

Police Applications

**Brief aid for the first familiarization
with conscriptions**

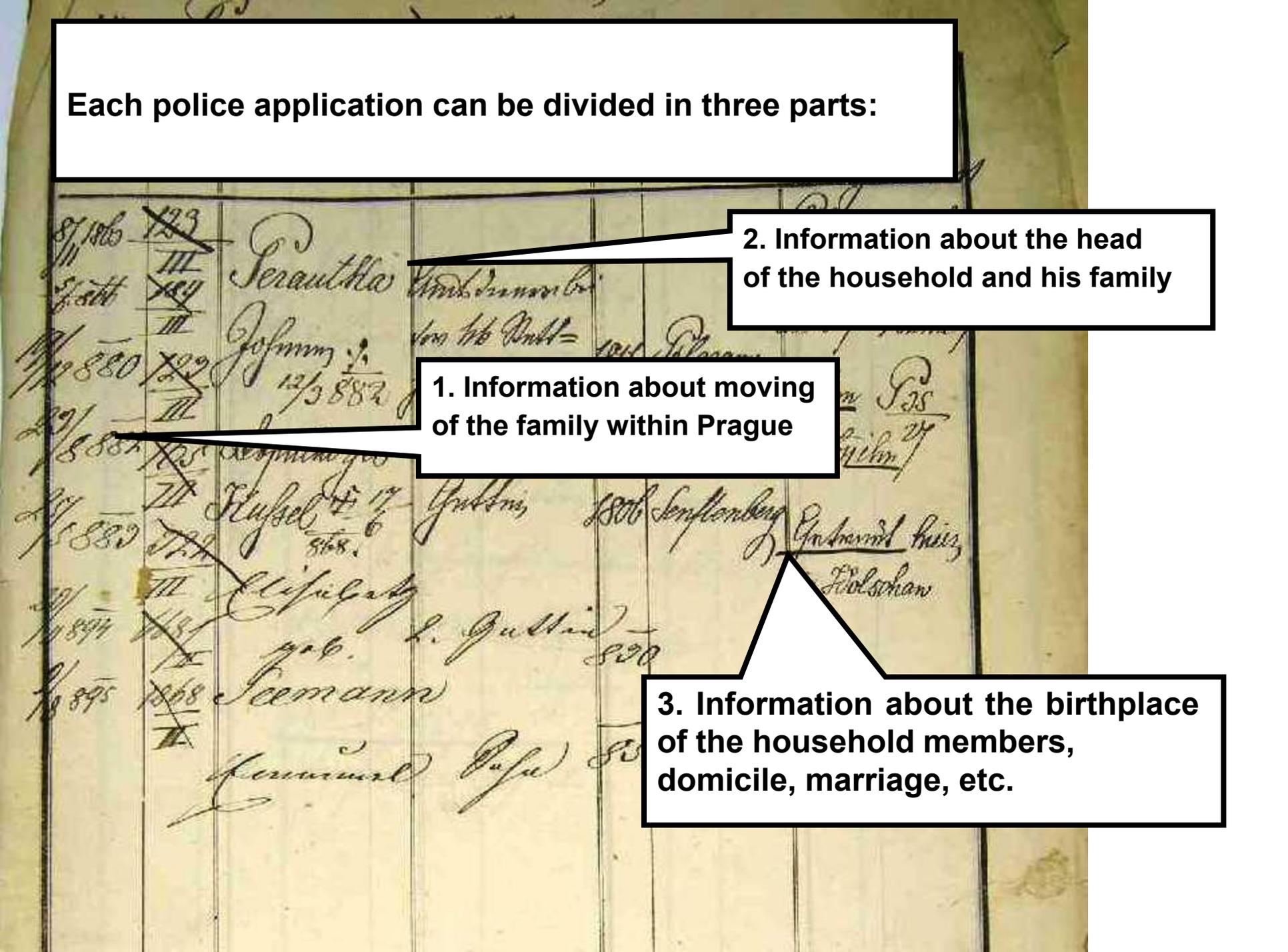
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Each police application can be divided in three parts:

2. Information about the head of the household and his family

1. Information about moving of the family within Prague

3. Information about the birthplace of the household members, domicile, marriage, etc.



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Haus - No. ~~105~~ ~~106~~ Wohnparthey - No.

Namen. II

Manusch			
+ Franz	Dienstbursche	170	Ludwig
2 Klaus	Chworb	171	Franz
2 Johann	Dofw.	822	"
2 Jakob	—	827	"
2 Conrad	Foster	818	"

There are also older kinds of conscriptions among applications: they are briefer, having data on moving of family written in upper part, mostly without date, besides members of the family, we can often find in them also names of servants, apprentices or subtenants.

