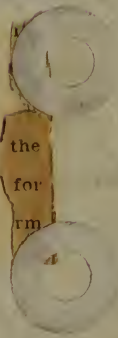


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December 1, 1919

9.10 Mrs. Thayer telephones  
to make an appointment  
at 10.30. to talk over work  
I dept. Would like to see  
Mr. Rothwell if it is convenient  
for him. Otherwise will talk  
to the Sec.

Att. Shain telephones  
regarding case giving inf. asked

Mr. Allman called to explain  
his delay in answering our  
letters.

Miss Swan, Miss Hogan &  
the Sec. worked until 9.

December 2, 1919.

Commissioner Smith  
telephones that he will  
call while Mrs. Thayer is  
here.

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Mr. Raymond of the  
office of Supervisor of  
Administration telephones  
to make an appointment  
to talk over the approp-  
riation.

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Mrs. Thayer & Mr. Rothwell  
in conference.

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December 3, 1919.

Conference at 9 with  
Mr. Raymond in regard  
to appropriation - see  
memo.

Conference with Mrs.  
Barrett Wendell re  
agent for woman's  
work.

Conference with Mrs.  
Thayer re work &  
plans of Division  
of Education of Aliens.

Journal of 1882

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December 4, 1919.

Mrs. Thayer  
in conference with  
Dr. Payson Smith.

Furniture moved.

Requisition for telephone

Miss Anita Asher to  
make appointments  
with Mrs. Thayer

1. Introduction

2. The purpose of this study is to investigate the effects of the proposed changes on the system's performance.

3. The study is organized as follows:

4. Chapter 2 describes the background and the current state of the system.

5. Chapter 3 details the proposed changes and the methodology used for their implementation.

6. Chapter 4 presents the results of the experiments and discusses their implications.

7. Finally, Chapter 5 concludes the study and provides recommendations for future work.



December 5, 1919

Mrs. Wolcott }  
Mr. Galassi } sign  
Mr. Rothwell }

last warrant from Bureau

Mrs. Wolcott calls at  
Bureau

Mrs. Thayer here a. m.

Att. McCarthy re  
case

Letter sent Max Hamlin.

Letter sent Commissioner Smith

Mr. Dine at Boston office

Memorandum of 1871

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Saturday

December 6, 1919

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Monday Dec. 8.

Executive Secretary  
absent (illness)

Monday May 27

Remained in  
Canton (Illinois)

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Tuesday December 9

Executive Secretary

absent (illness)

Miss Oberti absent

All members present

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Wednesday

December 10

First meeting of  
Division of Education  
of Aliens.

all members present.

Ex. Sec. absent a. m.

Miss Hogan absent a. m.

Miss Oberte absent.

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Thursday

Dec 11, 1919

Miss Gorman at  
Adjutant Gen's  
office from 10.3

National  
Industrial  
Conference Bd  
15 Beacon St  
Boston

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Friday Dec 12, 1919

Mr. Varney of Dept.  
of Education in  
conference with  
Miss O'Connor.

Miss Gorman at  
Rep. Gen.'s office

Today the 12. 1919

1st of January

of the year

of the year

of the year

of the year

of the year

of the year

Saturday

December 13.

Mr. Rothwell in  
conference with Sec.  
in regard to  
annual report.

Mrs. Coffey absent  
Mr. Jezerske "

Saturday

2. 1. 1900

The Pottery in  
the garden and all  
the things of  
the garden  
are very nice  
and the  
flowers





Monday

December 15, 1919

Mrs. Thayer  
Dr. Smith  
Mr. Varney  
Miss O'Connor } in conference

regarding future policy of  
accounting etc.

yellow slips to be signed  
by Mr. Crehan of the Dept  
of Education.

All requisitions for supplies  
or personal service in  
future to be made thru  
Dept. of Educ.

Mr. Kline & Twitchell

Mrs. Coffey absent

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Tuesday December 16.

9.30. Mr. J. left to go to  
Court for Adj. Gen: s office.  
returned 10.30 - case cont'd 2 weeks

Mrs. Coffey away from office  
from 10 — 11.30  
in another department (?).

Miss White absent, until 1.45.

Mrs. Thayer - A.M. & P.M.

Miss Barr A.M.

Thursday, 14th

Spent the day in the office  
writing reports and  
attending to the  
correspondence.

Nothing special to report.

Friday, 15th

Spent the day in the office  
writing reports and  
attending to the  
correspondence.

Dec 17. Wednesday

Mr. Querbach. called at  
the office.

Mrs. Thayer A.M. & P.M.

