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[Despatch Abstract.]

Passport---

Renewing the passport of Mrs. A. B. Blair for a period of two

years.

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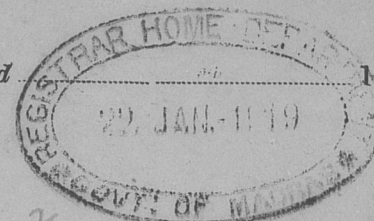
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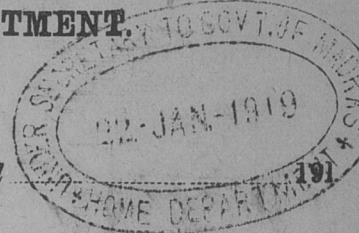
DEPARTMENT.

Received



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Registered



Subject.

Forwarding the application of Mrs. A. E. Adair for the renewal of ~~his~~ passport and endorsement of the same for proceeding to England Japan.

Order No. 229. of 29.1.19.

Subd.

The passport is returned

and ~~received~~ received

added in

29/1/19

Re No. 69/19

Station Madras, Dated the 21st January 1919

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

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

Forwarded.

The fee of Rs. 2 has been received from the applicant and will be credited to Government.

It is requested that the passport may be renewed and sent to this office as early as possible.

Al. Sumanasambas
for Commissioner of Police.

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ENCLOSURES
No. 2. (1 passport)
(1 passport)
Spare copies: nil

Amended by
5.12.18
23.1.19

To the Comm. Police
(9 to).
1 passport.

Madras

RENEWAL.

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FORM (E).

This form is for use only in respect of Passports in the standard book form.
Where all available space on a Passport is already occupied by visas, application must be made on Form (A) for the issue of a new Passport, for which a fee of Re. 1 is chargeable.

Renewal of Passport.

(a) Christian Names and Surname in full.

I, the Undersigned, (a) Alice Emily Adair
at present residing at Leadbeater Chambers, Adyar
hereby make application for the renewal of British Passport No. 621
issued to me at Fort St George on the 20 January 1917

(b) The route, destination, and purpose of journey should be given in full (see overleaf).

for a further period of two years for travelling to (b) Japan
to bring to India an invalid friend

(c) Insert "British-born Subject" or "Naturalised British Subject" or "Subject of a Native State in India" as the case may be. In the case of "Naturalised British Subject" see Regulations, § 5.

I declare that I am a (c) British born subject
and I have not lost that national status, and I solemnly declare that the whole of the particulars given by me in respect of this application are true, both in substance and in fact.

I further declare that I have no other Passport in my possession.

Signature of applicant Alice E. Adair

Date 10th Dec. 1918

(f) Name and Qualification of person verifying the Declaration, viz.:—
Political Officer, Magistrate, Justice of the Peace, Police Officer not below the rank of Superintendent, or Notary Public, resident in India.

And I, the Undersigned, (f) J. Sadasivier, Judge of Justice of the Peace
of Madras, hereby declare that,

to the best of my personal knowledge and belief, the above declaration of

the said Mr. A. E. Adair
Miss

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

Signed J. Sadasivier

Date 15.12.18

CAUTION.

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.

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 knowledge of the applicant and not from information obtained from other persons.

[OVER]

RENEWAL.

Renewal of Passport No. 621

Issued at Fort St George on 20th January 1917

BEARER OF PASSPORT.

(The following particulars should be given in the handwriting of the bearer of the Passport. In the case of an applicant unable to write English, a transcription in English should be placed below the applicant's vernacular signature. In the case of an illiterate person, a thumb impression should be substituted for a signature and should be certified by the person verifying the declaration.)

(a) Full names Alice Emily Adair
Permanent address Adyar, Madras
Present address Adyar, Madras
Present age and whether married or single Married
Profession or occupation None
Place and date of birth Hokitika, New Zealand, 20 April 1871

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

If bearer is a married woman or widow:—

Maiden name Alice E. Turner
Place and date of birth of husband Castlemaine, Victoria, Australia
3rd September 1867

(b) If wife of bearer is included on the Passport state:
Full names
Place and date of birth
Maiden surname

(c) Particulars of children if included on Passport:—

(NOTE.—Children who have attained the age of 15 years require separate Passports.)

