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Military authorities Japan grant permission Pavel T. Kraslavsky, representative Pacific Mercantile Corporation, New York, wife Sofia son Daniel, all stateless, Calle 19, Esquina "D", Vedado, Habana, enter Japan between December 2, 1949 and June 2, 1950 for indefinite stay after date of entry. Each should carry two standard passport photographs.

In lieu statement required paragraph nine, SCAP Circular 8, August 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, January 17, 1947) give Kraslavsky certified copy text this telegram.

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TELEPHONE
Memorandum of Conversation

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DATE: December 2, 1949.

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SUBJECT: Travel to Japan of Pavel T. Kraslavsky, wife and son.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. Walter Best, President,
Pacific Mercantile Corporation,
309 Seventh Avenue, New York 1, New York.

Mrs. Mellor - DS.

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Mrs. Mellor called Mr. Best on the telephone and informed him that permission to enter Japan had been granted to Mr. Kraslavsky, his wife and son and that a cablegram would be sent today to the American Embassy at Habana to notify Mr. Kraslavsky of this Theater clearance.

Mr. Best thanked the Department for calling.

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FROM: Hong Kong
TO: Secretary of State
NO: 1158, December 1, 11 a.m.

Re Tokyo CX 53659 passed Hong Kong by Department November 23, 4 a.m. and Tokyo C53719 passed Hong Kong by Department November 29, 5 a.m., clearance Captain Cornelius D. Martye. Clearance granted and Tokyo advised through Department (Hong Kong telegram unnumbered November 26, 11 a.m.).

Sent Department 1158. Tokyo unnumbered; repeated Taipei unnumbered. Department pass Tokyo.

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NOTE: Passed Tokyo 12/1/49, 11 p.m., EHL.

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reply to Senator McCarthy
 Date of Action *5-12-49*
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FROM: USPOLAD, Tokyo.

Dated: 2 December 1949

Date of mailing: 2 December 1949

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Secretary of State

Washington.

A-332, December 2, 1949.

Reference Department's airgram no. A-175 of October 14, 1949.

Investigation by GHQ discloses that information contained in reference airgram concerning length of residence in Japan, occupation, and marriage of Mr. Hans FRIEDEL is basically correct. Friedel was not Nazi Party member, but was DAF member (German labor front) as were many Germans in similar situation. Investigation furthermore reveals that he frequently worked for Mr. Karl Kinderman, a Jewish Gestapo informant, who alleged that Friedel was SA member. This allegation and major portion of derogatory information concerning Friedel stems from Kinderman, who, according to GHQ is proven unreliable opportunist. Nevertheless, Friedel was arrested and imprisoned in 1945 for alleged anti-Nazi activities while posing as anti-Nazi in his attempt as informant to uncover anti-Nazi activities in Karuizawa. Friedel, his wife and child were repatriated to Germany on Marine Jumper in February 1947 in accordance with general policy laid down by Joint Chiefs of Staff relative to classification and repatriation of German nationals in Japan. Although Friedel's repatriation was strictly in accordance with general policy, GHQ considers it apparent that evidence which made him subject to repatriation resulted from his acts as unwitting tool of superior intellect of Kinderman.

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Friedel has no resources in Japan which would warrant granting him permission to reenter Japan as permanent resident or for purpose of restituting property. Furthermore, compassionate aspects of his case appear to be insufficient to warrant his reentry into Japan for permanent residence. If his wife, a Japanese national, should desire repatriation to Japan at her own expense for permanent residence, there would be no objection to her reentry. However, GH states such act would not be considered to warrant reentry of Friedel.

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FROM: Tokyo
TO: Secretary of State
NO: CX 53761, December 2 (Army Message)

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FROM CINCFE TOKYO FOR ACTION TO AMCONSUL HONG KONG CHINA AND COMGEN RYCOM OKINAWA.

This message in two parts.

Part One for AMCONSUL Hong Kong. Re CINCFE message A 30309. Clearance for entry Japan for one week period now granted Whiting Willauer, Marshall Stayner, Joseph Orłowski and Paul Wetzleben. No objection concur TVL of Mrs. Louise Willauer. Accommodations provided US Army sources on revenue basis. Request ETA.

Part Two for CG RYCOM. Entry Okinawa requested for above named individuals who are en route Hong Kong, Tokyo for consultation with SCAP. Request reply direct AMCONSUL Hong Kong, information CINCFE. ETA Tokyo 6 December.

NOTE: Relayed to Hong Kong 1 p.m. 12/2/49 FMH

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December 21, 1949

In reply refer to
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My dear Senator McCarthy:

Reference is made to the Department's previous correspondence, dated July 1, 1949, and October 13, 1949, concerning the case of Mr. Hans Friedel of Germany, who requested your assistance in obtaining authorization for his return to Japan.

Mr. Friedel, his wife and child were repatriated to Germany in February 1947 in accordance with general policy laid down by the Joint Chiefs of Staff relative to the classification and repatriation of German nationals in Japan. The Department has been informed by its representatives in Japan that under the present policy of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers (SCAP), Mr. Friedel's desire for re-entry into Japan does not fall within any of the categories which justify the granting of re-entry permits; that he has no resources in Japan; and that the compassionate aspects of his case appear to be insufficient to warrant his return.

The Department's representatives in Japan have further been informed by SCAP that, if Mr. Friedel's wife, a Japanese national, should desire repatriation to Japan at her own expense for permanent residence, there would be no objection to her re-entry. However, in SCAP's opinion such an act would not affect Mr. Friedel's eligibility for re-entry.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

Jack K. McFall
Assistant Secretary

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The Honorable
Joseph McCarthy
United States Senate.

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The Secretary of State presents his compliments to His Excellency the Ambassador of Iran and has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Embassy's note No. 2974 of December 5, 1949 under cover of which there was transmitted to the Department the application of Mr. Leon Kraiem, an Iranian national who is presently in Mexico City, for permission to enter Japan for trade purposes.

Mr. Kraiem's application was referred to the appropriate military authorities and in reply the Department has received a communication stating that he may enter Japan at any time until June 15, 1950 for an indefinite stay after his date of entry.

In this connection reference is made to a telephone conversation of December 16, 1949 between an officer of the Embassy and an officer of the Department in which the Department was informed that the Iranian Government does not maintain a diplomatic mission in Mexico. The Embassy also furnished the Department with the local address of Mr. Kraiem in Mexico City. In view of the absence of an Iranian official at Mexico

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City the Department instructed the American Embassy at Mexico City
on December 17, 1949 to document Mr. Kraiem for entry into Japan.

Department of State,

Washington, December 22, 1949.

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IRANIAN EMBASSY
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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No. 2974.

The Iranian Ambassador presents his compliments to His Excellency the Secretary of State and has the honour to state that Mr. Leon Kraiem an Iranian merchant, now in Mexico, desires to proceed to Japan on business.

The Iranian Ambassador should therefore appreciate it if the Secretary of State would be good enough to issue an Entry Permit to Japan in favour of Mr. Kraiem as soon as convenient.

There is enclosed the necessary information concerning the applicant.

Washington, D. C., December 5th, 1949.

His Excellency
The Honorable Dean Acheson
Secretary of State
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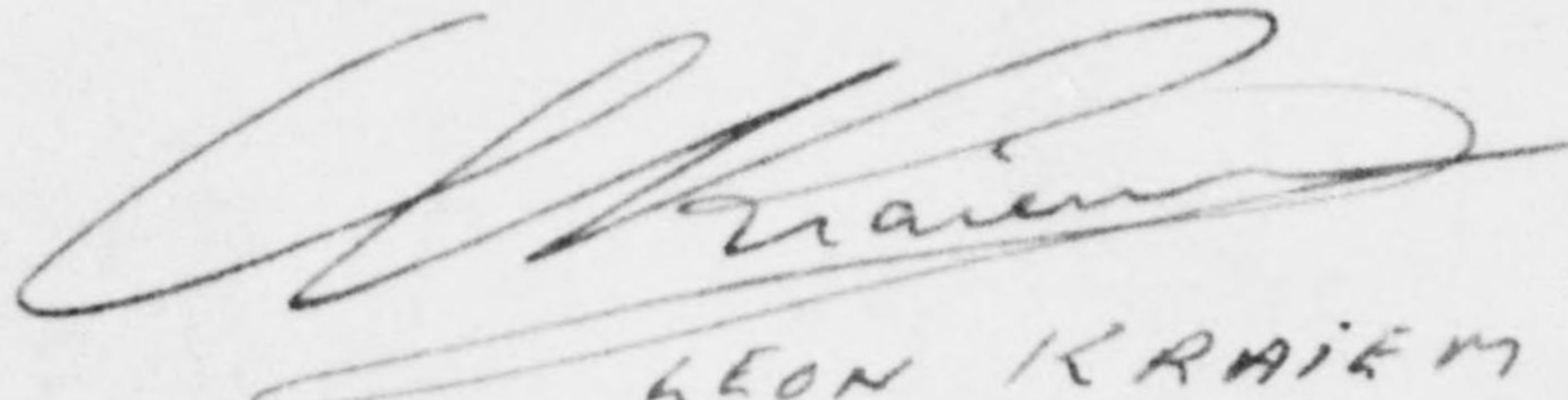
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FORM DS-513 3-18-47	DEPARTMENT OF STATE APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO ENTER JAPAN	DC/K File Jan
TO THE	SECRETARY OF THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF	
NAME	LEON KRAIEM	
PLACE AND DATE OF BIRTH	Damascus (Syria) December 10th. 1912	
NATIONALITY (If naturalized, date and place of naturalization)	Iranian	
PRESENT OCCUPATION	Exporter - Importer	
FULL EXPLANATION OF PURPOSE OF VISIT TO JAPAN AND NATURE OF WORK TO BE PERFORMED. INDICATE ANY OFFICIAL STATUS INVOLVED (i.e., member of diplomatic, military or liaison mission; Allied Council for Japan; International Military Tribunal for the Far East, etc.).		
Study of the possibilities of establishing an import and export business between Japan and Mexico and between Japan and Panama. No official status involved.		
COUNTRY FROM WHICH APPLICANT EXPECTS TO DEPART FOR JAPAN	Mexico via U.S.	
ROUTE AND MODE OF TRAVEL	By airplane from Los Angeles or San Francisco	
FINAL DESTINATION IN JAPAN	Kobe and Tokio	
DESIRED DATE OF ENTRY	January 1950	
EXPECTED LENGTH OF STAY	six months	
NUMBER, DATE OF ISSUANCE, ISSUING AUTHORITY, PERIOD OF VALIDITY OF PASSPORT (if applicant is a civilian and not traveling in uniform)		
Passport # 7965 issued by the Consulate General of Iran in New York September 10th. 1948 and valid until September 9th. 1950		
REQUEST FORWARDED TO DEPARTMENT OF STATE BY	Iranian Embassy in Washington D.C.	
REMARKS:	None	
		 LEON KRAIEM

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In reply refer to
DS 894.111/12-549

December 9, 1949

My dear Captain Hendricks:

There is transmitted herewith the application of Mr. Leon Kraiem, an Iranian national who is presently in Mexico, for permission to enter Japan for trade purposes. This application was received in the Department under cover of a note from the Iranian Embassy at Washington.

You are requested to present the substance of this application to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for his consideration and to inform the Division of Protective Services of any decision reached concerning it.

In the event that Theater clearance is granted to Mr. Kraiem a memorandum from your office to that effect will be sufficient.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

As stated.

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Captain George H. Hendricks,
Pacific Military Permit Branch,
Military District of Washington,
Room 3A, 514 Pentagon Building,
Washington, D. C.

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TO (Agency)

Mr. Chappell

NAME

Meyer H. Goldschmidt

TO (Country)

Japan

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- THERE IS NO MILITARY OBJECTION TO THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. YOU MAY ADVISE YOUR REPRESENTATIVE ABROAD OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.
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- THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL IS NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME.

REMARKS

Individual's request for entry into Japan has been referred to Theater Headquarters this date for their approval.

However, prior to issuance of military permit after approval has been granted, it will be necessary that this office be furnished with information as to whether Mr. Goldschmidt has a valid travel document and reentry permit for some country other than Japan.

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Ltr. to Mr. Goldschmidt

DEC 6 1949

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TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE
GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F. A.
Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW

SIGNATURE

George H. Hendricks
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GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F. A. Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW		(SIGNED)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade
Washington, D. C.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm **J. Gerber & Co., Inc.**

2. Address **855 Avenue of the Americas
New York 1, New York**

3. Telephone **LO 4-3400**

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any)

Meyer H. Goldschmidt
(a) Address **855 Avenue of the Americas, New York 1, N. Y.**
(b) Position in the firm **Agent for South Africa**
(c) Nationality **British**

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)

**Reorganization of pre-war export business
to Union of South Africa**

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution

(a) Type of property owned
(b) Approximate pre-war value
(c) Location
(d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)

(Corporation) Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **New York**

9. Date incorporated or established **October 7, 1937**

10. Paid in capital \$ **60,000.-** ; Reserves: \$ **350,000.-**

11. Type of business (Check)

(a) Manufacturer	()	(e) Importer	(X)
(b) Wholesaler or Jobber	()	(f) Exporter	(X)
(c) Retailer	()	(g) Mfgr's Export Agent	()
(d) Broker	()	(h) Import Agent	()
		(i) Other (Specify)	()

12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war)

- (a) Bought **Textiles, hardware, sundries**
- (b) Sold **Annually U.S. Sterling 500,000.00**
- (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan

**J. Gerber & Co., Kobe
No.5, Hamabedori Fukiai-ku**

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

- Chartered Bank for India, Australia, China, Tokyo

15. How will your representative travel? Plane (X) Ship ()

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan

January 10th, 1950

17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States?

18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit?

**Tokyo, Hamamatsu, Gifu, Nagoya, Osaka,
Kyoto, Kobe, Okayama**

19. Estimated length of visit

1 month

I, Johannes J. Mendelsohn, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said J. GERBER - CO - INC.

Johannes J. Mendelsohn
Signature

V. - President
Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 28 day of November, 1949

Joseph Pick
Notary Public

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Upon receipt of attached note from the Embassy of Iran Mrs. Mellor called the Pacific Military Permit Branch, Dept. of the Army and was informed that in view of more than 6 months having elapsed since the MP was issued Mr. Melikian would have to submit a new application and state why he had not entered on the original permit.

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The Iranian Ambassador pres to His Excellency the Secretary of to His Excellency's note of February the Entry Permit to Japan for Mr. has the honor to state that Mr. Me as yet, being at the present time

Mrs. Mellor called Dr. Mahdavi of the Iranian Embassy and told him what the PMPB had said. He stated that Mr. Melikian would be informed.

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Therefore, Military Permit No. 196, forwarded to this Embassy with the above-mentioned note, is returned herewith, and the Iranian Ambassador would appreciate it if the Secretary of State would cause that Entry Permit to Japan for Mr. Melikian be extended for three months.

Washington, D.C., December 6th, 1949.