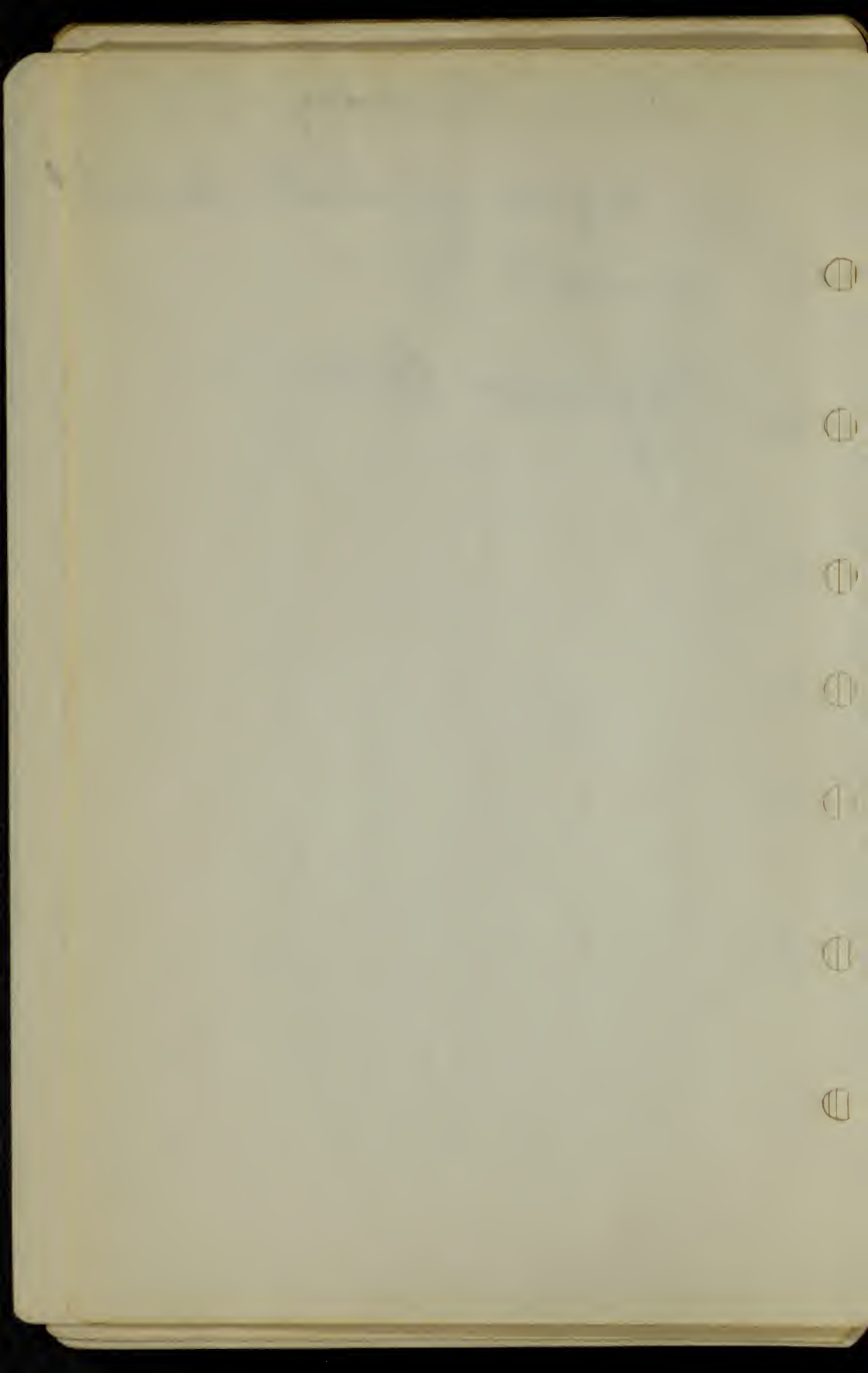
Board meeting P.M.

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Dec 18. Thursday

Mr. Rogers of Inter-racial  
Council

Professor Cole.





Dec 19. Friday.

Mrs. Mahoney -  
memoranda of  
striking cases.

Mrs. Thayer P.M.



Dec. 20, 1919 Saturday

**MRS. NATHANIEL THAYER  
TAKES UP NEW DUTIES**

Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, who was recently appointed by Gov. Coolidge as director of alien education, which includes the former Bureau of Immigration, has enthusiastically taken up the duties of her office, and is bringing to the task the same breadth of vision, patriotism and sympathy that made her services as chairman of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense so effective during the war.

Mrs. Thayer has associated with her Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, former president of the State Federation, as field secretary, and Miss Mary Barr as a member of her advisory council.

Mrs. Gurney will keep her connection with the State Thrift organization, as the two interests can be very effectively combined.



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Dec. 22. Monday

See menus.

Mr. Tully.

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Dec. 23, Tuesday.

Mr. Pinanski

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Dec. 24, Wednesday

Mr. Pinanski.

M. Commonwealth Pier until

9.30

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December 25, Thursday

Christmas day

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December 26, Friday

Mrs. Thayer sees Speaker  
Warner in P. m.

Mr. Twitchell in office

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December 27. Saturday

Miss Bennett of Bridgewater  
Normal.

Memoranda from Mr.  
Mahoney.

Memoranda sent Mr.  
Tully.

Afternoon annual report.

"Syrians" given Mrs. Thayer.

1. The first part of the book

is devoted to the history of the

country and its people.

The second part of the book

describes the present state of

the country and its people.



Dec. 29 Monday

Mrs. Thayer. A. M.

Mr. Pinanski telephones at  
noon.

Preparation on Scalpino

case

Miss Steinberg at Br. office.

Mrs. Adams.

1912

Jan 1st - ...  
Feb 1st - ...  
Mar 1st - ...  
Apr 1st - ...  
May 1st - ...  
Jun 1st - ...  
Jul 1st - ...  
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Nov 1st - ...  
Dec 1st - ...