(d) * Name of country to which it is desired to travel Japan
Destination, route, and purpose of journey to bring to India
an invalid friend

Proposed date of departure Not known

Signature Alice E. Adair

* If applicant does not at present intend to use the Passport for purposes of travel, this paragraph should be marked "Renewal only." Application for re-endorsement should be made when a definite journey is contemplated.
† Satisfactory evidence will be required as to the object of the proposed journey. Employees of firms or persons acting on behalf of firms must produce certificates from their employers as to the nature of the business on which they are proceeding abroad.

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Scott. 11-8 (a)-160,001-16-1-17.

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Home (mis) off

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The circumstances under which a passport was granted are set out in the notes to G.O. no 47 Home (mis) of 20.1.1917.

Subsequent to that the question as to the propriety of the grant of a passport to an adherent of the Theosophical Society was raised in connection with the application of Mr. D. Rajagopalachari for a passport to Australia and it was decided to grant him a passport. vide G.O. no 1278 Home (mis) of 19.12.17. The case of Mr. Jivirajadasa to whom an entry of his passport for journey to Australia was refused, is perhaps exceptional. vide G.O. no 987 of 6.2.18.

Please see the instructions of the Govt. of India in para 3 of Memo 5078. in G.O. 431 of 9.5.18, and in view of the fact that the Govt. have no information as to the grounds of Cogent private necessity that Mr. Adair has for proceeding to Japan or Australia, the D. of Mass. Chingleput may be

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Asked to ascertain and report the object of Mrs. Adair's journey.

A draft Telephonic Message is Submitted for approval. A.D.O. 10111

Adair is also Subd.

W. 2.12.18

Urgent Telephonic Message.

From the Secretary to the Board of Directors, Chicago, Ill. Said agent.

Mrs. Alice Emily Adair residing at the Theosophical Buildings Adyar has called on me with a view to obtain an endorsement of her passport for proceeding to Japan or England. ^{Taken immediately her} ~~considering~~ ^{immediate objective} Australia. Before ~~considering~~ ^{considering} her request, information is required as to the object of her journey and whether that object can be treated as one of urgent private necessity. ^{Can} ~~With~~ you please ^{ascertain this} ~~find out~~ for me. The ~~information~~ ^{information}. ~~A formal reference is not made as it will involve delay.~~ and as the lady has promised to call at the Secretariat of the Government.

6:00 P.M. 2.12.18

Line out of order. Dr. Bryant not at home. Mrs. Bryant will call at 8 P.M. and tell him.

W. 2.12.18

L.S. 2.12.18

Home (no) 10/11

3583-18 3/12/18

Dear Madam,

With reference to your personal request for a passport made at my office this day regarding the endorsement of your passport for travelling to Japan or Australia, I am referring the matter and reference is being made to me Dr. Macle, Clerk of the Admiralty and not to me

Commissioner of Police. Madam as I find you are residing within the jurisdiction of the former officer. The matter will be disposed of as expeditiously as possible

Yours faithfully
L.S.
2.12.18

I

Mr. Alice Emily Adair

Theosophical Building
Adyar.

sent
on 5
3.12.18

2/12/18

The district magistrate thought
 that it was better to go to Japan
 than to go to the States.
 Mrs. Adams friend is very
 ill in Japan. Mrs. Adams may get
 a wire at any moment asking her
 to go there. She wishes to be prepared.
 When then she does not know what she
 will be required to do. Her friend is
 amongst strangers. His case is not one
 which can be treated in a hospital
 amongst strangers. Mrs. Adams own
 presence in Adair is due to bad health.

She wishes to go east, not
 west and she understands
 that passage is easier to
 get east than west. Japan
 is her immediate objective.

Orders are solicited as to whether Mrs. Adams' passport
 may be endorsed for journey to Japan.
 The private necessity does not appear to be
 very cogent. But there does not seem to be any
 other reason to object.

TELEPHONIC MESSAGE.

From The district magistrate thought
 To The Secretary to Govt Home

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 ill in Japan. Mrs Adams may get
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B.C.M.
 C. 3/12
 N

H.M.

Orders are solicited as to whether Mrs. Adams' passport
 may be endorsed for journey to Japan.
 The private necessity does not appear to be
 very cogent. But there does not seem to be any
 other reason to object.