His Excellency
Mr. Dean Acheson,
Secretary of State,
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The Iranian Ambassador presents his compliments to His Excellency the Secretary of State, and with reference to His Excellency's note of February 4th, 1949, concerning the Entry Permit to Japan for Mr. Menatsagan Gevork Melikian, has the honor to state that Mr. Melikian has not left for Japan as yet, being at the present time in New York.

Therefore, Military Permit No. 196, forwarded to this Embassy with the above-mentioned note, is returned herewith, and the Iranian Ambassador would appreciate it if the Secretary of State would cause that Entry Permit to Japan for Mr. Melikian be extended for three months.

Washington, D.C., December 6th, 1949.

His Excellency
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6 December 1949

TO (Agency)

Mr. Chappell

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NAME

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TO (Country)

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REMARKS

Information has been received in this office to the effect that Mr. Rie is in The United States.

It is requested that the inclosed permit be forwarded him at Block International Corporation, 101 West 31st Street, New York 1, N. Y.

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Str. to Mr. Rie

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TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE

GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain F. A.
Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW

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ACTION SLIP FOR ENTRY AND TRAVEL IN JAPAN AND/OR OKINAWA		DATE <i>DEK</i> 6 December 1949
TO (Agency) Mr. Chappell		<i>File</i>
NAME RIE, Kunsung S.	TO (Country) Japan	
INSTRUCTIONS: Indicate action by entering an "X" in the appropriate box.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY PERMIT IS INCLOSED TO COVER THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL.		
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<input type="checkbox"/> THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL IS NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME.		
REMARKS		
<p>Information has been received in this office to the effect that Mr. Rie is in The United States.</p> <p>It is requested that the inclosed permit be forwarded him at Block International Corporation, 101 West 31st Street, New York 1, N. Y.</p>		
TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain F. A. Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW		SIGNATURE (SIGNED)

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My dear Mr. Rie:

There is enclosed Army Department military permit No. 5718, issued in your name, valid for entry into Japan between December 6, 1949 and April 25, 1950 for an indefinite stay after your date of entry.

There is now in effect a blanket waiver of the exit permit requirements. You will therefore require no exit permit to depart from the United States.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

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W.F.C.
Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

DEC 9 1949 P.M. *SM* Military permit No. 5718.

Mr. Kunsung S. Rie,
Care of Block International Corporation,
101 West Thirty-first Street,
New York 1, New York.

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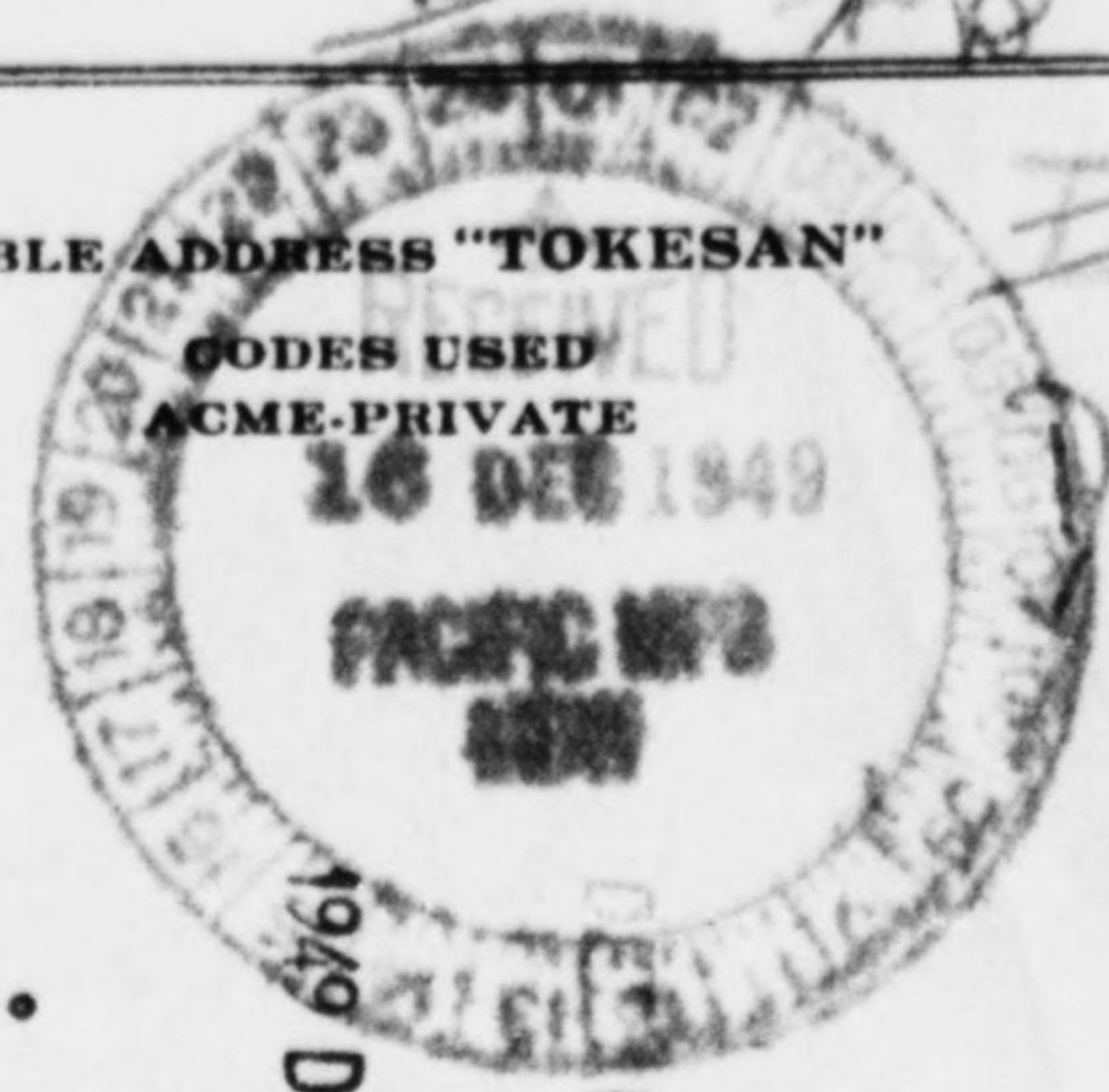
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LOUIS JEDEIKIN

(INCORPORATED IN SWITZERLAND)
EXPORTERS & IMPORTERS

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San Francisco, Calif.
December 6, 1949

Department of State
Washington 25; D.C.

Re Permit to Enter Japan:

Dear Sirs,

I herewith enclose my application for a Permit to enter Japan.

Please note that I immigrated into the United States on August 7, 1948 and have filed a declaration of Intention to become a U.S. Citizen. I have also made an application for re-entry to the United States with the U.S. Immigration Service.

As indicated in the application form, the purpose of my present visit is to establish old business connections and also to see about the remains of my former real property in Japan. I herewith submit an 'Information and Inventory Report' issued by the Fuji Trust and Banking Co., Tokyo, also a letter from the Department of State. I am sending these two letters as further indication of my interests in Japan and would appreciate to receive them back after your examination.

Thanking you for your prompt attention in this matter, I am

Very truly yours

L. Jedeikin

Louis Jedeikin

LJ/-

Enclosures: (3)

- One Application Form
- One Letter from the State Dept.
- One Inventory Report.

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*Att. to Mr. Jedeikin
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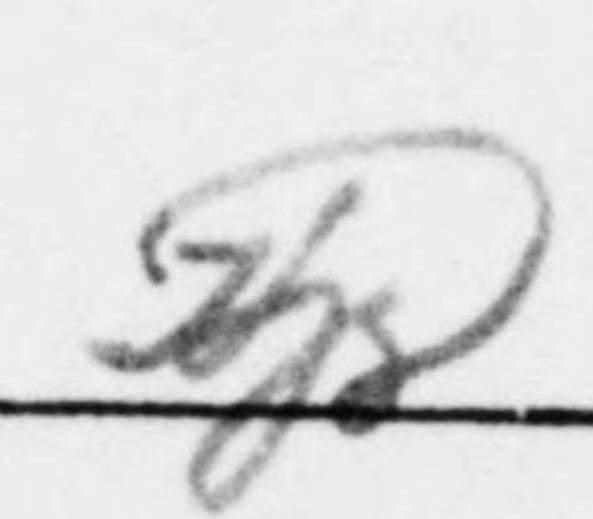
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TELEPHONE SKYLINE 1-0

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1 NAME OR TITLE Mrs. Mellor	INITIALS		CIRCULATE
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2			FILE
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			NOTE AND RETURN
4			SEE ME
			SIGNATURE
REMARKS Forwarded in accordance with telephone conversation.			
FROM NAME OR TITLE Mrs. B. A. Englehart	DATE 19 Dec 49		
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW	TELEPHONE 75653		

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Form DS-14 DEPARTMENT OF STATE 6-21-45 WASHINGTON	
INTERDEPARTMENTAL REFERENCE	
DATE December 13, 1949	
RESPECTFULLY REFERRED TO Military Permit Office	
RE: Desire of Mr. Louis Jedeikin to enter Japan.	
WRITER <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> HAS <input type="checkbox"/> HAS NOT BEEN INFORMED OF THIS REFERENCE	
COMMENTS. For appropriate action.	
H. J. L'Heureux 	
SIGNATURE Chief, Visa Division	
DIVISION	

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December 20, 1949.

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My dear Captain Hendricks:

There is transmitted herewith the application of Mr. Louis Jedeikin, a Latvian national who is traveling on an Affidavit of Identity, for permission to enter Japan for the stated purpose of establishing old business connections.

You are requested to transmit the substance of this application to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for his consideration and to inform the Division of Protective Services of any decision reached concerning it.

In the event that Theater clearance is granted to Mr. Jedeikin you are requested to issue a military permit in his name.

Sincerely yours,

W.F.C.
Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

As stated.

Captain George H. Hendricks,
Pacific Military Permit Branch,
Military District of Washington,
Room 3A514, Pentagon Building,
Washington, D. C.

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My dear Mr. Goldschmidt:

The Department of State is in receipt of a communication dated December 5, 1949 from the Pacific Military Permit Branch, Department of the Army, stating that your request for permission to enter Japan has been referred to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for approval. It further states that if approval is granted, prior to the issuance of your military permit it will be necessary that you furnish information as to the validity of your travel document and whether you have permission to enter some other country upon the expiration of your stay in Japan. The requested information should be sent to the Division of Protective Services, Department of State, which will communicate it to the Pacific Military Permit Branch so that there will be no delay in the issuance of your military permit after your clearance to enter Japan has been received. This Division will then take the necessary steps to obtain and mail your military permit to you.

It is suggested that in furnishing the requested information mention be made of numbers, issuing authority, validity periods, and other information pertinent to your documents.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Mr. Meyer H. Goldschmidt,
Care of J. Gerber and Company, Incorporated,
855 Avenue of the Americas,
New York 1, New York.

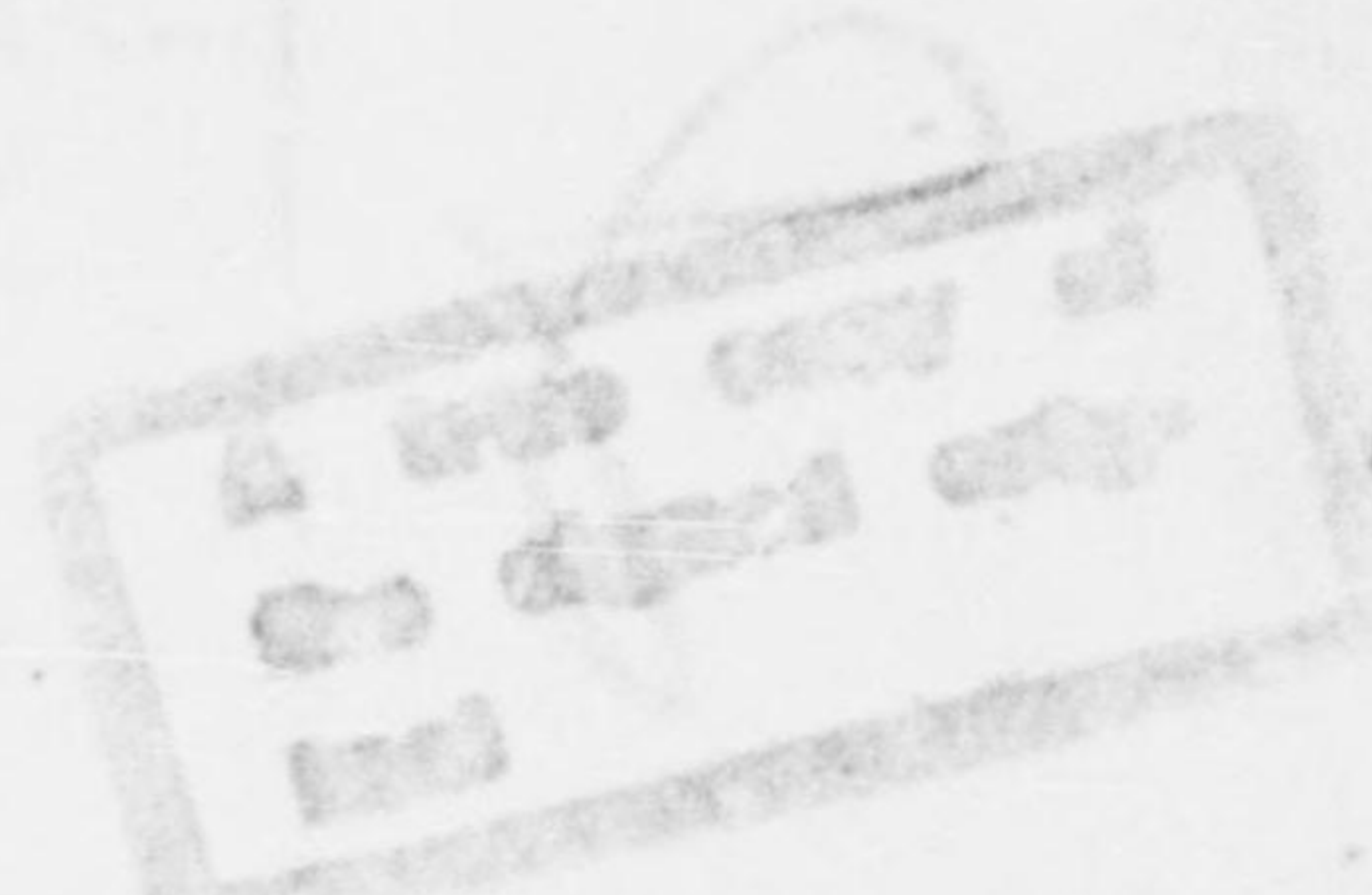
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Military authorities Japan grant permission Emil Sekyra, Czechoslovak, associate George J. Santry, New York, enter Japan any time until June 6, 1950 for indefinite stay after date of entry. Should carry two standard passport photographs.

In lieu statement required paragraph nine SCAP Circular eight, August 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, January 17, 1947) give Sekyra certified copy text this telegram. 670

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DATE: December 7, 1949.