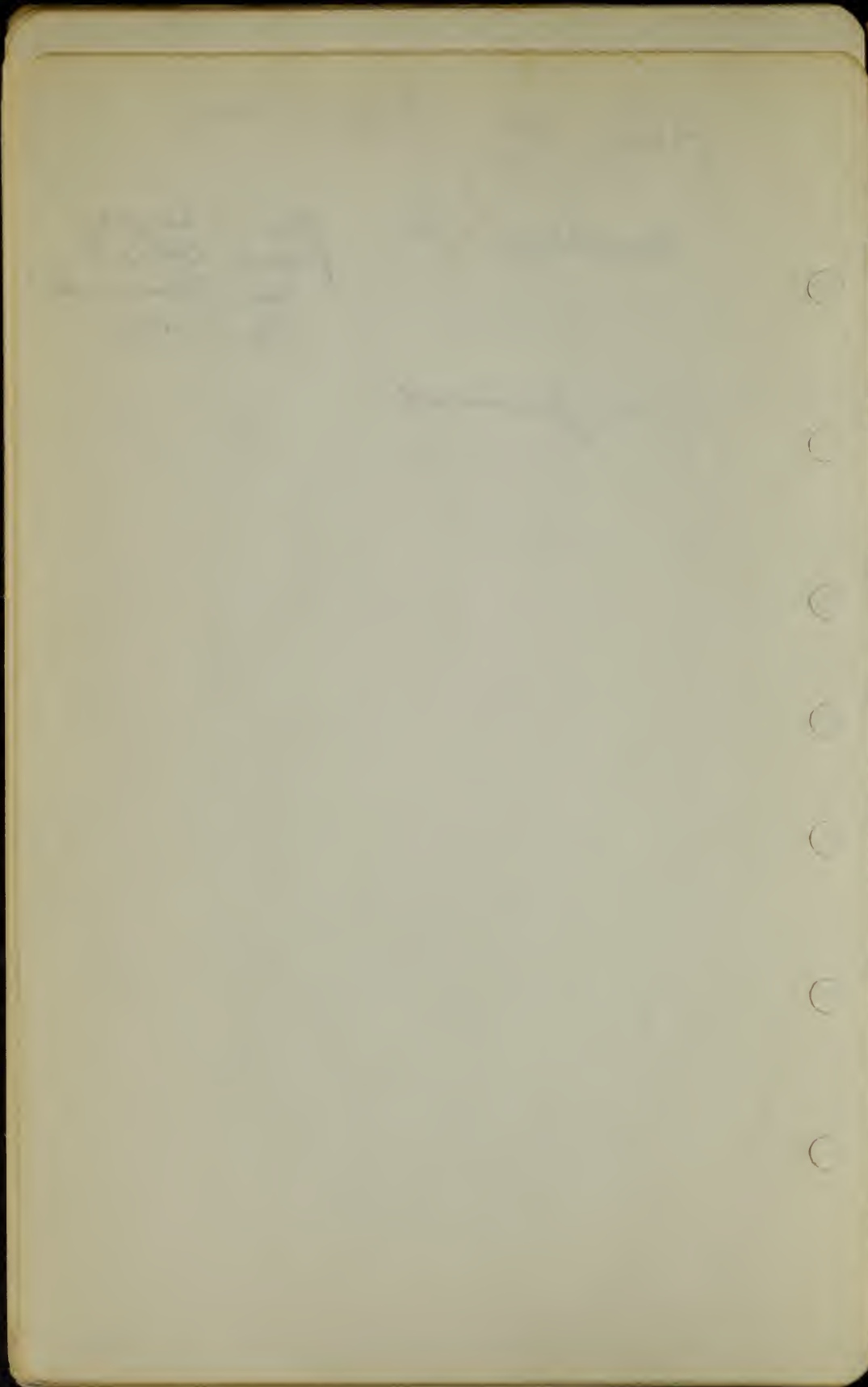


Dec. 30. Tuesday.

Meeting 3.30

Mrs. Thayer  
[Miss Barr]  
Mr. Penanski  
Mr. Tully.

not present



Dec. 31, Wednesday.

Miss Barr calls  
in the P.M.

Miss Kalliris leaves  
the employ of this  
Bureau on this date.

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Summary for December.

2 meetings of "Division  
of Education of Aliens"

1 sub-committee meeting.

Notes of board meeting  
on file.

No memo. of sub-com. meeting

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Mr. Tully to see Sec - once -  
requested memo sent.

Mr. Arnanski to see Sec - twice  
requested memo sent.  
" publicity - done.

Miss Barr to see Sec twice

Mr. D'Allesandro to see Sec twice  
requested alien on Critic met.

Secretary assisted  
in annual report for  
1919 - supplied inf.  
to new board - met  
Canopic - spoke



Memoranda of work  
of agents.

Miss Steinberg.

Cases 13

Eng 1  
Syrian 1  
Armenian 5  
Italian 3  
Polish 1  
American 1  
Portuguese 3

Mr. Jezewski.