I am afraid this information will not justify the grant of passport on the plea of urgent private necessity. We do not know what the illness is, what claim this unnamed friend has on Mrs. Adair's personal help; she herself is ignorant what is expected of her.

If Mrs. Adair's own health (described by the District Judge as the cause of her presence in Adyar) and truthfully be put forward (backed by medical opinion) as a reason for a journey to Japan or the Far East, a passport might be considered.

From her interview with me in January 1917 I formed the impression that she was a truthful & harmless person; she has not, I think, taken any prominent part in politics.

Ld.
4-12-18

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A draft Letter to Mrs. Adair & Subj.

Ans
5.12.18
Rd.
5.12.18

Issue
Ld.
5.12.18

Ld.
4.12.18

Ans
5.12.18

CP 3583
Letter

3583-2
57210

Home in 1894

To MRS A. E. Adair.
Respectful regards
Adair
(with postscript)

ms
5/11

Recd Ltr to Mr
CP
5.12.18
CP
5.12.18

Regarding papers connected with
the request of M. A. E. Adair
to have her passport endorsed
for journey to Japan, Australia, & New Zealand.

Order
ms.

Recorded.

ms.
6.12.18

madam,
In continuation of
my letter no 3583-1 83.12.18,
I am desirous to inform you
that the reasons adduced
by you for going to Japan
do not in the opinion of Govt,
justify ~~a passport~~
being granted to you on
grounds of "coherent private
necessity." Should you,
however, desire to proceed
to Japan or the Far East for
reasons of your own health
we Govt will be prepared to
consider your application,
provided you are able to
support your request with
a medical certificate showing
that the state of your health
is such as to necessitate a
~~change~~ change of climate
to Japan or the Far East.

ms.
5.12.18

Yours faithfully
57210

From the Commr. of Police, No.69 dated 21-1-19.

U.S.

The Commr. of Police forwards the application of Mrs. Adair for the renewal of her passport, and states that "the passport may be renewed". In the renewal form Mrs. Adair declares that the renewal is applied for "for travelling to Japan to bring to India an invalid friend". But from the words "renewal only" entered against item (d) on page 2 of the form it is clear that Mrs. Adair wants that her passport should only be renewed now. A separate application for re-endorsement when the specific journey is to be undertaken will probably be sent.

The Hon'ble Member was of opinion that the illness of the friend in Japan and the proposed journey of the lady to Japan could not justify the grant of a passport on the plea of cogent private necessity. So that if the passport should be renewed now it will amount to accepting the plea which has been considered insufficient for the grant of an endorsement and of which Mrs. Adair has already been informed.

For orders whether the passport will be renewed. The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sadasiva Ayyar has verified the declaration of Mrs. Adair.

21.1.19
28.1.19

I disagree with A above. The passport merely renewed it worthless without the specific endorsement for the journey to Japan. There seems no harm in renewing it.

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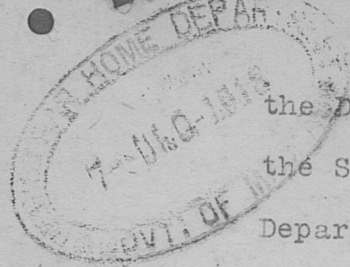
The passport- has been renewed. It is subd for signature with draft ~~and return~~ order. After its issue the papers may be recorded for future reference.

WJ
28.1.9
Pdr
29.1.9

W 28/1/9

Home (misc) 3202

7-12-18



Copy of tephonic message dated 5th December 1918, from
the District Magistrate of Chingleput District, Saidapet, to
the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Home (Judicial) Department.

Home (JDC) 3625 e

7-12-18

Mrs Alice Emily Adair's friend is very ill in Japan.
Mrs. Alice Emily may get a wire at any moment asking her
to go to there. She wishes to be prepared. When there, she
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presence in Adayar is due to ~~her~~ bad health. She wishes
to go East not West and she understands that passages are
easier to get East than West. Japan is her immediate -
objective.

C.P.G. 5/12.

Heavenly
for Collector *6/12/18*

*Is this not for
Home (misc) 3202
so cancel in full (C)
m.v. 7/12/18*

When given for copying

When copied

When examined

When signed

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READ AGAIN G.O. No.
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DATED

CURRENT No.

ENCLOSURES TO G. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT

STATEMENT WITH LITTO.

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IN ORIGINAL.

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