Wohnung

18 10 861	II I	Stara
15 3 865	II I	Stara
1 11 866	II I	Stara
21 17 868	II I	Stara
4 11 868	II I	Stara
1 10 880	II I	Stara
2 11 889	II I	Stara

1. Data on moving of a family within Prague:
First, the date of moving is stated.

In the next column we find a house number and under it a numeral or acronym denoting a part of Prague. For better orientation in entries we give overview of the most frequent kinds of entries:

I – Old Town

II – New Town

III – Lesser Town

IV – Hradčany

V – Josefov

VI – Vyšehrad

VII – Holešovice, Bubny

VIII – Libeň

K, Kth – Karlín

AL – *Alt Lieben*, Old Libeň (Jewish)

NL – *Neu Lieben*, New Libeň

GB – *Gross Braunau*, Great Břevnov

KB – *Klein Braunau*, Lesser Břevnov

Wbg. – *Weinberge*, Vinohrady

Ko. – Košíře

T – Tejnka, nowadays part of Břevnov

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2. Second part contains data on the household head: name, profession, religion, the date of death marked with a cross (as the case may be)...

...and data on other members of the household, here: first wife (Germ. *Gattin, Ehegattin, Gemahlin, Weib, Eheweib*) with maiden name (*geb. i.e. geboren, née*), widowed (*verw. i.e. verwitwet, widowed*) and again with date of death, second wife, child.

Charakter	Geburtsort	Heimatschein
Widmann Anna Leibherr	29. Altswalden	Gemeinde Altswalden 18. Gylbna 1864 imb. Zeit zuständig Lyt. Leit. mischel in Böhmen

3. Third part of conscription brings:

1. Data on a birthplace and on municipality, in which the head of the household has his domicile, sometimes accompanied by the date of issue of the home certificate.

Charakter	Geburtsort	Heimatschein
Widmann Anna Leibherr	29. Altswalden	Gemeinde Altswalden 18. Gylbna 1864 imb. Zeit zuständig Lyt. Leit. mischel in Böhmen

In the home certificate column, there is often name of the respective municipality, mostly identical with place of birth, district council (k. k. *Bezirksamt*) which issued the certificate, again with date of issue and expiration.

Entries on domicile in Prague may vary a lot, we state only some of them:

Charakter	Geburts-Jahr	Geburtsort	Heimatschein
		Einheimisch	

Mere *Einheimisch*, naturalized, mostly for a native of Prague.

Stamp, confirming obtaining of domicile for household with stating the year.

Einheimisch:
die Familie der Witwer
die Witwe u. die Kinder

ad Z. 1615340. 30/11. d. 12
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Direction Prag. (21)
Einlagebogen. a. l. 1801

Prag 25. 1878
für die Prager Gemeinde
Gebäude auf
No. 27224 71
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Entry confirming acceptance into union of Prague municipalities by a decree of the municipal authority.

Arb. Buch
 Hajan
 Bez. Blatna
 1874/1875
 Koxarovy J. 22.
 Pisek

3. *Arb. Buch*, i.e. *Arbeitsbuch*, working book
 (here issued by *GAmt. – Gemeindeamt – Hajan
 Bez. Blatna*, i.e. issued by municipal council
 in Hajany, Blatná District)

4. *Reisepass*, passport (here issued by
k. k. Bezirksh. Hohenmauth, i.e. District
 Hetmanship in Vysoké Mýto, valid for
 three years)

Charakter	Geburts-Jahr	Geburtsort	Heimatschein
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<i>Weymann</i>	<i>879</i>	<i>Richen burg</i>	<i>k. k. Bezirksh. Hohenmauth 3/1879 189. 1/3 Jahre</i>

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- 1/6. 1913.

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Marselka nije odlozenu
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22/7 913 144 Sm. u Petriuu

5. Data on marriage, breakup or divorce of the head of the household with his wife (in German *getraut*, married, *lebt getrennt*, i.e. living apart, *gerichtlich geschieden*, judicially divorced).

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6. Quite often, references to police files on individual household members are mentioned in conscriptions...

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...as well as references to one's own conscription sheet: *hat eigen Bogen* (has his own sheet) on the first picture, or *Familienbogen der Eltern* and *Familienbogen der Kindern* on the second picture (person concerned is stated also in the parents' sheet and children from the first marriage of a widowed wife are stated in the first husband's sheet).

11/889 806 Scania II Gubbin 892
11/885 54 gab. Soeszig
II Familienbogen der Eltern
11/890 1426
11/895 7 Familienbogen der Eltern 1868 St.
Nicolaus
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Den Datum	Rok Jahr	Obřad Ereignis	Vyřiz Gemeinde	ještější Anmerkungen
498 Křiškovice	1881	Hanus kartoušův František pivovarov		Prstekryje Ticin
	1881	Marie manželka manželka		
	1901 1904	Ota Marie		

Lastly:

Police applications can bring lot of interesting data, however, we have to point out that they do not have to be always accurate (see years of birth counted according to the age stated, gotten by subtraction to the day and month of application, mangled or wrongly transcribed names and surnames, sometimes also places of birth).

More applications can be linked to one family, and, as in case of duplicate applications on the left, they have to be verified and compared because despite all efforts of the then clerkship, data may mysteriously differ.

Den Datum	Rok Jahr	Obřad Ereignis	Vyřiz Gemeinde	ještější Anmerkungen
499 č. k. Vrsovice. 27 V 1909	1880 1881	Hanus Kartoušův František pivovarov		Prstekryje Ticin
	1881	Aloisie manželka Lvičková		
	1907 1904	Ota Marie		