Cases 31

Polish applicants 29

By mail 2

Mr. Merenda

Cases 13

Russian 1  
Greek 2  
Polish 1  
Italian 9

Miss Oberti (12)

Italian "

Syrian "

Miss White

cases 28

Italian 7

Greek 4

Polish 2

By mail (15)

Mrs. Coffey.

Evening meetings

Boston

Michael Angelo School

Italian December 3

Washington School

Italian December 5

Blackstone School

(Jewish) December 10

New Bedford

Fall River

Dec. 21

Springfield

Dec 2.

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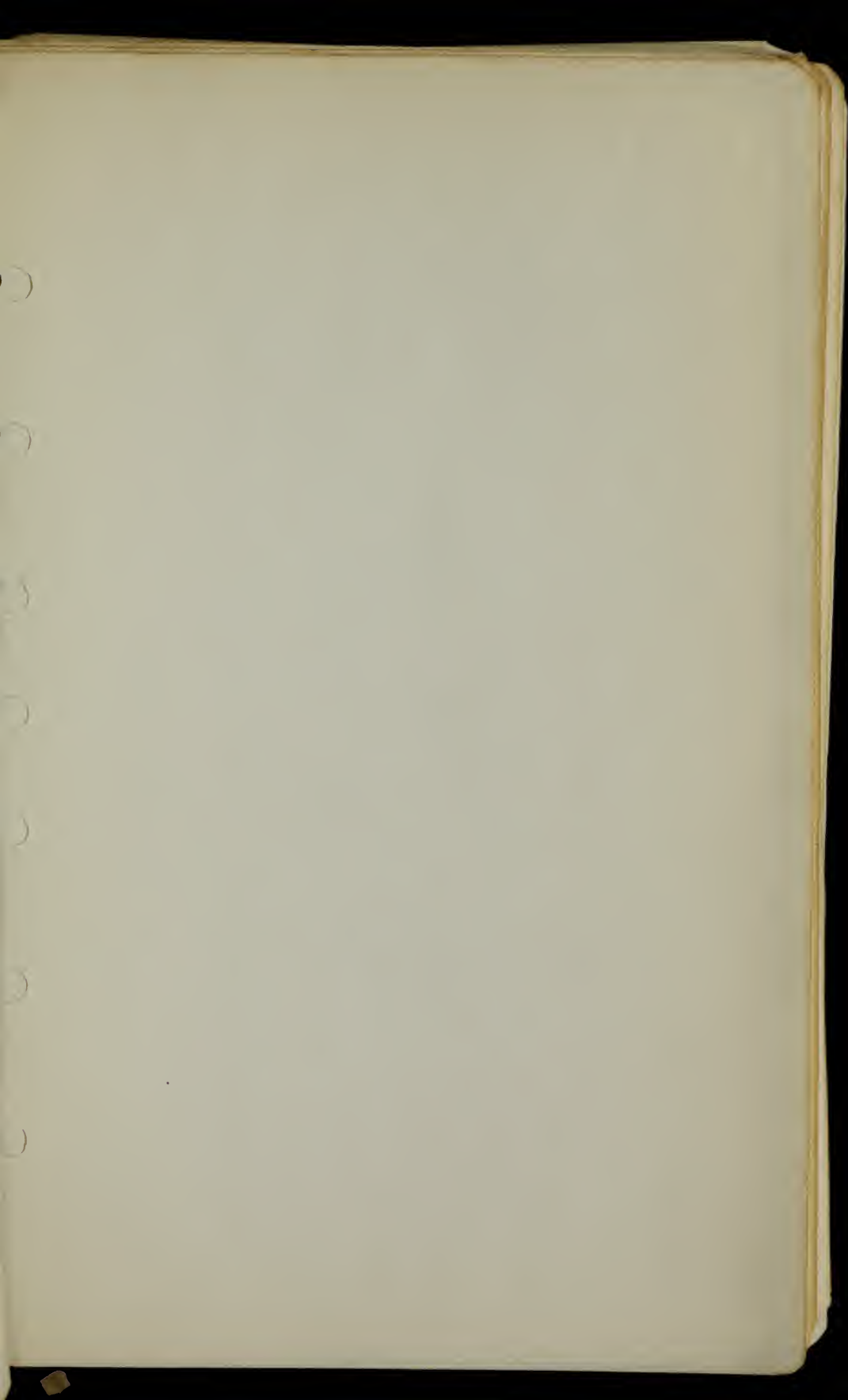
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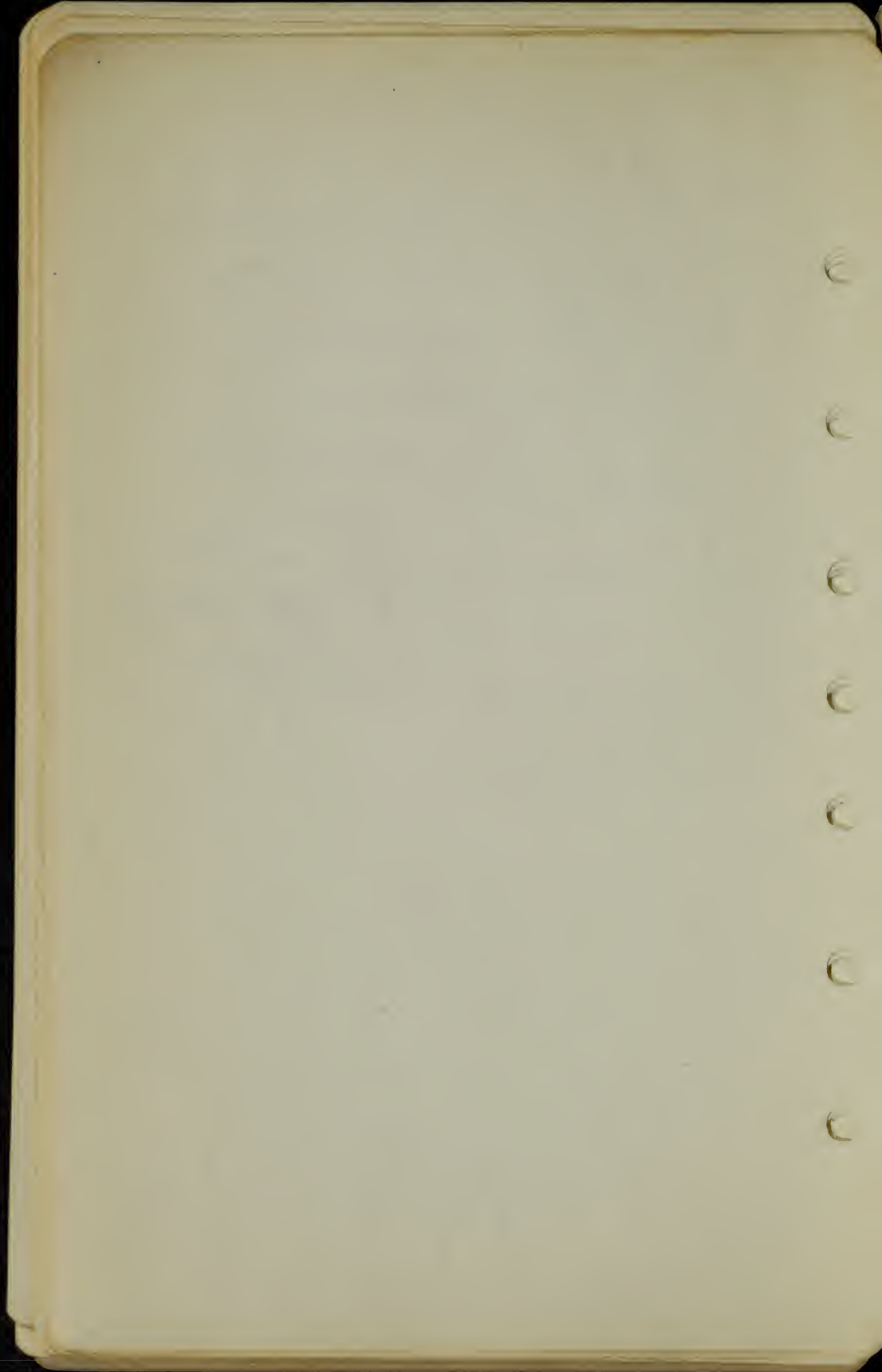
Scalfino convicted in  
lower court for violation  
of Chap. 432, acts of  
1914 - sentenced 15  
mos. in prison -  
bail fixed at  $\$3500$

