTO.

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