SUBJECT: Travel to Japan of Mr. Emil Sekyra.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. George J. Santry,
10 East 40th Street, New York.
Tel. LE 2-8945.

Mrs. Mellor - DS.

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Mrs. Mellor called Mr. Santry regarding the clearance for Japan which had been received for his associate, Mr. Emil Sekyra. She informed him that Mr. Sekyra may enter Japan any time until June 6, 1950 for an indefinite stay after his date of entry. Mrs. Mellor asked Mr. Santry if Mr. Sekyra were still in Zurich and he replied that he is. Mrs. Mellor also asked him if Mr. Sekyra has a permit to enter some other country after the expiration of his stay in Japan and Mr. Santry said Mr. Sekyra has a re-entry permit for the United States. When Mr. Santry was asked if he desired to pay for the cable or should it be charged to Mr. Sekyra he said to charge it to Mr. Sekyra.

Mr. Santry thanked the Department for calling.

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TO (Agency) **MR. CHAPPELL** *file DC/R*

NAME **SEKYRA, Emil** TO (Country) **JAPAN**

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REMARKS

Clearance is granted the above named individual to enter Japan as a commercial entrant. Entry valid for an indefinite stay after date of entry Individual should carry two standard passport photographs, 1 1/4 by 1 3/4 inches.

12/7/49 Mrs. Englehardt (FMPB) informed Mrs. Mellor (DS) that Emil Sekyra may enter Japan between December 6, 1949 and June 6, 1950. *[initials]*

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Telegram to Zurich Switzerland
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TO (Agency) *DCP*
MR. CHAPPELL

NAME RUANGSIRI, Aroon and wife, Mali	TO (Country) JAPAN
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REMARKS

Clearance is granted for Aroon Ruangsiri to enter Japan as a commercial entrant. This clearance is valid for an indefinite stay after date of entry. Individual should carry two standard passport photographs, 1 1/4 by 1 3/4 inches.

Clearance is also granted for Mali Ruangsiri, wife of individual, to accompany him as a dependent.

12/6/49 ^{message} Tel. from PMPB stating that Mr. and Mrs. Ruangsiri may enter Japan bet Dec. 6 and June 6, 1950.

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TO (Agency)

MR. CHAPPELL

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NAME

DAVID FELDMAN

TO (Country)

JAPAN

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REMARKS

Reference travel of above named individual.

Theater headquarters states they consider IRO Traveling certificate serves as identification only and without proper visas would not authorize onward travel from Japan. Due lack documentation authorization onward travel after entry Japan, travel of David Feldman is not favorably considered.

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 Attn. to Capt. Hendricks
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Military authorities Japan grant permission Abraham Meir Yedid, care K. A. Zilkha, Maison de Banque, Baghdad, representative American Nile Corporation, New York, enter Japan any time until May 23, 1950 for indefinite stay. Should carry two standard passport photographs.

In lieu statement required paragraph nine, SCAP Circular 8, August 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, January 17, 1947) give Yedid certified copy text this telegram provided he has valid travel document and permission enter some other country after expiration stay in Japan.

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MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Chappell :

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Reference is made to Commerce List for Fourth Week in November

Paragraph checked (x) indicates action on subject.

(x) The individuals listed below have been cleared by the military authorities to enter JAPAN for an indefinite stay ~~after~~ after date of entry. Two standard sized passport photographs will be carried by individuals for identification purposes in order to enter. Individual's name; location, when applicable; and entry periods may be found below.

() Extension is granted individuals listed below with same provisions as granted in original clearance. New entry period is given below.

() Request you notify the appropriate agency of this clearance.

<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>ENTRY PERIOD</u>
<u>YEDID, Abraham Meir</u>	<u>Bagdad, Iran</u>	<u>7 Dec 49-23 May 1950</u>
<u>SETC, Miss Che Fan</u>	<u>Hong Kong</u>	<u>7 Dec 49-23 May 1950</u>
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Clearance is granted with the provision that individuals have a valid travel document and reentry permits for some country other than Japan.

George H. Hendricks
G. H. HENDRICKS, Capt. USAF
Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, CMDW

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade
Washington, D. C.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

Heid

1. Firm **AMERICAN NILE CORPORATION**

2. Address **350 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y.** 3. Telephone **LO 4-4915**

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any)
Abraham Meir Yedid

(a) Address **c/o K.A. Zilkha, Maison de Banque, Baghdad, Iraq**
(b) Position in the firm **Representative**
(c) Nationality **Iraqian**

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)
To buy all types of silk fabrics to be exported to the United States. To buy Cotton Piecegoods to be exported to the Middle East and Africa.

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution **NO**

- (a) Type of property owned
- (b) Approximate pre-war value
- (c) Location
- (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)
(Corporation) Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **New York**

9. Date incorporated or established **July 1941**

10. Paid in capital \$ **415,000**

11. Type of business (Check)

- | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-----|
| (a) Manufacturer | () | (e) Importer | () |
| (b) Wholesaler or Jobber | () | (f) Exporter | () |
| (c) Retailer | () | (g) Mfgr's Export Agent | () |
| (d) Broker | () | (h) Import Agent | () |
| | | (i) Other (Specify) | () |

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12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war)

- (a) Bought None
 (b) Sold
 (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan

None

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

Irving Trust Co.-48th St. & Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.
Chemical Bank & Trust Co.-165 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

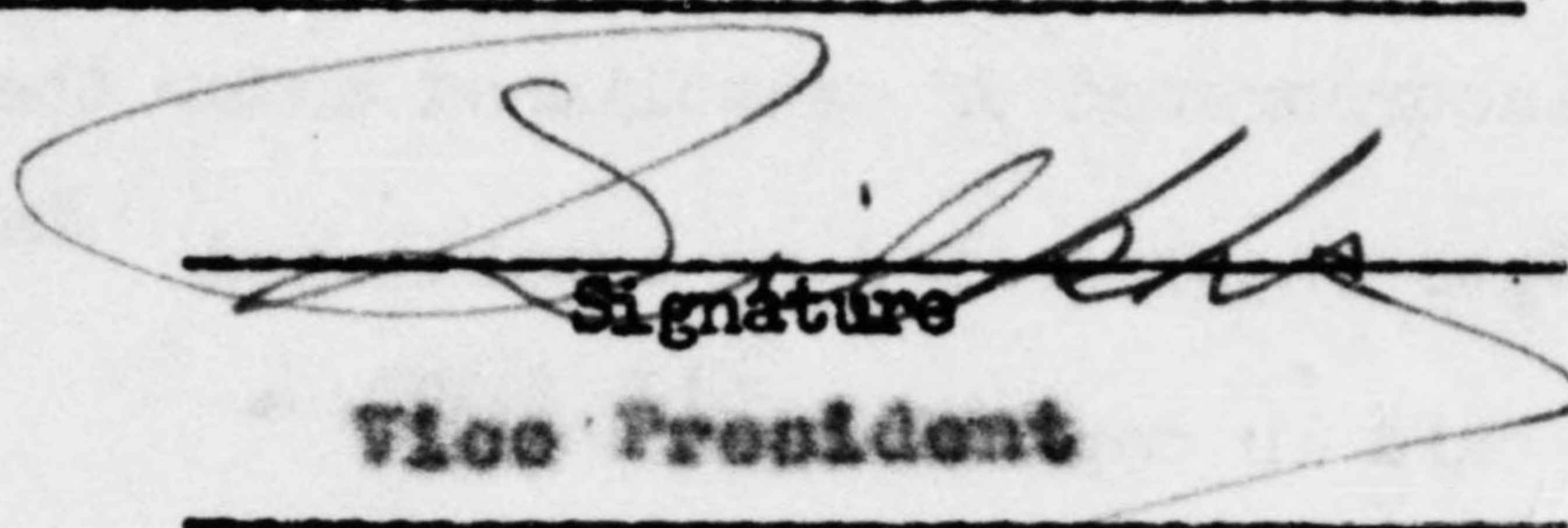
15. How will your representative travel? Plane Ship ()16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan December, 194917. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States? Baghdad, Iraq

18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit?

Tokyo
Osaka
Kobe

19. Estimated length of visit Three months

I, Solin E. Silkha, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said American Nile Corporation.


 Signature

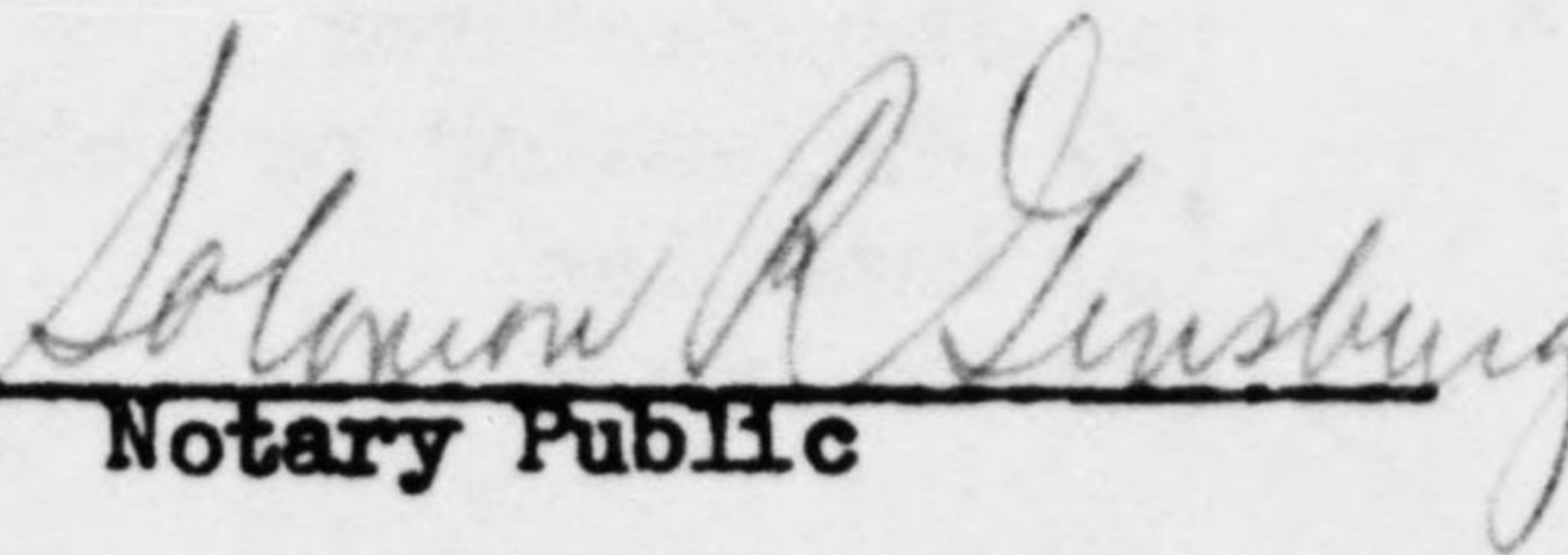
Vice President

Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 14th day of November, 1949

Solomon R. Ginsburg
 Notary Public, State of New York
 No. 31-1440350
 Qualified in New York County/
 Certificates filed with
 City Register, New York County
 Bronx County Clerk and Register
 Commission Expires March 30, 1951


 Notary Public

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JOSEPH C. GREW

DIVISION OF
NORTHEAST ASIAN AFFAIRS 2840 WOODLAND DRIVE
WASHINGTON 8, D. C.

OFFICE OF
FAR EASTERN AFFAIRS
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December 7, 1949

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Dear Walt:

May I once again ask your good offices as a channel for getting a petition into the right hands in the Department? It comes to me from Captain W. D. Puleston, U.S.N. (Ret.), Emral, Mountain Lake Club, Lake Wales, Florida, in the form of a copy of a letter from Johannes Barth, Holler Allee 59, Bremen, Germany, which I enclose. Captain Puleston was Director of Naval Intelligence, 1934 to 1937.

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The letter from Johannes Barth is addressed to Mr. Eugene Davidson, Editor of the Yale Press, which published Captain Puleston's book "The Armed Forces of the Pacific," a valuable contribution to the literature of the war. Barth is a German who lived for thirty years in Japan, married a Japanese woman and raised a family, educated in American-Japanese schools. He was recently repatriated to Germany, leaving his family behind. He wants to return to Japan.

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I know nothing about the merits of the case more than is stated in Barth's letter, but I think it deserves consideration. A principle of justice and humanity may be involved.

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Sincerely yours,

Joseph C. Grew

The Honorable
W. Walton Butterworth
Assistant Secretary of State
Department of State
Washington, D. C.

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✓ Enclosure: Copy of letter dated 10/20/49 to Mr. Eugene Davidson from Mr. Johannes Barth.

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Johannes Barth
Bremen
Holler Allee 59

October 20, 1949

Mr. Eugene Davidson
c/o Yale University Press
Yale, New Haven, Conn., U.S.A.

Dear Sir,

The United Actions Committee for Expellees in Philadelphia, with whom—if my information is correct—you are intimately connected, closely studies the problem of how to extend help to the refugees and expellees living in Germany. First of all I wish to thank you and the Action Committee for having taken an interest in these unfortunate people who have been deprived of their home and property as a result of the tumultuous years of the ~~war~~ ¹⁹⁴⁰. The fate of many of those who were expelled from eastern Europe is indeed appalling and their large number makes it difficult to find ways and means to lead them back to a life worth living. But there are other groups of people who were expelled from various countries all over the world after the war, many of whom were equally hard hit, but who could easily be relieved of their distress if there would only be the earnest intention to do so.

I am one of more than 2000 Germans who were expelled from Japan by the U.S. occupation authorities. As you may be interested to know what happened to those repatriates I beg to hand you enclosed a statement of their view on the situation. A similar petition was handed to High-Commissioner McCloy recently but it is to be feared that no action will be taken unless American public opinion is aroused and demands that, for the sake of justice and humanity, such action be taken without delay. It is only natural that the passion of war leads to decisions which afterwards are found to have brought misfortune and unnecessary suffering on people who are no more responsible for all that has happened during the last few years than anybody else. But now, 4 years after the war, the time has come to reconsider such decisions and to put right wrong situations created by them.

The enclosed statement gives you all details on the action taken by the U.S. occupation authorities against the German residents in Japan. If the United States Government would move to undo the injustice done to a small group of people unable to defend their rights, such a step might be the signal for other nations to follow suit and might go far to build up the better world, free from fear, free from hatred and free from thoughts of revenge, which we all desire.

May I add a few personal remarks? I was expelled from Japan although I had been living there for more than 30 years, had married a Japanese woman and have two daughters who were educated in American-Japanese schools. My wife and daughters have never been away from Japan and speak no German. They would have been quite helpless in present-day Germany and I had no choice but to leave them behind, hoping soon to be able to rejoin them.

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On leaving Japan I was deprived of all my property. I did not own a large fortune but what I had been able to save during many years of hard and honest work would have provided for years of depression, misfortune and old age. Being 58 years old I am no longer young enough to get a new start in unaccustomed surroundings. Moreover serious eye-trouble (glaucoma) keeps me in constant fear that some day I may lose my vision altogether.