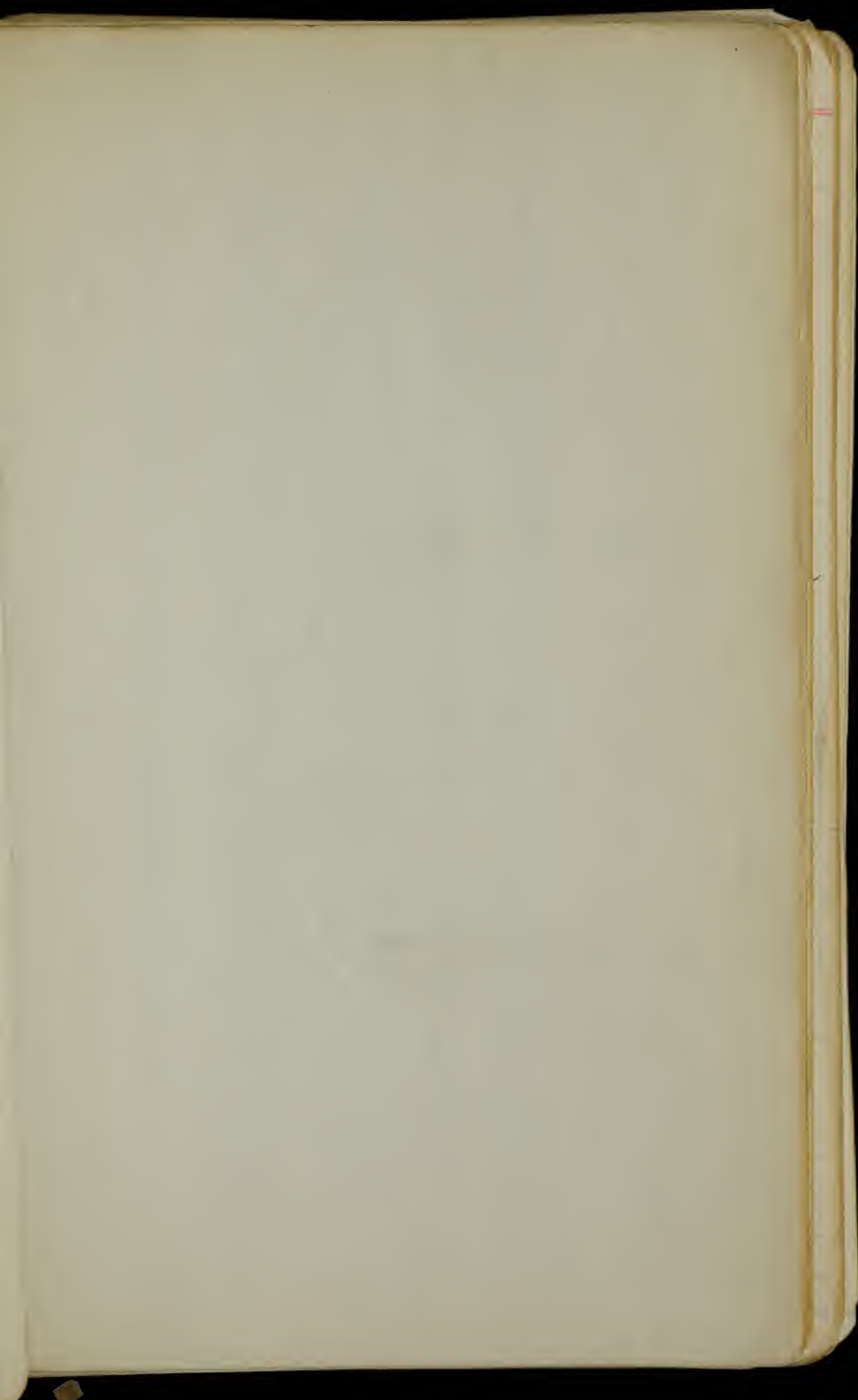
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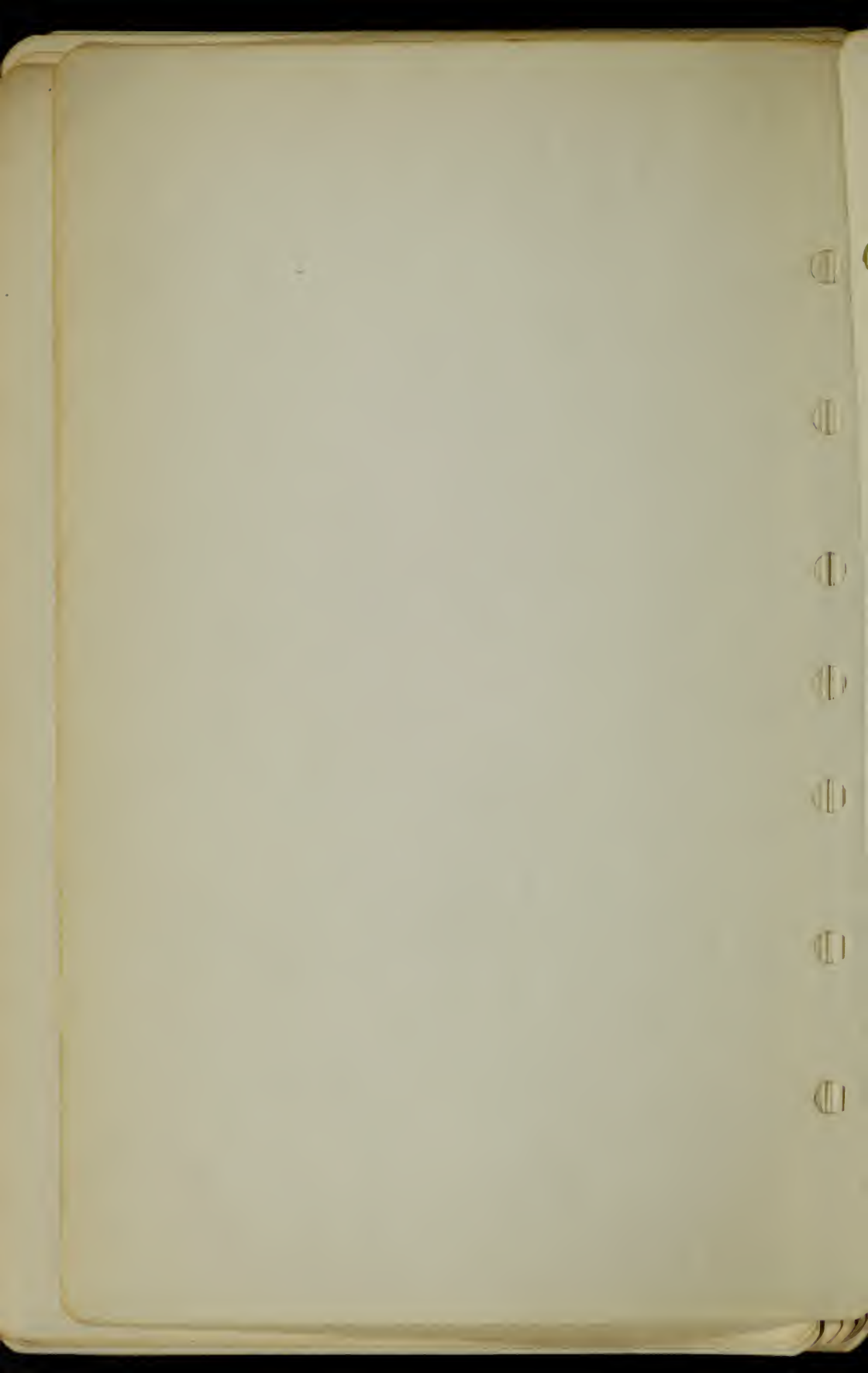
Mr. Merenda also acted  
as investigator for State  
Board of Registration  
of Medicine.

