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Asst. Secretary,
Judicial and Public Department.

INDIA OFFICE,

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INDIA OFFICE,
WHITEHALL,
LONDON, S.W. 1,

30. 6. 1920.

DEAR SIR,

With reference to paragraph 2¹ of the Secretary of State's Public

¹ "I propose to transmit applications as received to your Home Department, and in order to minimize the delay that must necessarily take place, I would suggest that in cases where you see no objection to the application you should advise me briefly by telegram to that effect."

² Dated 28th June 1920, with enclosure and copy of application.

Despatch No. 119, dated 28th July 1916, I enclose copy of a letter² from the Foreign Office regarding the application of the following to enter on missionary work in India:--

Mr. & Mrs. Victor Theill, Danish
subjects, for the Madras Presidency.

The views of the Government of India on the subject will be awaited.

Copy of the present letter, with enclosure, and copy of application form of Mr & Mrs. Theill are ~~is~~ being communicated also to the Government of Madras.

Yours faithfully,

(sd) P. H. DUMBELL

Asst. Secretary, Public Department.

The Secretary to the Government of India,
Home Department.

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The Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the Under Secretary of State for India, and, in transmitting herewith, by direction of the Secretary of State, copy of the under-mentioned paper, would be glad to be advised what answer should be returned to the Passport Control Officer concerning the matter.

Foreign Office,

June 28th 1920.

Description of Enclosure.

<u>Name and Date.</u>	<u>Subject.</u>
Application forwarded by the Passport Control Officer in Copenhagen.	Concerning the desire of Victor Theill and wife S.K.Theill to resume their duties as missionaries in India.

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Sir,

I have the honour to transmit herewith application forms for Victor Theill and wife S.K.Theill née Dinesen. They wish to resume their duties as missionaries under the Danish Missionary Society in India.

Enclosed are also recommendations from a Danish clergyman of Copenhagen.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R.L.Hudn.

The
Director,
Passport Control Dept.,
Foreign Office,
Whitehall Court,
S.W.1.

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At the request of the Rev. Victor Theill, born at Maribo, Denmark, on March 23rd 1885, I the undersigned Charles Louis Peter Rudolph Nielsen, Parish Priest to the Aldersro Kirke at Copenhagen, am glad to testify, that his only object in applying for permission to enter India is to return to his permanent appointment as Missionary at Panruti, South Arcot District, in the Presidency of Madras, in the service of the Danish Missionary Society, and that I know him well enough to be certain, that he will always be faithfully loyal to the British Government of India.

Copenhagen,

June 3rd 1920.

Charles Nielsen.

At the request of Mrs. Sofie Kirstine Theill, nee Dinesen, born at Hemmet, Denmark on August 9th, 1884. I the undersigned Charles Louis Peter Rudolph Nielsen, Parish Priest to the Aldersro Kirke at Copenhagen, am glad to testify, that her only object in applying for permission to enter India is to return together with her husband, the Rev. Victor Theill, to their permanent appointment as missionaries at Panruti, South Arcot District, in the Presidency of Madras, in the service of the Danish Missionary Society, and that I know her well enough to be certain, that she will always be faithfully loyal to the British Government of India.

Copenhagen,

June 3rd 1920.

Charles Nielsen.

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FORM OF APPLICATION

TO BE FILLED IN BY

Persons other than British Subjects desiring to undertake Missionary or Educational work in India.

NOTE.—1. Owing to circumstances arising out of the war, persons other than British subjects who are desirous of proceeding to British India to undertake missionary or educational work, are now required to obtain permission from the Indian authorities to enable them to enter on such work.

2. Application for the permission should be made on the Form below, which, when completed and signed, including the Declaration overleaf, should be sent to His Britannic Majesty's Representative in the country in which the applicant resides.

3. A married woman, accompanying her husband, should use a separate form.

4. His Britannic Majesty's Representative will cause the applicant to be notified as soon as the desired permission has been obtained, but some time will necessarily be occupied by the communications with the Indian authorities.

5. Arrangements for the journey to India should not be made until permission has been received.

INDIA OFFICE,
WHITEHALL, LONDON, S.W. 1.

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1. Name in full:—

T H E I L L, Victor

2. Parentage, that is—

(a) Father's name in full.

(b) Mother's (maiden) name in full.

Theill, Ernst

Haastrup, Henriette

3. Present address:—

**The Danish Missionary Society, Strandagervej 24,
Hellerup.**

4. Date of Birth:—

March 23rd 1885.

5. Place and Country of Birth:—

Maribo, Denmark

6. Nationality:—

D A N E.

7. Whether holder of a Passport from ^{his} _{her} Government. **will be applied for.**

8. If male, whether applicant has served in the armed forces of his country, and if so, how long:—

Served at the Sanitary Corps for 11 months.

9. Whether previously in India, and, if so, places of residence, with dates:—

Worked as a missionary at Tiruvannamalai, North Arcot District, Madras Presidency, from 1912 to 1920.

10. Name of Mission or Educational Body to which applicant will be attached:—

The Danish Missionary Society, Strandagervej 24, Hellerup, Denmark.

11. Place and Province of India in which it is proposed to work:—

Panruti, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

12. Name and Address of Person or Persons, not more than three, who will furnish information as to applicant, if applied to:—

(i) **The Deputy Collector of North Arcot, with whom I have been cooperating in the Recruiting Campaign during the time of the war.**

(ii) **The Rev. V.C.L. Nielsen, Tiruvannamalai, North Arcot, Madras Presidency, India.**

(iii) **The Rev. Joh. Bittmann, 38, Broadway, Madras, E.**

DECLARATION.