I have always been internationally minded, have always hated war and have raised my children in a christian spirit. I have always been ready to help those who were in trouble and need without regard to their nationality or race. In spite of this record I have been punished with exile and expropriation and although I have not even been accused of having committed any crime or misconduct.

An American friend of mine who petitioned the U.S. occupation authorities to allow my return to Japan got the reply that I had been repatriated and could not be allowed to return because I had been a member of the Nazi party and had acted as secretary of the German Chamber of Commerce in Japan. But the denazification court in Bremen recognized that, in spite of having been a member of the Nazi party, I have resisted the evil ways and methods of the Nazis to the best of my ability and granted my complete discharge. The fact that I had been secretary of the German Chamber of Commerce certainly implies no misconduct whatever. Moreover I resigned this position in 1938.

I find no reply to the question why it may have been thought necessary to impose such hardship on me or how this could be justified. Talks with Americans in Germany have convinced me that the American public does not know and certainly does not agree with the steps taken by their authorities in a case like mine. I realize the difficulty of making the official mind see the injustice done and to retrace its steps. But if you could help to draw the attention of the public or any influential person to the facts connected with the repatriation and expropriation of the German residents in Japan and thus reestablish justice in this world, I am sure you would win the gratitude of a great number of now very unfortunate people.

I am, dear Sir,

Yours faithfully

(signed) J. Barth

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The repatriation of the German residents in Japan

Two years after hostilities had come to an end, the German residents in Japan, about 2200 people in all, were subjected to forced repatriation. At the same time all their private property was confiscated by the U.S. occupation authorities. Thus they were not only deprived of all their savings, the fruit of their life's work but lost their accustomed places of work as well. This repatriation and expropriation were of the most serious consequences to all of them. Arrived in Germany without means of subsistence they are destitute and helpless.

We cannot but consider this way of handling a small group of people who are not guilty of any offence, as unjust and, according to international law, illegal. We cannot believe it to be in conformity with the intentions of the U.S. Government. It is in sharp contrast to all international agreements regarding the safeguarding of the basic human rights.

We therefore request that those Germans who were repatriated against their wishes be compensated for the losses sustained or that they be given opportunity to return to Japan and to retake possession of their private property. The number of families wishing to return to Japan at this time may be expected to be no more than about 100 or 150.

Below we beg to submit a detailed statement of the facts in connection with the circumstances described above.

1. Repatriation. Early in 1946 the U.S. occupation authorities ordered the Japanese Government to make lists of all Germans living in Japan stating their desire to be repatriated or their intention to remain in Japan. At that time a large part of the Germans filed application for non-repatriation, but without regard to their individual wishes, orders were suddenly issued by the U.S. military authorities in Japan on February 1, 1947 for the immediate repatriation of about 90% of them. All protests and requests of the repatriates to be allowed to stay in their homes and places of work were of no avail and remained for the most part unanswered. Even those who had been born in Japan or who had made Japan their permanent domicile for decades and had married Japanese women had to follow orders and leave Japan. Some of them had no choice but to separate from their wife and children.

The repatriates know of no reason for their forced repatriation and were offered no explanation why they had to submit to orders which meant to many of them the ruin of their existence and the destruction of their happiness. They have not been accused of any offence, political or otherwise. In their opinion the wanton destruction of their happiness serves no good purpose and was utterly unnecessary.

At least, they opine, if there was a reason for their forced repatriation they should have been given opportunity to appear before a tribunal to defend their rights and, if necessary, to invalidate accusations or denunciations by third parties.

According to newspapers SCAP says that the Germans have been repatriated as undesirables "after thorough G 2 investigation." It is however an undeniable fact that the Germans in Japan could not know and could not be held responsible for certain misdeeds perpetrated by Gestapo or SS-organizations in Europe. It is also true that the Germans living in Japan since before the war were a peaceful merchant-colony working in exactly the same way as the American, British etc. colonies in Japan. It is unthinkable that the merchant whose life depends on oversea-trade favours war which is bound to destroy his life-line. Opinions within SCAP were divided. Many American officers showed sincere sympathy.

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Indeed the way of handling these repatriates by the U.S. military authorities in Japan may not have had the approval of all departments concerned, as appears from a questionnaire which was issued to the repatriates at the time of their departure from Japan.

Among the repatriates were innocent 60-70 years old spinster typists. The membership in the Nazi-party cannot have been the decisive point against the Germans because in Japan the German colony lived under strict Gestapo control and many Germans could not decline to become members of the Nazi-party without endangering their very existence. This point was acknowledged by SCAP and several party members have been permitted to stay in Japan.

The actual repatriation was made in three groups, in February 1947, in July 1947 and in January 1948. Altogether about 2200 Germans, including women and children, were repatriated of about 2500 Germans living in Japan at that time (excluding missionaries). Most of them were allowed to take only 350 lbs. of personal belongings and a very limited number of valuables, such as watches, rings etc. with them. They were allowed to take 50 U.S. Dollars but as nobody did possess such Dollars, they were allowed to take Japanese currency to the same value instead, which however proved to be without value when they arrived in Germany, although they had been promised that their Japanese Yen would be exchanged into German currency at the military rate of exchange.

2. Confiscation of private property. All that part of their property which they were unable to take along, the repatriates were compelled to hand over to the U.S. occupation authorities.

A number of Germans were told by the American officer in charge that this was done in order to make sure, that after their departure such property might not be stolen or taken possession of by unauthorized people, and that, as far as possible, it would be sent to Germany at an early opportunity.

However up to the present none such property has arrived in Germany and the events following the departure of the repatriates unfortunately make it appear as likely that the U.S. occupation authorities intend the confiscation of all such property, including not only personal belongings but also cash, valuables, stock certificates and landed property.

3. Auctions of private belongings of repatriated Germans. In the meantime it has become known, that a number of auctions have been held and are being held in Japan, at which private property left behind by the repatriates such as furniture, clothes, books, objects of art etc. have been sold to nationals of the allied powers. The repatriates have not been given any official information regarding the sale of their property nor do they know anything regarding the proceeds of the sales. To many repatriates this property now sold at auction was all they possess in this world. To others it was, as for instance their books, a means of earning a livelihood. Several protests addressed to the U.S. occupation authorities in Japan have not been able to induce them to change their attitude. The auctions go on as before.

4. The repatriates in Germany. The confiscation of their property has left most of the repatriates helpless and destitute upon their arrival in Germany. Without any financial backing they are unable to sustain themselves and their families or to start out on a new career. Many of them, who have been living in Japan for decades are unaccustomed to live in Germany and being too old to find suitable employment, are unable to find a place in German economy.

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During many years of honest and hard work they had been able to save enough to provide for old age but the steps taken by the U.S. occupation authorities have deprived them of the fruit of their life's work and have left them no hope for the future.

5. Letter to the State Department in Washington. Under date of May 6 the German East Asia Association in Hamburg addressed a letter to the State Department in Washington explaining the hardship suffered by the repatriates on account of the confiscation of their private property. In this letter the opinion was expressed that such confiscation of private property was illegal and the State Department was asked to intervene and order the restitution of such property to the legal owners.

The reply received completely ignored the vital points of this letter and referred to regulations for the confiscation of German property in foreign countries issued in 1945 and 1946 by the Control Commission in Germany. But these regulations apply only to such property, the owner of which is living in Germany but cannot possibly apply to those Germans who, until 1947, had their permanent residence in Japan and even after that date came to Germany only when they were forced to do so.

On behalf of the repatriates we beg to repeat our opinion, that the confiscation of their private property cannot be accepted as to have any legal foundation.

6. Human rights. The forced repatriation of the Germans in Japan and the confiscation of their private property are illegal according to international law as well as to the Hague regulations regarding the laws and customs of the war on land (1907). In this connection we beg to refer to the decision of the Nuernberg Tribunal during the I. G. Farben trial reading that the Hague regulations are in force to their full extent.

Moreover in December last the United Nations General Assembly in Paris accepted the "Universal Declaration of Human Rights" article 1, 2 and 7 of which distinctly state that "all human beings are . . . entitled to all the rights and freedoms set forth in this declaration." Article 9 of the declaration reads: "No one shall be subject to arbitrary . . . exile." And article 17: "No one shall be arbitrarily deprived of his property."

Resolutions similar to those contained in the above U.N. declaration were accepted by 60 nations taking part in the convention of the International Red Cross Organization Geneva in June 1949 and the European Assembly meeting in Strassbourg recently is also preparing a resolution confirming agreement with the U.N. declaration.

We also wish to draw attention to the proclamation of the Control Commission in Germany dated October 1945 according to which "no one shall be deprived of his property unless this has been decided by proper legal procedure."

In this connection we also beg to point to the fact that Freiherr von Weizsaecker of the former German Foreign Office was at the Nuernberg trial prosecuted and found guilty to have "assisted in deporting civil population from occupied territory." Freiherr von Weizsaecker was sentenced for exactly the same actions which the German residents in Japan had to submit to and which therefore must be considered a crime according to the Nuernberg's court decision.

It may be asserted that the German residents in Japan were repatriated and not exiled but it is true that at least to those Germans who had made Japan their permanent home for the larger part of their life repatriation means exile.

Allied and German courts in their verdicts against real A and B class war criminals have seldom meted out such hard punishment as exile and 100 percent confiscation of private property.

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7. Concluding remarks. The confiscated German property in Japan does not amount to more than a few million dollars. There were only very few rich people among the repatriates but a great number of them have been deprived of all their moderate savings. They have lost all hope in life and all faith in human justice.

They do not even know by whom and by which department their forced repatriation was ordered. They cannot believe that a decision to this effect has been made by the United States President or by the United States Congress or could have had their approval, because it would be contrary to the often declared humanitarian Policy of the United States Government. They have also no knowledge that a decision regarding their repatriation was made at Yalta or Potsdam as it was done with regard to Germans living in various European countries.

There can be no doubt that by the forced repatriation of the German residents in Japan great injustice has been done to a small group of people. We therefore request that the legality of the matter be investigated by the highest authority in the United States and that this unfortunate group of people be given a chance to recover their property and their right to live and to work in the place of their own choice.

Hamburg, in September 1949

Japan Committee
of the
East Asiatic Association

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December 15, 1949

Dear Joe:

Thank you for your letter of December 7 in which you enclosed a copy of a letter from a Mr. Johannes Barth of Bremen, Germany regarding the plight of some 2,000 Germans who have been repatriated from Japan.

It was thoughtful of you to transmit this letter to the Department. We are looking into the matter and will promptly inform you if there are any developments favorable to Mr. Barth.

Faithfully yours,

W.W.B.

W. Walton Butterworth

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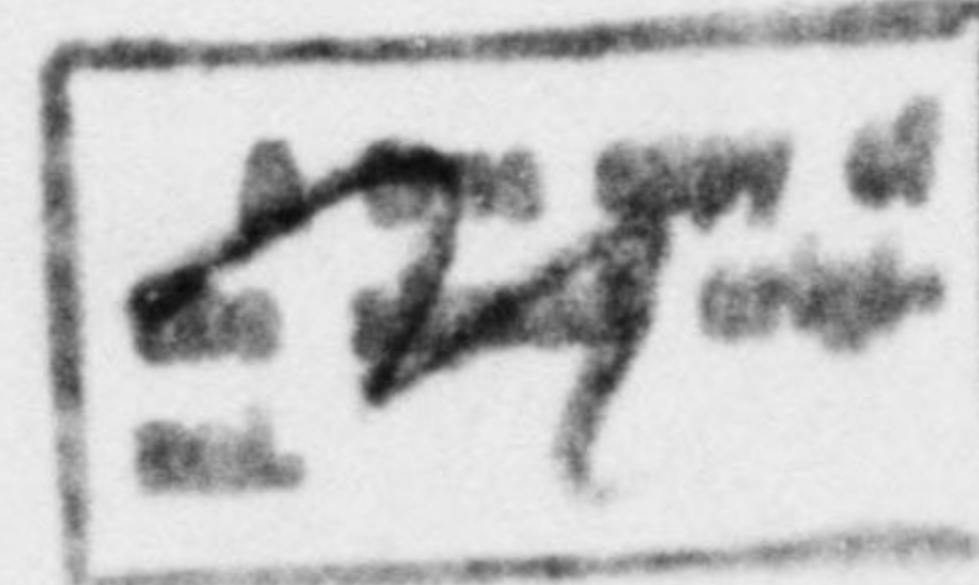
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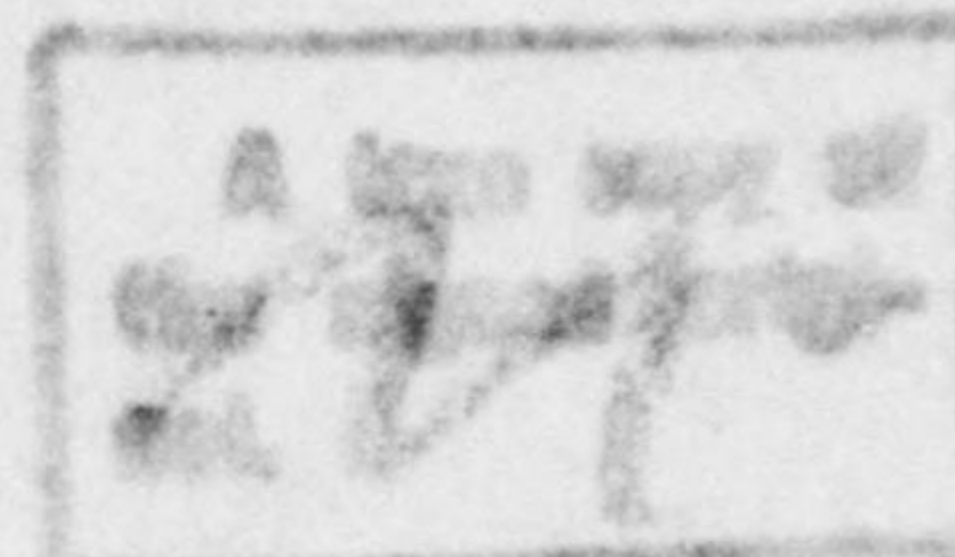
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade
Washington, D. C.