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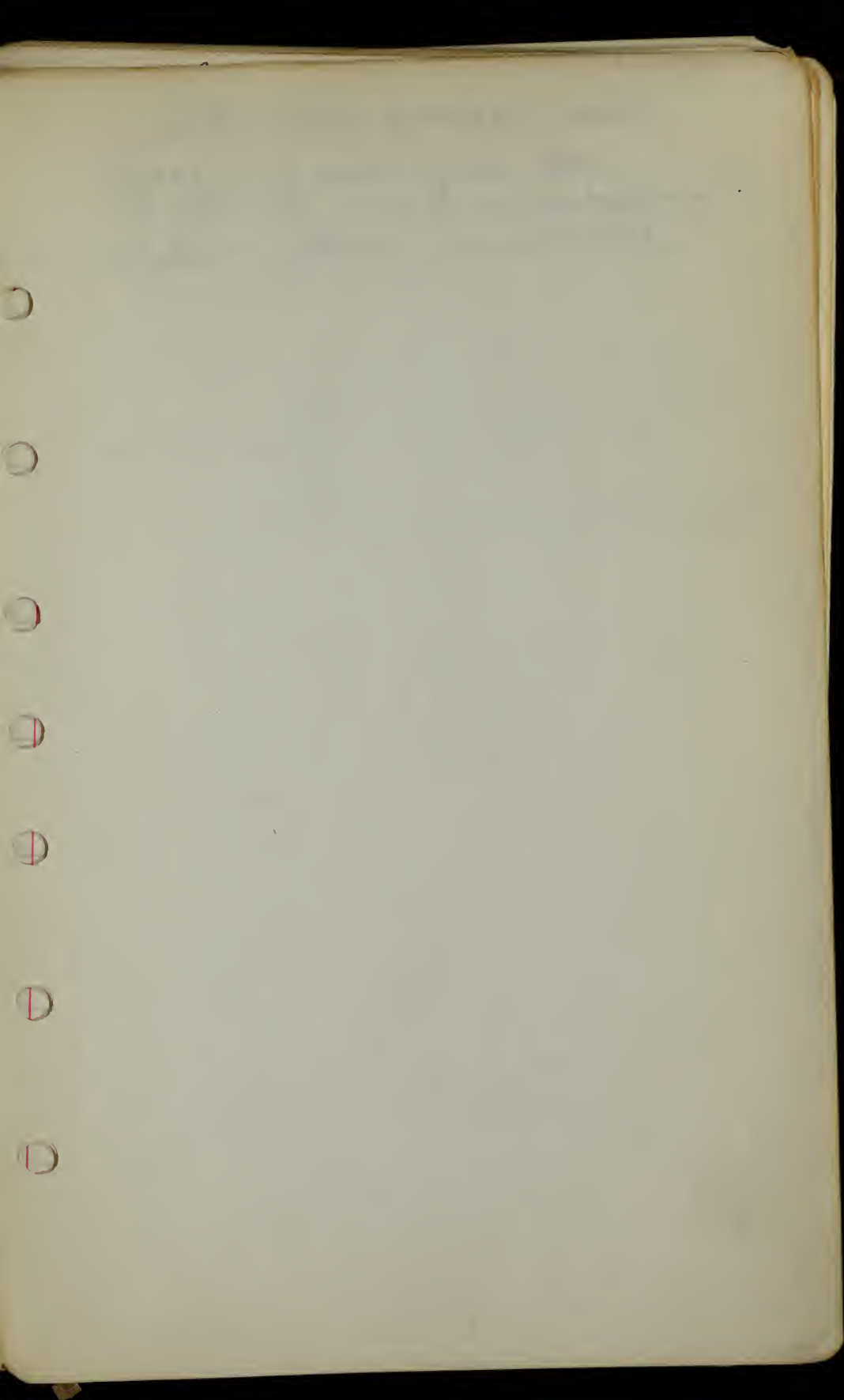
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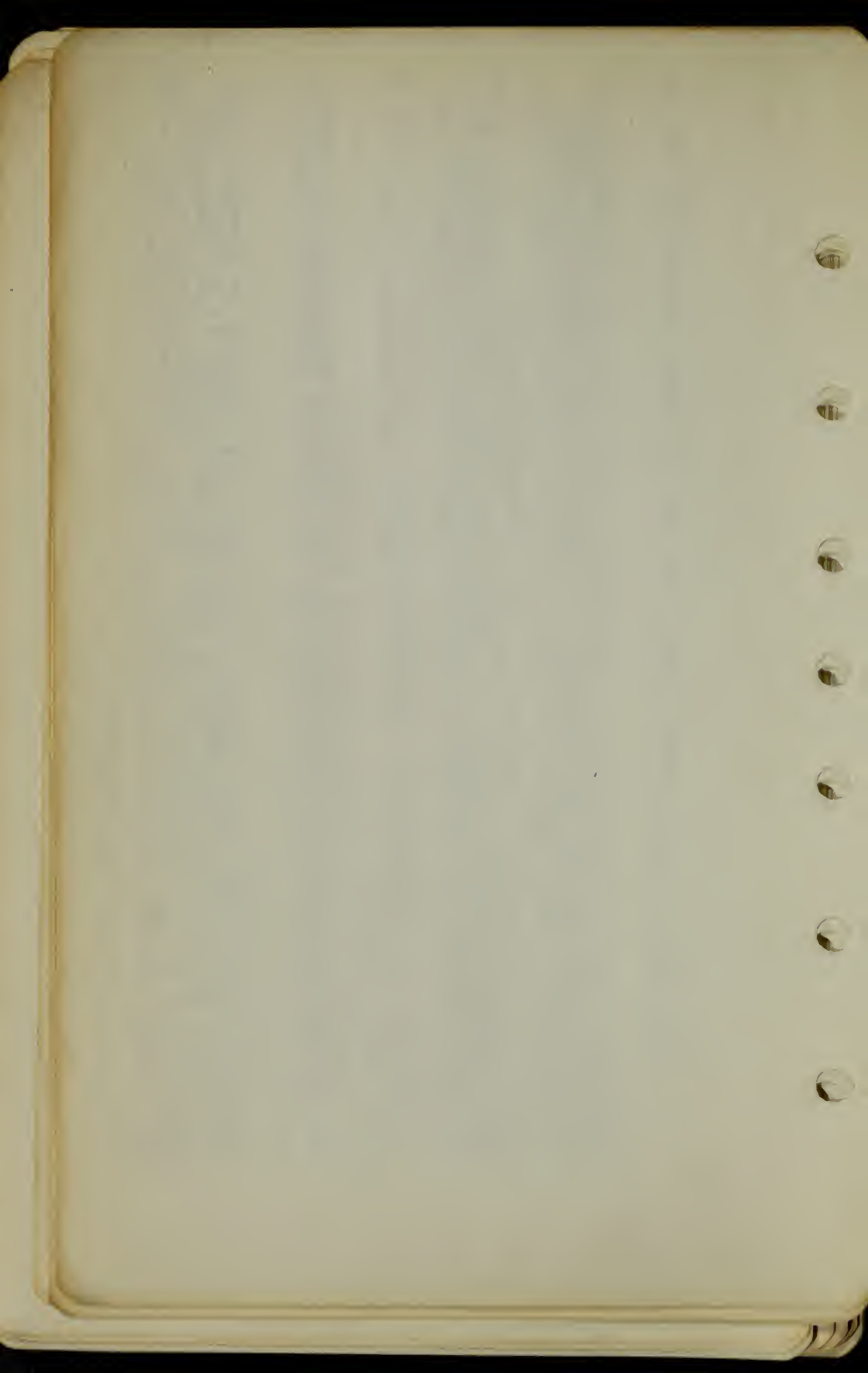
SUGGESTIONS BY MR. DALLESSANDRO.