I hereby undertake to do nothing contrary to, or in diminution of, the authority of Government as by law established in British India.

Signature **Victor Theill**

Date **5th June, 1920.**

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INDIA OFFICE,
WHITEHALL, LONDON, S.W. 1.

19

1. Name in full:—

T H E I L L, Sofie Kirstine, née Dinesen.

2. Parentage, that is—

(a) Father's name in full.

(b) Mother's (maiden) name in full.

Dinesen, Soren

Pedersen, Marie

3. Present address:—

The Danish Missionary Society, Strandagervej 24, Hellerup, Denmark.

4. Date of Birth:—

August 9th 1884.

5. Place and Country of Birth:—

Hemmet, Vest Jylland.

6. Nationality:—

D A N E

7. Whether holder of a Passport from ^{his} Government.

Will be applied for.

8. If male, whether applicant has served in the armed forces of his country, and if so, how long:—

9. Whether previously in India, and, if so, places of residence, with dates:—

Yes, Tiruvannamalai, North Arcot, Madras Presidency, from 1915 to 1920.

10. Name of Mission or Educational Body to which applicant will be attached:—

The Danish Missionary Society, Strandagervej 24, Hellerup, Denmark.

11. Place and Province of India in which it is proposed to work:—

Panruti, South Arcot District, Madras Presidency.

12. Name and Address of Person or Persons, not more than three, who will furnish information as to applicant, if applied to:—

(i) The Rev. Joh. Anderson, Tirukoilur, South Arcot, Madras Presidency, India.

(ii) The Rev. V.C.L. Nielsen, Tiruvannamalai, North Arcot, Madras Presidency, India.

(iii) The Rev. Joh. Bittmann, 38, Broadway, Madras, E.

DECLARATION.

I hereby undertake to do nothing contrary to, or in diminution of, the authority of Government as by law established in British India.

Signature Sofie Theill

Date 4th June, 1920.

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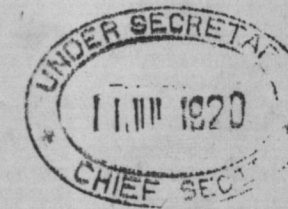
FROM

J.D.V. Hodge,
~~XXXX COURTNEY~~, Esquire,
~~Off.~~ Addl. Under Secretary to the Government of India,

TO

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.

HOME DEPARTMENT.
(Public).



Simla, ~~DELHI~~, the 27th July 1920.

SIR,

I am directed to invite a reference to the papers

Letter from the India Office, No. J.& P. 4207/20, dated the 30th June 1920 and enclosures.

noted on the margin relating to

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Theill,
Danish subjects,

who desire to enter India for missionary work. I am to request that the Government of India may be informed by telegram whether there is any objection to their being permitted to do so.

2. As the Government of Madras are already aware, it is desirable that most careful enquiries should be made wherever possible into the career, character, and nationality of each applicant, as well as the attitude of the Mission which he or she intends to join.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

J.D.V. Hodge

~~Off.~~ Addl. Under Secretary to the Government of India.

Revenue (Special)

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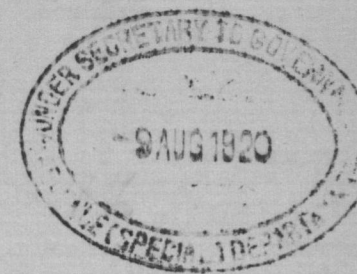
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Reporting on the application of Mr. & Mrs. Victor Theill
to enter India.



ENCLOSURES

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Ref. on No. 663 M.C. of 1920.

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Station Cuddalore. , Dated the 7th August 1920. 191

From (Name) R.F.B.L.G. M.P.P. Esq., I.C.S.,
(Designation) Ag. Dt. Magistrate of South Arcot

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Revenue (Special) Department.

Sir,

With reference to Government Memorandum No. 2267 W-2
dated 2nd August 1920, I have the honour to state there is
no objection to the grant of permission sought by Mr. & Mrs.
Victor Theill to enter India.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

Agaraya A. Men
for Dt. Magistrate.

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2394 Telegram from the *Dr. N. Arcot* *8-11-8-20*

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No. *262*, dated *16-8-1920*

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The following telegrams will be despatched to the Govt of India:-

Telegrams
Home India

Your letter 1967 Public dated 27th July regarding one and Mrs Victor Theill
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See *12-8-20* *BTR* *14/8/20*

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To

The Dr. South Africa
N. Arcot (Sd)

Since received
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Note It is noted that the reply from the Dr. N. Arcot need not be awaited

See
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J.P. 5524

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Copy forwarded for the information of

the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras,

with reference to W. Dunbells letter of the

30th, June last, J.P. 4904/20.

W. Wallin

for Secretary,

Judicial and Public Department.

INDIA OFFICE,

1.9.1920.

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INDIA OFFICE,

WHITEHALL, S.W.1.

16
September.
1 August 1920.

J. & P. 5527.

Dear Sir,

with reference to correspondence ending with
His Excellency the Viceroy's telegram of the 17th August,
I write to say that the Foreign Office have been
authorised to issue instructions for the grant of visas
for India to Mr. and Mrs. Victor Theill, Danish
missionaries proceeding to the Madras Presidency.

Copy of this letter is being sent to the
Government of Madras.

Yours faithfully,

(Sd.) J. C. WALTON

for Secretary,

Judicial & Public Department.



The Secretary to the
Government of India,
Home Department.

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