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm **National Metal & Steel Corp.**

2. Address **Berth 210, Terminal Island, Calif.**

3. Telephone **Nevada 6-2517
Terminal 2-4587**

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **Nicolai Joffe**

- (a) Address **10557 Wyton Drive, Los Angeles 24, Calif.**
- (b) Position in the firm **Secretary**
- (c) Nationality **Latvian**

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed) **To inspect scrap metals in accordance with Invitation to Bid Number 92-502-s-50-1 at 8th Army Quartermaster Section Kobe and Yokohama. Bid closes January 10, 1950. Also, explore possibilities to purchase scrap metals and steel from other sources.**

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution

- (a) Type of property owned
- (b) Approximate pre-war value
- (c) Location
- (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

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7. Nature of business organization (Check)
(Corporation Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **Maryland**

9. Date incorporated or established **October 4, 1945**

10. Paid in capital \$ **9500000**

11. Type of business (Check)

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- (a) Manufacturer ()
- (b) Wholesaler or Jobber ()
- (c) Retailer ()
- (d) Broker ()
- (e) Importer ()
- (f) Exporter ()
- (g) Mfg's Export Agent ()
- (h) Import Agent ()
- (i) Other (Specify) **Ship dismantlers, dealer in scrap metals and steel; assembly manufacturers of Diesel electric power plants.**

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12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war) **None.**
- (a) Bought
(b) Sold
(c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan
13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan **None.**
14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested
Union Bank & Trust Company, 8th & Hill Streets, Los Angeles, Calif.
15. How will your representative travel? Plane () Ship ()
16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan **January 2, 1950.**
17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States?
18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit? **Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe.**
19. Estimated length of visit **two weeks.**

I, Nicolai Joffe, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said NATIONAL METAL & STEEL CORP.

Nicolai Joffe
Signature
Secretary
Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
this 9 day of December, 1949

James M. Donetti
Notary Public

SEAL
IT-736

My Commission Expires Feb. 27, 1951

DEPARTMENT OF STATE
 TELEPHONE
 Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: Dec. 9, 1949.

SUBJECT: Application of Mr. David Feldman for permission to enter Japan as accountant for stores operated in Japan by the Shriro Corporation under SCAP license.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. V. W. Shriro, Secretary & Treasurer,
 Shriro Trading Corporation,
 130 West 42d Street, New York 18, New York.

Mrs. Mellor (DS)

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Mr. Shriro called Mrs. Mellor by telephone to inquire if the Department had any information regarding Mr. Feldman's application for permission to enter Japan. Mrs. Mellor informed him that a communication had been received from the Pacific Military Permit Branch, Department of the Army quoting a cable it had received from Theater Headquarters, Tokyo that on account of Mr. Feldman's lack of documentation his travel to Japan is not favorably considered.

Mr. Shriro's attention was called to the statement on Mr. Feldman's application that he had applied for an Immigration Visa to the US in March, 1947. Mr. Shriro said that was correct. Mrs. Mellor told Mr. Shriro that she had checked with the Visa Division of the Department and there appeared to be no record of his petition although the search was limited due to the meager information in the Department's possession.

Mr. Shriro stated that the manager of their stores in Japan was formerly associated with SCAP and he was hopeful that their manager might be able to do something regarding Mr. Feldman's application. He then asked Mrs. Mellor if she could get the number of the cable which PMPB sent to SCAP transmitting Mr. Feldman's application. She replied that she thought she could. He asked her to call him back at his expense. Mrs. Mellor then called the PMPB and was informed that the number of the outgoing cable to SCAP was WCL-26287, December 1 and SCAP's reply was Z-31108, December 6.

Mr. Shriro expressed his gratitude for the information and said he would get in touch with their man in Tokyo.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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DIVISION OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES

TO : Mrs. Leonelda Mellor, Protective Services Div.
Department of State

DATE: December 13, 1949
IT-1040-ME

FROM : Michael Lee, Chief
Far Eastern Branch

SUBJECT: Applicants Approved by Department of Commerce for Travel to Japan

The following applicant has been approved by the Department of Commerce for travel to Japan, subject to final approval by SCAP. Copy of the application is enclosed.

Firm

R. G. Lane, Inc.

Representative

J. D. Richards (British - Passport #434970 - Re-entry Permit being applied for.)

(Desires entry January 8, plane)

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Walter F. Chappell Esq.
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services
Department of State, Room 725
515 22nd St., N.W.
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Chappell:

Further to my letter of November 29th, and several subsequent telephone conversations with your Mrs. L.S. Mellor, I am enclosing herewith a copy of a telegram received from our Tokyo office which is self explanatory.

On the basis of this cable, we would be very much obliged if you would resubmit our application for Mr. David Feldman to the appropriate authorities.

Thanking you in anticipation, and with compliments of the season, I am

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten Signature]

V.W. Shiro
Secretary & Treasurer
SHIRO TRADING CORPORATION

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My dear Captain Hendricks:

Reference is made to your memorandum of December 6, 1949 regarding the application of Mr. David Feldman for permission to enter Japan as Accountant for the Shriro Trading Corporation which was not favorably considered by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo in view of the lack of evidence that Mr. Feldman had permission to enter some other country after the expiration of his stay in Japan.

In this connection you are informed that in a telephone conversation of even date between Mr. Shriro, Secretary and Treasurer of the Shriro Trading Corporation, New York, and an officer of this Division, Mr. Shriro stated that he had been in communication with his Corporation's manager at Tokyo in which Mr. Shriro was informed that Mr. Feldman has an Israeli visa valid until December, 1950 and SCAP has requested that Mr. Feldman's application be re-submitted.

You are requested to re-submit Mr. Feldman's application to the Supreme Commander for his reconsideration. In the event that Theater clearance is granted to him a memorandum from your office to that effect will be sufficient.

Sincerely yours,

Walter J. Marx
Acting Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

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Captain George H. Hendricks,
Pacific Military Permit Branch,
Military District of Washington,
Room 3A514, Pentagon Building,
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INSISTS YOU REAPPLY WASHINGTON 16225 KUPFERBERG FRANKEL URGENTLY
NEEDED REROMMEND AIRPASSAGE.

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(Referring New York's letter to Tokyo re. ms)

130 West 42nd Street, New York 36, N.Y.
Telephone: Longacre 3-6368.

Mrs. Mellor - DS.

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Mr. Shriro called Mrs. Mellor by telephone regarding the applica-
tion of Mr. David Feldman which SCAP had disapproved because there
was no evidence that he had permission to enter some other country after
the expiration of his stay in Japan. As will be seen from the telephone
conversation between Mrs. Mellor and Mr. Shriro on December 9 Mr. Shriro
stated that he would take up the matter with his Corporation's manager
in Tokyo. In his telephone conversation this morning Mr. Shriro informed
Mrs. Mellor that he has communicated with their manager and has received
the following reply:

"Mr. Feldman will be traveling on a Document of Identity
and he has an Israeli visa valid until December 1950.
SCAP requested that Mr. Feldman's application be re-
submitted."

Mrs. Mellor called the Pacific Military Permit Branch and
Mrs. Englehardt informed her that it would only be necessary to incorporate
the information given her by Mr. Shriro in a letter to the PMPB which
would be the basis of the re-submitted application.

Mrs. Mellor called Mr. Shriro and gave him the information which
Mrs. Englehardt had given her and Mr. Shriro said he would write a letter
to the Department immediately confirming the information he had given
Mrs. Mellor on the telephone.

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 Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: December 21, 1949.

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SUBJECT: Application of Mr. David Feldman for permission to enter Japan as accountant for stores operated in Japan by the Shriro Corporation under SCAP license.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. V. W. Shriro, Secretary & Treasurer, Shriro Trading Corporation, 130 West 42nd Street, New York 18, New York. Telephone: Longacre 3-6368.

Mrs. Mellor - DS.

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Mr. Shriro called Mrs. Mellor by telephone regarding the application of Mr. David Feldman which SCAP had disapproved because there was no evidence that he had permission to enter some other country after the expiration of his stay in Japan. As will be seen from the telephone conversation between Mrs. Mellor and Mr. Shriro on December 9 Mr. Shriro stated that he would take up the matter with his Corporation's manager in Tokyo. In his telephone conversation this morning Mr. Shriro informed Mrs. Mellor that he has communicated with their manager and has received the following reply:

"Mr. Feldman will be traveling on a Document of Identity and he has an Israeli visa valid until December 1950. SCAP requested that Mr. Feldman's application be re-submitted."

Mrs. Mellor called the Pacific Military Permit Branch and Mrs. Englehardt informed her that it would only be necessary to incorporate the information given her by Mr. Shriro in a letter to the PMPB which would be the basis of the re-submitted application.

Mrs. Mellor called Mr. Shriro and gave him the information which Mrs. Englehardt had given her and Mr. Shriro said he would write a letter to the Department immediately confirming the information he had given Mrs. Mellor on the telephone.

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Albert Lee Company,
655 Massachusetts Avenue,
Boston 3, Massachusetts.

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Military authorities Japan grant permission Miss Che Fan Seto, representative Albert Lee Company, Boston, enter Japan any time until May 23, 1950 for indefinite stay after date of entry. Should carry two standard passport photographs.

In lieu statement required paragraph nine, SCAP Circular 8, August 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, January 17, 1947) give Miss Seto certified copy text this telegram provided she has valid travel document and permission enter some other country after expiration her stay in Japan.

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MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Chappell :

*Telegram to Hong Kong
CON: DS: F. S. Mellowins
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Reference is made to Commerce List for Fourth Week in November

Paragraph checked (x) indicates action on subject.

() The individuals listed below have been cleared by the military authorities to enter JAPAN for an indefinite stay ~~days~~ after date of entry. Two standard sized passport photographs will be carried by individuals for identification purposes in order to enter. Individual's name; location, when applicable; and entry periods may be found below.

() Extension is granted individuals listed below with same provisions as granted in original clearance. New entry period is given below.

() Request you notify the appropriate agency of this clearance.

<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>ENTRY PERIOD</u>
YERID, Abraham Meir	Bagdad, Iran	7 Dec 49-23 May 1950
SETO, Miss Che Fan	Hong Kong	7 Dec 49-23 May 1950
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Clearance is granted with the provision that individuals have a valid travel document and reentry permits for some country other than Japan.

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G. H. HENDRICKS, Capt. F. A.
Chief, Pacific Military
Permit Branch, MDW

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December 14, 1949.

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*of the to Mr. Goldschmidt
CON:DS:L. Malow, nB 12/14/49*

My dear Captain Hendricks:

The Department of State is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Meyer H. Goldschmidt dated December 12, 1949, a copy of which is enclosed, giving the information requested in your memorandum of December 5, 1949.

If the above information is sufficient it is requested that after Mr. Goldschmidt's Theater clearance has been received his military permit be forwarded to the Division of Protective Services for transmittal to him.

Sincerely yours,

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

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Enclosure:

As stated.

Captain George H. Hendricks,
Pacific Military Permit Branch,
Military District of Washington,
Room 3A514, Pentagon Building,
Washington, D. C.

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J. GERBER & CO., INC.
EXPORT BUYERS
855 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

December 12th
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Ltr. to Capt. Hendrickson, PMPB
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Att; Mr. Walter F. Chappell - Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services.

Dear Mr. Chappell:

I beg to thank you for your letter of December 8th, Ref. DS,
and for referring my request for permission to enter Japan to the
Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo, for approval.

I am giving you hereunder the requested information perti-
nent to my travel documents:

Def. Gerber & Co.

Meyer Hirsch Goldschmidt
Passport: C 29176
Issued: Cape Town November 24, 1948
Expiring: November 24, 1953
Profession: Foreign Agent born: November 20, 1887,
Germany. *M*
Domicile: Cape Town, Union of South Africa
Height: 5 ft. 7 1/2 inch.
Color of) Brown
Eyes:)
Color of) Black/Gray
hair:)

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Great Britain
Entire British Commonwealth
U.S.A.
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Thanking you for communicating the above details to the
Pacific Military Permit Branch for issuance of my Military Permit
after my clearance to enter Japan.

Yours sincerely,
Meyer H. Goldschmidt
Meyer H. Goldschmidt

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My dear Mr. Goldschmidt:

There is enclosed Army Department military permit No. 5839,
issued in your name, valid for entry into Japan between December 15,
1949 and June 15, 1950 for an indefinite stay after your date of
entry.

There is now in effect a blanket waiver of the exit permit
requirements. You will therefore require no exit permit to depart
from the United States.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

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Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

Military permit
No. 5839.

Mr. Meyer H. Goldschmidt,

Care of J. Gerber and Company, Incorporated,

855 Avenue of the Americas,

New York 1, New York.

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My dear Captain Hendricks:

The Department of State is in receipt of a letter from the American Nile Corporation dated December 12, 1949, a copy of which is enclosed, giving the information regarding Mr. Nahmias which was requested in your memorandum of November 21, 1949.

It will be noted in the letter under reference that the American Nile Corporation states it expects to furnish in the near future the information regarding Mr. Meyer Moshi Cohen and Mr. Abraham Yedid, which was also requested in your memorandum under reference. In this connection you will recall that Mr. Yedid was granted permission to enter Japan between December 7, 1949 and May 23, 1950. The Department sent a cablegram to the American Embassy at Baghdad to document him provided he had a valid travel document and permission to enter some other country after the expiration of his stay in Japan.

As soon as the information is received regarding Mr. Cohen you will be informed.

Sincerely yours,

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

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Captain George H. Hendricks,
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Room 3A514, Pentagon Building,
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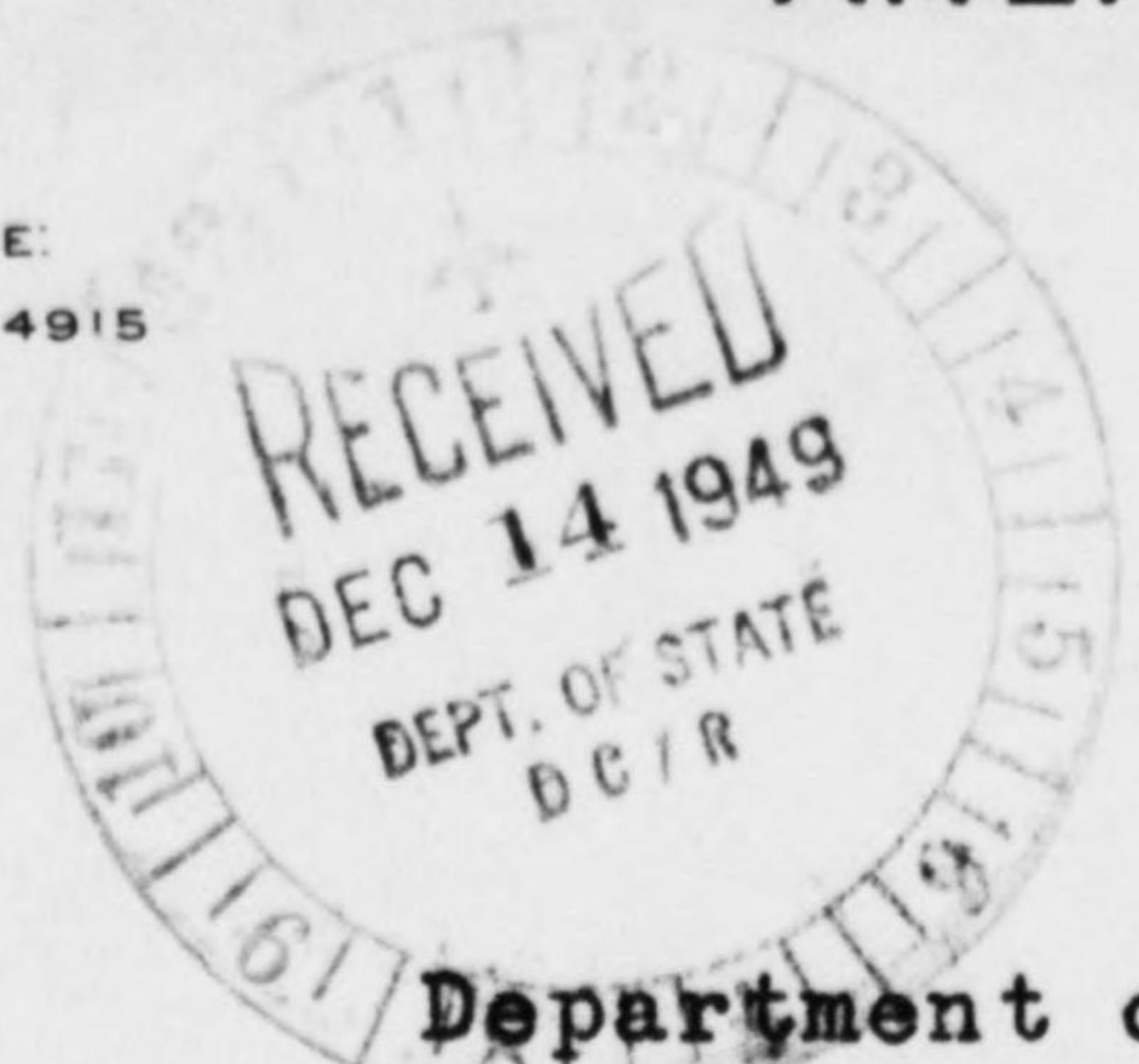
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AMERICAN NILE CORPORATION

EMPIRE STATE BUILDING
350 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

TELEPHONE:
LONGACRE 4-4915



CABLES: AMERNILE

December 12, 1949 DIVISION OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES

Department of State
Washington, D. C.

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con. DS: P. S. Mellor: nB 7/23/50
to Capt. J. J. ... PM PB
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ATT: Mr. Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Gentlemen: *DS* 894.111/4-449

In reply to your letter of November 23rd, we are pleased to advise you that Mr. Gabriel Nahmias has in his possession Passport #41973, issued in New York by the Egyptian Consulate, which is valid until March 3, 1950 and which may be renewed for a period of one year. In addition he has a Visa to Japan.

Upon the expiration of his stay in Japan, he plans to return to Egypt.

With respect to Mr. Meyer Moshi Cohen and Mr. Abraham Meir Yedid, we expect to write to you in the very near future.

Yours very truly,
AMERICAN NILE CORPORATION

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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

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for Nahmias

1. Firm **AMERICAN NILE CORPORATION**

2. Address **350 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.** 3. Telephone **LO 4-4915**

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **Gabriel Nahmias** Meyer Moshi Cohen
(a) Address **75 Ambroise Ralli Str. Camp Cesar** 2602 91st Street
(b) Position in the firm **Alexandria, Egypt** Queens, New York
(c) Nationality **Representative**
Gabriel Nahmias--Egyptian Meyer Cohen-Iraqian

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed) **To buy all types of silk fabrics to be exported to the United States. To buy Cotton Piecegoods to be exported to the Middle East and Africa.**

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution **No**
(a) Type of property owned
(b) Approximate pre-war value
(c) Location
(d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)
(Corporation) Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of New York

9. Date incorporated or established **July 1941**

10. Paid in capital **\$415,000**

11. Type of business (Check)

- | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----|-------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| (a) Manufacturer | () | (e) Importer | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (b) Wholesaler or Jobber | () | (f) Exporter | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> |
| (c) Retailer | () | (g) Mfgr's Export Agent | () |
| (d) Broker | () | (h) Import Agent | () |
| | | (i) Other (Specify) | |

12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war)

- (a) Bought **None**
- (b) Sold
- (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan

None

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

**Irving Trust Co., 48th St., & Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.
Chemical Bank & Trust Co., 165 Broadway, New York, N. Y.**

15. How will your representative travel? Plane (X) Ship ()

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan **December, 1949**


17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States? **Mr. Schmitt and Mr. Cohen are both in New York City. Please address authorizations to American Silk Corporation.**

18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit?

**Tokyo
Osaka
Kobe**

19. Estimated length of visit **Three months**

I, **Solomon S. Silbka**, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said **American Silk Corporation**.



 Signature
Vice President

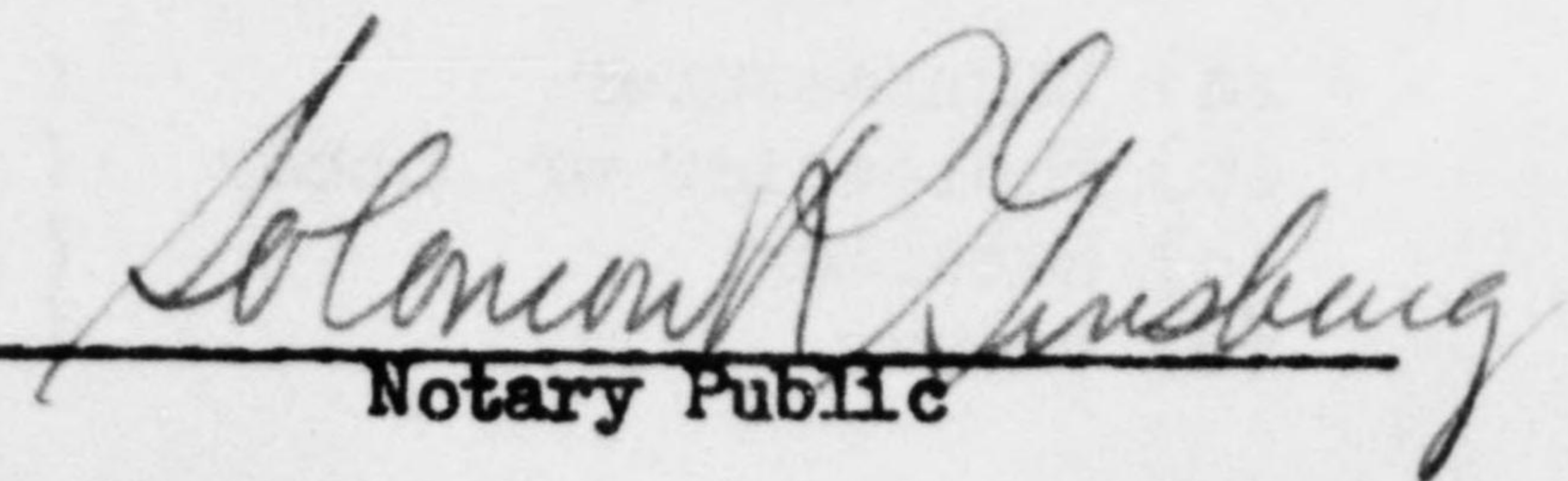
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Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this **11th** day of **November**, 19**49**

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SOLMON S. SILBKA
 Notary Public, State of New York
 No. 31-1440350
 Qualified in New York County
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(a) Address 75 Ambrose Ralli Str. Camp Cesar

(b) Position in the firm Alexandria, Egypt

(c) Nationality Representative

Gabriel Nahmias—Egyptian

Meyer Moshi Cohen
2602 91st Street
Queens, New York

Meyer Cohen—Iraqian

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(a) Type of property owned

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(Corporation) Partnership () Individual () Other ()

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9. Date incorporated or established July 1941

10. Paid in capital \$ 415,000

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(b) Wholesaler or Jobber ()

(c) Retailer ()

(d) Broker ()

(e) Importer (x)

(f) Exporter (x)

(g) Mfgr's Export Agent ()

(h) Import Agent ()

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12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war)
- (a) Bought None
 (b) Sold
 (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan
13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan
- None
14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested
- Irving Trust Co.-48th St. & Rockefeller Plaza, New York, N. Y.
 Chemical Bank & Trust Co.-165 Broadway, New York, N. Y.
15. How will your representative travel? Plane (x) Ship ()
16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan December, 1949
17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States? Mr. Nahmias and Mr. Cohen are both in New York City. Please address authorizations to
18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit? American Nile Corporation.
 Tokyo
 Osaka
 Kobe
19. Estimated length of visit Three months

I, Selim K. Zilkha, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said American Nile Corporation.

/s/ Zilkha
 Signature

Vice President
 Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me
 this 11th day of November, 1949

Solomon R. Ginsburg
 Notary Public

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TO : Department of State

FROM : RIO DE JANEIRO 1198 December 14, 1949

REF : Embassy's despatch 863 of September 29, and despatch 1096 of November 29, 1949.

SUBJECT :

Application of Wilhelm BATHGE to Travel to Japan as Private Commercial Entrant.

The Embassy refers to its despatch 1096 of November 29, 1949, and to previous correspondence relative to the case of Wilhelm BATHGE, a German national resident in Brazil, who has applied for permission to enter Japan for a business visit. The following telegram, No. A-31106 of December 6, 1949, was received by the Embassy from CINCFE, Tokyo, Japan:

"Comtel recd here for ent Japan Wilhelm Bathge. Rply rqstd to your office. Rqst upon reporting your office you indorse indivs passport ent Japan as coml ent citing this msg as auth. Indiv states he possesses Brazilian passport. Accommodations Japan provided coml hotel revenue basis."

Mr. Bathge called at the Embassy on December 9. He was informed that his entry to Japan had been authorized by CINCFE, and was advised to make application to the Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW, Room 2A-320, Pentagon Building, Washington, D. C., for issuance of a Military Permit for Entry into Japan. Mr. Bathge is the bearer of a Foreigner's passport issued by Brazil to persons who are without nationality or to aliens whose government is not represented in Brazil. He plans to travel to Germany, thence to the United States and Japan, and to arrive in Washington the latter part of February. Mr. Bathge has been issued an entry permit for Germany and a visitor's visa for the United States. He stated that authority for an entry to Japan was probably obtained through the good offices of the Brazilian representative in Tokyo at the request of the Japanese firms which Bathge plans to visit and with which he has been in contact.

Mr. Bathge was advised to obtain his Military Permit in Washington in view of provisions of the Department's circular airgram of March 1, 1949, 8:20 a.m. regarding compassionate visits to Japan, and in view of the fact that the Embassy has received no instructions as to the type of endorsement to be placed in the passports of aliens who are authorized to visit Japan for business purposes. It is noted that the Department's circular airgram of March 17, 1949, 8:15 a. m. authorizes

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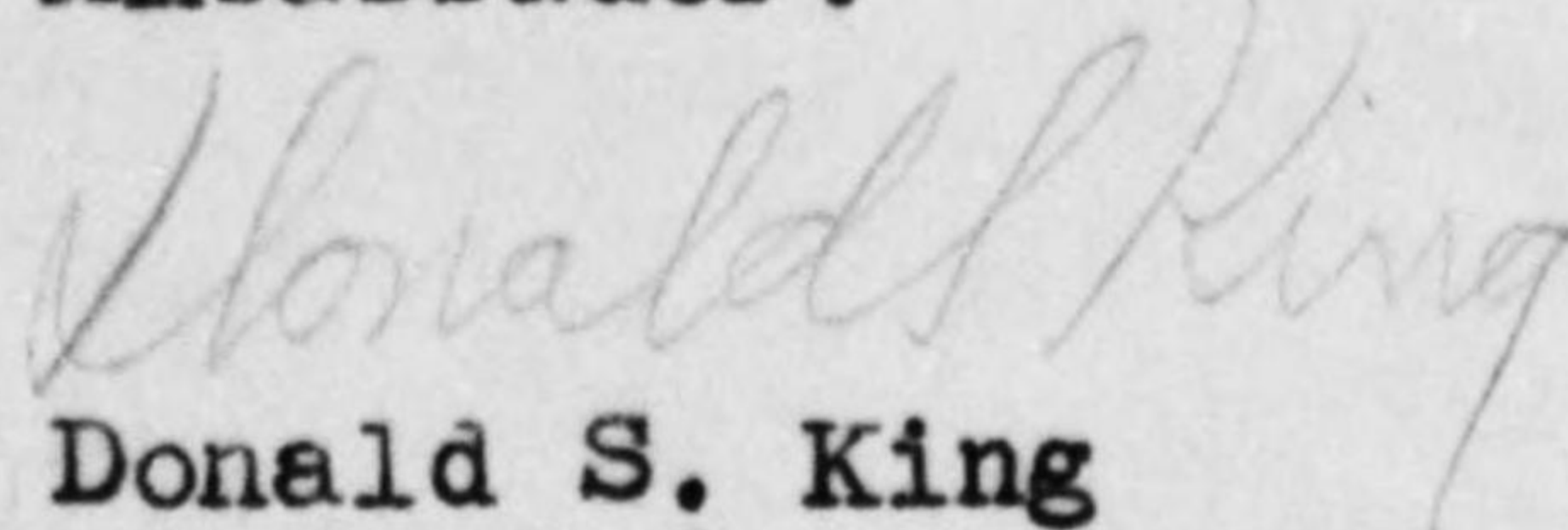
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the amendment of American passports for travel to Japan. The Embassy would appreciate instructions as to the procedure to be followed when foreign passports are presented for endorsement.

For the Ambassador:



Donald S. King
Acting Chief of Consular Section



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The Secretary of State presents his compliments to His Excellency the Ambassador of Iran and has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Embassy's note of November 9, 1949 ^{894.111/11949 HT} under cover of which there was transmitted to the Department the application of Mr. Ali Abdul-Nabi Kuchikali, an Iranian national, for permission to enter Japan for trade purposes.

Mr. Kuchikali's application was referred to the appropriate military authorities. In reply the Department has received a communication stating that Mr. Kuchikali has been granted permission to enter Japan at any time until June 14, 1950 ^{894.111/12-1449 HT} for an indefinite stay after his date of entry. He should carry two standard passport photographs.

The Department assumes that the Ministry of Foreign Affairs will be requested to place in the passport of Mr. Kuchikali a statement to the effect that he has been cleared by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for entry into Japan. The statement which

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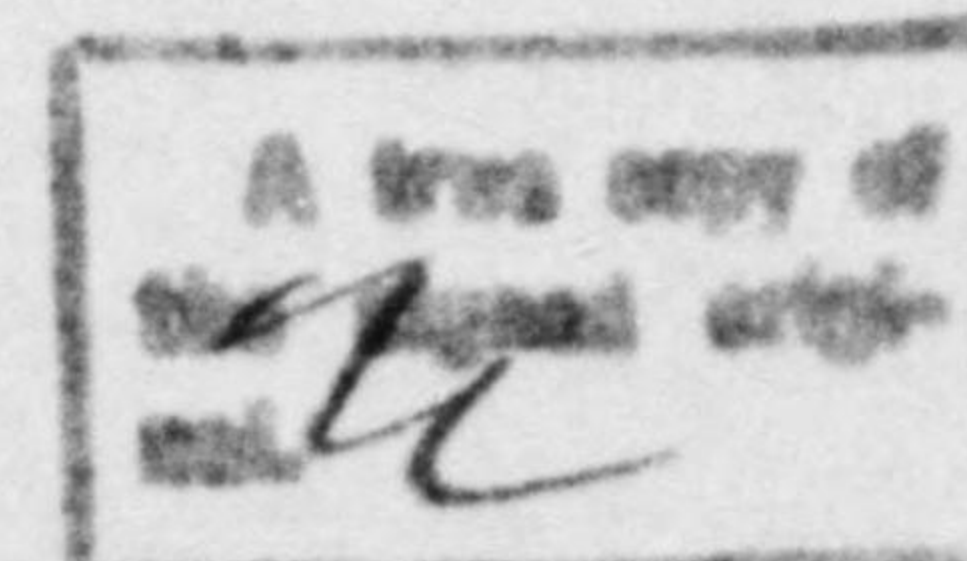
should be placed in Mr. Kuchikali's passport is required by paragraph III, 4.e.(1) of the Supreme Commander's Circular 3 of February 25, 1948 entitled Guide for Commercial Entrants to Japan. Two copies of the circular referred to were transmitted to the Embassy under cover of the Department's note of February 7, 1949.

Department of State,

Washington, December 16, 1949.

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*Note to Chief of Bureau
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MEMORANDUM FOR MR. CHAPPELL:

Reference your memorandum of 17 November concerning the travel of KUCHIKALI, Ali Abdul-Nabi to Japan.

Clearance has been received for this individual to enter Japan as a commercial entrant from 14 December until 14 June 1950 for an indefinite stay after date of entry. Individual should carry two (2) standard passport photographs, 1 1/4 by 1 3/4 inches.

George H. Hendricks
GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F.A.
Chief, Pacific Military Permit Br.
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SIGNED

GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F.A.
Chief, Pacific Military Permit Br.
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*Aug 1949 to Emb., Mexico, D.F.
CONF. DS: L. Mellow: mb 11/16/49*

MEMORANDUM TO Mr. Chappell :

Reference is made to your memorandum of 9 December 1949

Paragraph checked (x) indicates action on subject.

*Note to Emb. of Iran
CONF. DS: L. Mellow: mb
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(x) The individuals listed below have been cleared by the military authorities to enter Japan for indefinite stay ~~XXXX~~ after date of entry. Two standard sized passport photographs will be carried by individuals for identification purposes in order to enter. Individual's name; location, when applicable; and entry periods may be found below.

() Extension is granted individuals listed below with same provisions as granted in original clearance. New entry period is given below.

() Request you notify the appropriate agency of this clearance.

<u>REPRESENTATIVE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>ENTRY PERIOD</u>
<u>KRAIEM, Leon</u>	<u>Mexico</u>	<u>15 Dec 49-15 June 1950</u> ✓

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Mexico City, D.F.
Mr. Kraiem's address given to Mrs. Mellow (DS)
17/16/49 by Dr. Mahdavi of the NO-2636 Iranian Emb.
Iranian Embassy, San

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G. H. HENDRICKS, Capt. F. A.
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Military authorities, Japan, grant permission to Mr. Leon Kraiem, Avenida Uruguay 73, Mexico City, telephone No. 10-01-92, to enter Japan at any time until June 15, 1950 for an indefinite stay. He should carry two standard passport photographs.

A lieu of statement required by PARAGRAPH NINE, SCAP Circular 8, August 30, 1946 (see FSS 667, January 17, 1947) give Mr. Kraiem a certified copy of the text of this airgram.

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Mr. John M. Allison, Director
Office of Northeast Asian Affairs
Department of State

Dear John:

*894.111/11-1949
NR 800,307A*

Reference is made to your letter of 19 November concerning travel of Japanese technicians abroad and accompanying memorandum commenting on the program as outlined in SCAPIN 2035 of 1 August.

As you know, your letter and memorandum were forwarded to SCAP for comment. SCAP has advised that the current policy on travel of Japanese technicians abroad is now under study and that generally the objective is the same as that summarized in your memorandum, i.e., arrangements for technicians to travel abroad to be made by the parties involved, subject only to applicable controls on foreign exchange and travel of Japanese in general.

SCAP further advised that details of the liberalized policy will be furnished at an early date. I shall be very happy to forward the new policy to you upon receipt thereof.

Sincerely yours,

Robert R. West

ROBERT R. WEST
Deputy to
Under Secretary of the Army

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade

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TO :Mrs. Leonelda Mellor, Protective Services Division DATE: December 19, 1949
Department of State IT-1040-EC
FROM :Michael Lee, Chief *M Lee* DEPARTMENT OF STATE
Far Eastern Branch
SUBJECT: Applicants Approved by Department of Commerce for Travel to Japan

The following applicants have been approved by the Department of Commerce for travel to Japan, subject to final approval by SCAP. Copies of the applications are enclosed.

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Representative

Los Angeles, Calif.

National Metal & Steel Corporation
Berth 210, Terminal Island, Calif.

Nicolai Joffe (Latvian)

(Desires entry January 2, plane)

New York, N. Y.

Hedaya Mercantile Corporation

Gabriel Josue (Israeli-Milan, Italy)

Wife, Olga Josue (Israeli-Milan, Italy)

(Desire entry as soon as possible, plane)

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Mrs. Leonelda Mellor, Protective Services Division
Department of State
Michael Lee, Chief
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ACTION SLIP FOR ENTRY AND TRAVEL IN JAPAN AND/OR OKINAWA	DATE 19 December 49
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TO (Agency) **Mr. Chappell**

NAME JOSUE, Gabriel and Olga	TO (Country) JAPAN
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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY PERMIT IS INCLOSED TO COVER THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL.

THEATER CLEARANCE HAS BEEN RECEIVED THIS DATE FOR THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. UPON RECEIPT OF APPLICATION FROM YOUR OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY PERMIT WILL BE ISSUED.

THERE IS NO MILITARY OBJECTION TO THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. YOU MAY ADVISE YOUR REPRESENTATIVE ABROAD OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.

REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE APPLICATION OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. MORE INFORMATION IS REQUESTED, UPON RECEIPT OF WHICH THIS OFFICE WILL REFER THE APPLICATION TO THE THEATER.

THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL IS NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME.

REMARKS

Individuals' requests have been referred to Theater Headquarters this date for their approval.

However, prior to issuance of military permit after approval has been granted, it will be necessary that this office be furnished with information as to whether individuals have valid travel documents and reentry permits for some country other than Japan

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CON: DS: P. S. Mallow: mb 11/22/49*

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TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F.A. Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW	SIGNATURE <i>George H. Hendricks</i>
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Office of International Trade
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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm HEDAYA MERCANTILE CORPORATION

2. Address 15 W. 37th Street, New York 18, N. Y. Telephone ⁵ Lo-1978

4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) Mr. Gabriel Josue
accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Olga Josue
(a) Address Via Durini, 27, Milano, Italy
(b) Position in the firm Purchasing Representative
(c) Nationality Israeli

Josue

5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)

AS OUR PURCHASING AGENT

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution

- (a) Type of property owned
- (b) Approximate pre-war value
- (c) Location
- (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens

7. Nature of business organization (Check)

Corporation (x) Partnership () Individual () Other ()

8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of New York

9. Date incorporated or established June, 1946

10. Paid in capital \$120,000.

11. Type of business (Check)

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|--------------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|
| (a) Manufacturer | () | (e) Importer | (x) |
| (b) Wholesaler or Jobber | () | (f) Exporter | (x) |
| (c) Retailer | () | (g) Mfr's Export Agent | () |
| (d) Broker | () | (h) Import Agent | () |
| | | (i) Other (Specify) | () |

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12. Goods bought or sold in Japan (pre-war)

- (a) Bought - Rayon Textile Piece Goods, Printed Silk Scarfs and General
 (b) Sold Tablewear & other linen
 (c) Approximate annual volume of business with Japan

13. List names and location of pre-war subsidiaries, branches or resident agents in Japan

Rahmo S. Sassoon, Kobe, Japan

14. Bank or banks in which accounts have been established and/or transactions effected and from whom references can be requested

Bank of America, Tokyo

15. How will your representative travel? Plane (x) Ship ()

16. Approximate date of proposed arrival in Japan end of December, 1949

17. To what U. S. consular office should authorization for entry into Japan be cabled by the State Department (at firm's expense) if your representative is outside the United States?

U. S. Consulate General, Milan, Italy

18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit?

Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe

19. Estimated length of visit Indefinite

I, ISAAC HEDAYA, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said _____

/s/ I. Hedaya
 Signature

President
 Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 12th day of December 1949

/s/ Peter F. Zimmer

 Notary Public

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Office of International Trade
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APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO VISIT JAPAN

(The information requested in this form is for the confidential and sole use of the Departments of Commerce and State, and SCAP.)

1. Firm **NEDAYA MERCANTILE CORPORATION**
2. Address **15 E. 37th Street, New York 18, N.Y.** 3. Telephone **Lo 5 - 1978**
4. Name of representative (and alternate, if any) **Mr. Gabriel Josue**
 (a) Address **accompanied by his wife, Mrs. Olga Josue**
Via Durini, 21, MILANO, ITALY
 (b) Position in the firm **Purchasing Representative**
 (c) Nationality **Israeli**
5. Purpose of proposed visit (Explain in detail, attaching separate sheet if needed)

AS OUR PURCHASING AGENT

6. If the purpose of the proposed trip is property restitution
 - (a) Type of property owned
 - (b) Approximate pre-war value
 - (c) Location
 - (d) Sole owner or joint owner with Japanese or other aliens
7. Nature of business organization (Check)
 (Corporation) Partnership () Individual () Other ()
8. Incorporated or established under the laws of the State of **NEW YORK**
9. Date incorporated or established **JUNE, 1946**
10. Paid in capital **\$120,000.**
11. Type of business (Check)

(a) Manufacturer	()	(e) Importer	()
(b) Wholesaler or Jobber	()	(f) Exporter	()
(c) Retailer	()	(g) Mfgr's Export Agent	()
(d) Broker	()	(h) Import Agent	()
		(i) Other (Specify)	()

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- Rahme S. Sassoon, Kobe, Japan
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- U.S. Consulate General, Milan, Italy
18. What cities in Japan does he plan to visit?
- Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe

19. Estimated length of visit Indefinite

I, ISAAC HEDAYA, hereby make oath that the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and for and in behalf of said _____.

I. Hedaya
Signature *President*

Title

Subscribed to and sworn to before me

this 17 day of December, 1949

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Peter F. Zimmer
Notary Public
PETER F. ZIMMER
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
No. 41-4389400
Qual. in Queens Co., Cert. filed with
N. Y. Co. Clerk, Queens & N. Y. Co. Registers
Term expires March 30, 1951

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My dear Mr. Josue:

The Department of State is in receipt of a communication dated December 19, 1949 from the Pacific Military Permit Branch, Department of the Army, stating that your application and that of your wife for permission to enter Japan as the representatives of the Hedaya Mercantile Corporation have been referred to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo for approval. It further states that if approval is granted, prior to the issuance of the military permits it will be necessary that you furnish information as to the validity of your and your wife's travel documents and whether each of you have permission to enter some other country after the expiration of your stay in Japan. The requested information should be sent to the Division of Protective Services, Department of State, which will communicate it to the Pacific Military Permit Branch so that there will be no delay in the issuance of your military permits after Theater clearances to enter Japan have been received. This Division will then take the necessary steps to obtain and mail your military permit to you, and in the case of Mrs. Josue the Department of State will send a cablegram, at your firm's expense, to the American Consulate General at Milan, Italy instructing it to document Mrs. Josue for entry into Japan.

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Sincerely yours,

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For the Secretary of State:

W.F.C.

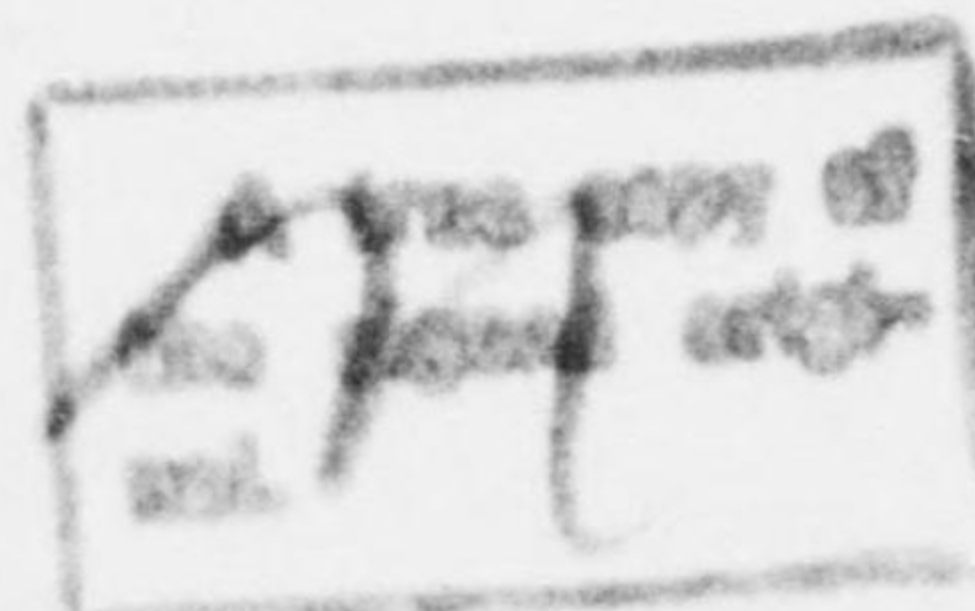
Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

DEC 22 1949

Mr. Gabriel Josue,
Care of Hedaya Mercantile Corporation,
15 West Thirty-seventh Street,
New York 18, New York.

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My dear Mr. Aldridge:

Reference is made to your letter of November 30, 1949 under cover of which you enclosed your application for permission to enter Japan on business for the Gideon's International.

There is transmitted herewith Army Department military permit No. 5863 valid for entry into Japan between February 1 and March 1, 1950 for a stay of two months after your date of entry.

In a communication from the Pacific Military Permit Branch, Department of the Army, which transmitted your military permit the Department of State was requested to inform you that Theater Headquarters states you should report to the Civil Information and Education Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo upon your arrival for orientation.

There is now in effect a blanket waiver of the exit permit requirements. You will therefore require no exit permit to depart from the United States.

Sincerely yours,

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For the Secretary of State:

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Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

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Enclosure:

Military permit
No. 5863.

Mr. Bernard E. Aldridge,
International Extension Director,
The Gideon's International,
21 East Superior Street,
Chicago 11, Illinois.

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TO (Agency) Mr. Chappell	<i>de/a</i> <i>File</i>
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NAME ALDRIDGE, Bernard Ernest	TO (Country) Japan
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Army Department
From

Dec. 19, 1949 894.111/12-1949

Application for permission to enter Japan on business.

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to Mr. Aldridge
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 GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F. A.
 Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW

SIGNATURE
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REMARKS		
Theater Headquarters states Mr. Aldridge should report to Civil Information and Education Section, General Headquarters, SCAP, on arrival Tokyo for orientation.		
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TYPED NAME, GRADE AND TITLE GEORGE H. HENDRICKS, Captain, F. A. Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW		SIGNATURE (SIGNED)

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NEW YORK, N. Y.

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J. GERBER & CO., INC.
855 AVENUE OF THE AMERICAS
NEW YORK 1, N. Y.

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December 19, 1949



DIVISION OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES
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Department of State
Washington, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Attention: Mr. Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief, Division
of Protective Services

Re: DS

Dear Mr. Chappell:

We beg to acknowledge receipt of
your letter of December 16th, and we thank you for
the military permit No. 5839 which you enclosed.

*for entry
into
Japan*

Yours very sincerely,

Meyer H. Goldschmidt

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Mr. Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services
Department of State
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

We are writing to you today concerning the trip to Japan planned by Mr. A. L. Glasbery and his brother, Mr. Henry Glasbery.

In reference to our letter to you of November 10th we now wish to inform you that A. L. Glasbery will not be able to visit Japan as contemplated because he will be busy here.

Henry Glasbery, however, will go to Japan around the end of January or beginning of February 1950 and he will be travelling alone.

As soon as Henry Glasbery returns to the United States he will apply for a new reentry permit and we shall forward the requested information to you.

In the meantime, we shall very much appreciate your forwarding to us available information regarding hotels, etc. in Japan.

Thanking you for your courtesy, we remain

Yours very sincerely,

GLASBERY
F. R. Sutta
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My dear Mr. Sutta:

The receipt is acknowledged of your letter of December 21, 1949 regarding the anticipated trip to Japan of Mr. Henry Glasbery early in 1950. In this connection you request information regarding hotels and so forth in Japan.

There is enclosed a pamphlet issued by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers at Tokyo entitled Guide for Commercial Entrants to Japan giving information concerning Japan which Mr. Glasbery will find helpful.

Sincerely yours,

For the Secretary of State:

W.F.C.
Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

As stated.

Mr. F. R. Sutta,
Care of Glasbery,
576 Fifth Avenue,
New York 19, New York.

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DIVISION OF NORTH EAST ASIAN AFFAIRS

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A Embaixada do Brasil em Washington cumprimenta o Departamento de Estado e tem a honra de acusar o recebimento da informação de 16 do mês corrente, pelo qual lhe foi comunicado que a Senhora Sudhaus Wiebke e seu filho chegaram a cidade de Kure, vindas de Dairen, e que tencionam partir para o Brasil.

A Embaixada muito agradece ao Departamento de Estado as informações prestadas sobre o assunto.

Washington, em 21 de dezembro de 1949.

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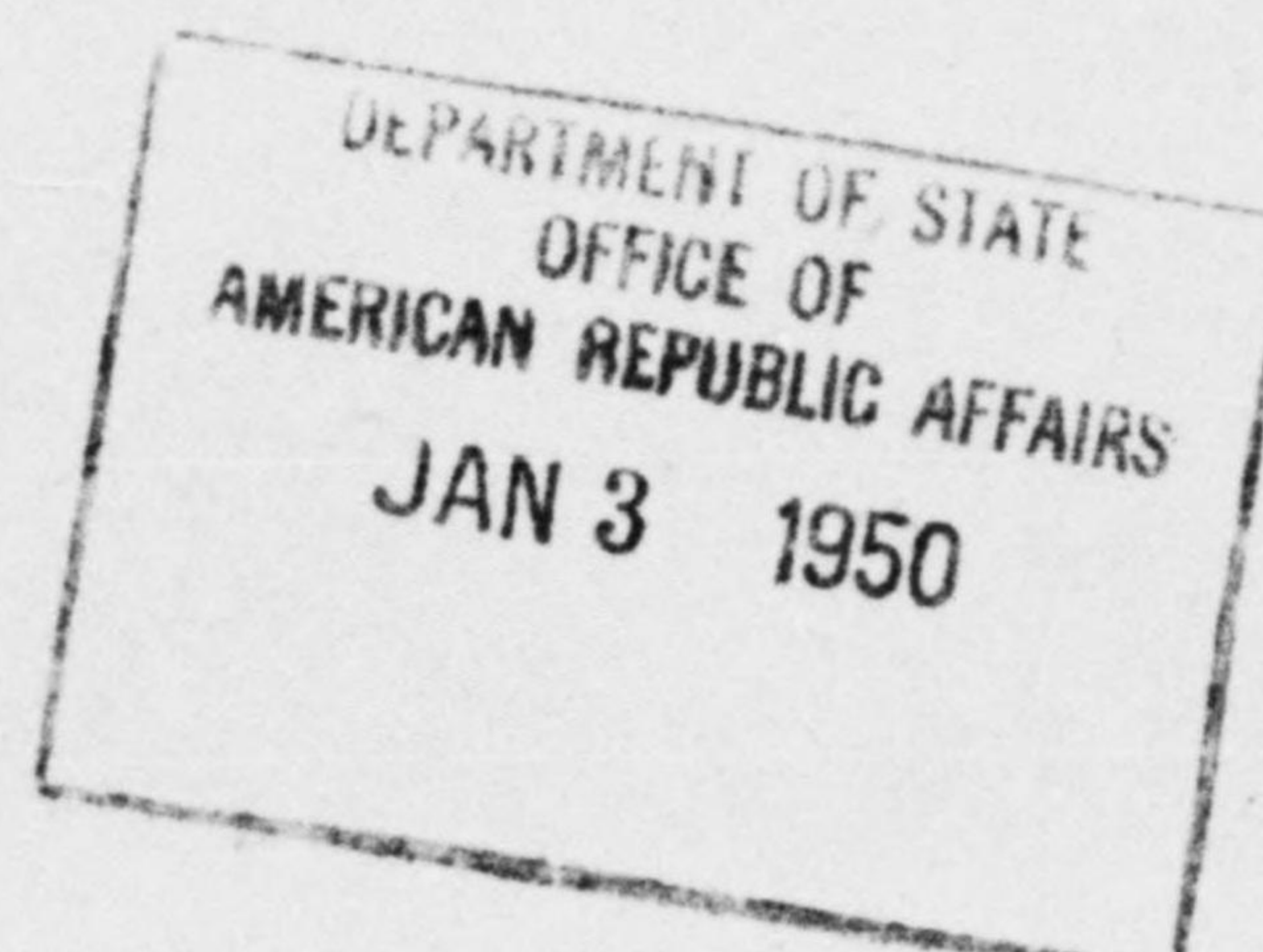
The Embassy of Brazil in Washington presents its compliments to the Department of State and has the honor to acknowledge receipt of the information transmitted to it on December 16, 1949, to the effect that Mrs. Sudhaus Wiebke and her son arrived at Kure from Dairen and that they intended to depart for Brazil.

The Embassy thanks the Department of State for the information given to it on this matter.

Washington, December 21, 1949.

[Initialed] H.G.

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ACTION SLIP FOR ENTRY AND TRAVEL IN JAPAN AND/OR OKINAWA

DATE *DR*
27 December 49

TO (Agency)

Mr. Chappell

NAME

FELDMAN' David

TO (Country)

Japan

INSTRUCTIONS: Indicate action by entering an "X" in the appropriate box.

- DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY PERMIT IS INCLOSED TO COVER THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL.
- THEATER CLEARANCE HAS BEEN RECEIVED THIS DATE FOR THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. UPON RECEIPT OF APPLICATION FROM YOUR OFFICE, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY PERMIT WILL BE ISSUED.
- THERE IS NO MILITARY OBJECTION TO THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. YOU MAY ADVISE YOUR REPRESENTATIVE ABROAD OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION.
- REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE APPLICATION OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL. MORE INFORMATION IS REQUESTED, UPON RECEIPT OF WHICH THIS OFFICE WILL REFER THE APPLICATION TO THE THEATER.
- THE TRAVEL OF ABOVE-MENTIONED INDIVIDUAL IS NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT THIS TIME.

REMARKS

Clearance has been received for above named individual to enter Japan as a commercial entrant for an indefinite stay after date of entry. Individual should carry two standard passport photographs, 1 1/4 by 1 3/4 inches.

Accommodations provided commercial hotel on revenue basis.

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Chief, Pacific Military Permit Branch, MDW

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DEPARTMENT OF STATE
TELEPHONE
Memorandum of Conversation

DATE: December 27, 1949.

SUBJECT: Application of Mr. David Feldman for permission to enter Japan.

PARTICIPANTS: Mr. V. W. Shriro, Secretary & Treasurer,
Shriro Trading Corporation,
130 West 42nd Street, New York 18, New York.
Telephone: Longacre 3-6368.

Mrs. Mellor - DS.

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Mrs. Mellor telephoned to Mr. Walter Shriro and informed him that information had just been received from the Pacific Military Permit Branch that Mr. David Feldman had been granted permission to enter Japan between December 27, 1949 and June 27, 1950 for an indefinite stay after his date of entry. Mr. Shriro requested that Mr. Feldman be notified of his Theater clearance through the American Consulate General at Shanghai and he stated that Mr. Feldman's address is as follows:

Care of Shriro Brothers (China) Fed. Inc., USA,
123 Canton Road,
Shanghai, China.

Mr. Shriro requested that the cable to Shanghai be charged to Shriro Trading Corporation, 130 West 42nd St., New York City. Mrs. Mellor informed him that the cable would be sent immediately. He expressed his thanks to the Department for calling.

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My dear Captain Hendricks:

The Department of State is in receipt of a letter dated December 27, 1949 from Mr. Hedaya of the Hedaya Mercantile Corporation, acting in behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel Josue, a copy of which is enclosed, giving the information requested in your memorandum of December 19, 1949.

If the above information is sufficient it is requested that after Theater clearances have been received for Mr. and Mrs. Josue that a military permit be issued in the name of Mr. Josue, and in the case of his wife a memorandum from your office will be sufficient in view of the fact that Mrs. Josue is in Milan, Italy and the Department has received authorization to have the American Consulate General there document her for entry into Japan.

Sincerely yours,

W.F.C.

Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief
Division of Protective Services

Enclosure:

As stated.

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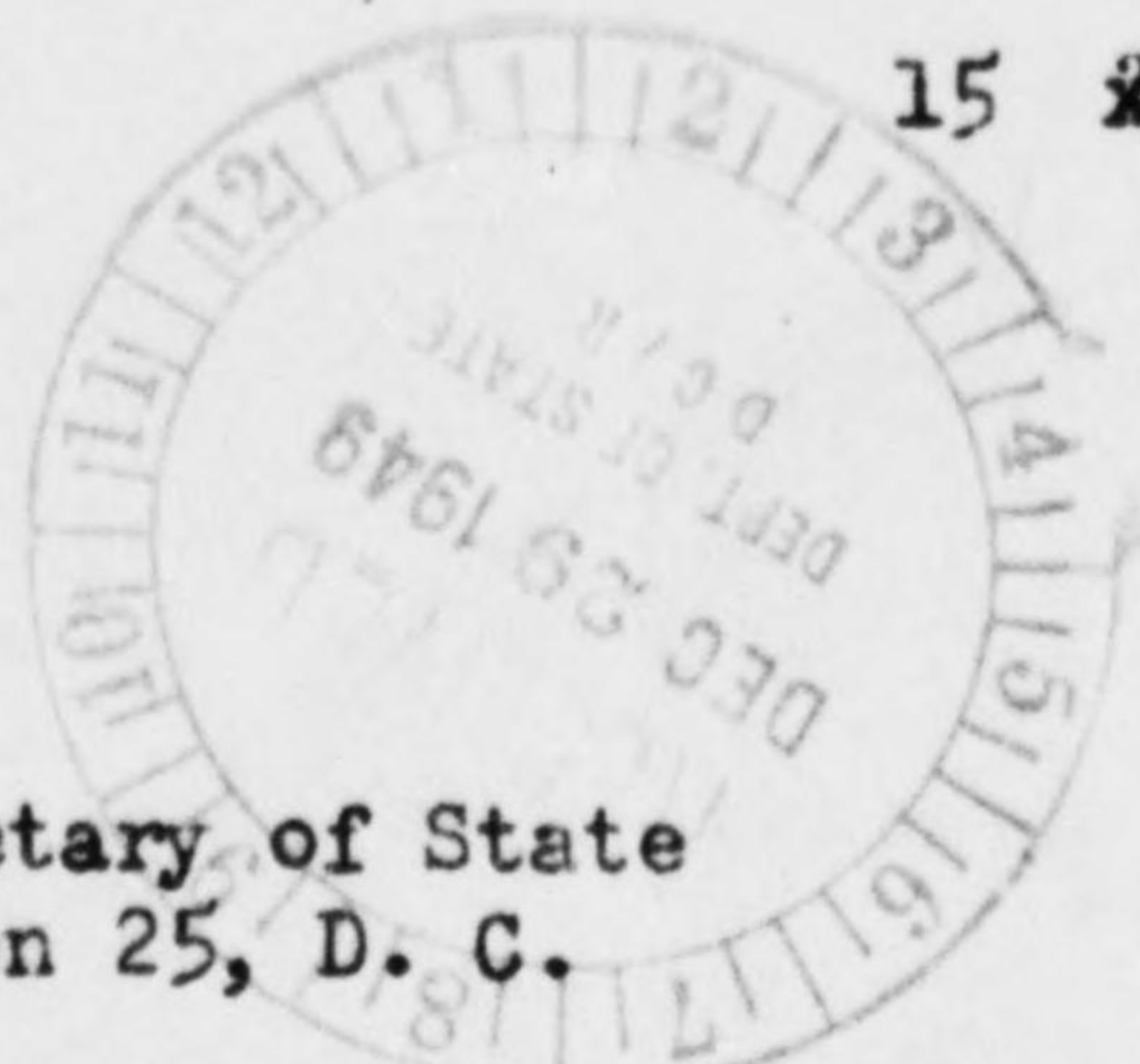
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The Secretary of State
Washington 25, D. C.

Attention of Mr. Walter F. Chappell
Assistant Chief,
Division of Protective Services

DIVISION OF
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X to Capt. Heudrich, PMPB
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Gentlemen:

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In reply to your letter Dated December 23rd, addressed to Mr. Gabriel Josue, we are taking the liberty of submitting, on his behalf, the information requested and which was previously given verbally to Mr. Frank J. Nolan of the Department of Commerce.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Josue are of Israelian nationality and, therefore, they will be able to obtain visas for entering other countries, as well as for return to Israel. Mr. Josue holds traveling document, number 5395, issued by the State of Israel, valid for all countries and which expires on June 7, 1950.

Mrs. Josue holds traveling document, number 5312, issued by the State of Israel, valid for all countries and which expires on June 7, 1950.

We will be glad to reimburse you for any cable charges incurred in the forwarding of instructions to the American Consulate General at Milan to document Mrs. Josue's entry into Japan.

We hope that this additional information will prove to your complete satisfaction and we will greatly appreciate your efforts on behalf of Mr. and Mrs. Josue in issuing permit for their entry into Japan.

Sincerely yours,

HEDAYA MERCANTILE CORPORATION

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