1. To take care of aliens as soon as they arrive in the country, with the consent of the Department of Labor, so our representatives will be all allowed to go on the steamer before it docks, presenting the aliens with our cards so they will know who is interested in them, then they will naturally turn to us when they get into any difficulty or trouble. This interest on our part shows that we are ready and willing to receive them in the proper spirit.
2. This board will endeavor to have the Immigration Department notify us in case an immigrant is detained so we will have an opportunity to make an investigation and procure bonds for his release.
3. We should endeavor to have the Naturalization Law changed so it will be easier for the immigrant to become a citizen.
4. This board should attempt to have the State procure industrial films and give lectures in foreign languages setting forth the industrial possibilities of this country. In order to insure a good attendance at these lectures notices should be sent to the public schools in the foreign districts a few days in advance of the proposed lecture.
5. This Board should endeavor to have all the industries do their share in assimilating the aliens employed. I suggest conferences to be held with the President and the Secretary of the different industries to impress upon them the necessity of assisting us in this work of Americanization.

SUBMITTED AT THE SECOND MEETING OF THE DIVISION OF EDUCATION OF ALI







Thursday JANUARY 1, 1920.

Miss O'Connor and Mr. Rothwell work on annual report. from 11 to 5.30.

Friday JANUARY 2, 1920

Executive Secretary  
spoke at  
Woman's Club  
Winchendon

Mr. Mahoney left  
Memo for Mrs. Thayer.

Mrs. Thayer at office

Saturday.....JANUARY 3, 1920

Mr. Brackett called.

Mr. Parkinson & assistant  
from Southbidge Optical  
Co.

Ex. Sec. & Mr. Rothwell  
work in P. M. on report.

*Sunday* JANUARY 4, 19<sup>20</sup>

Monday JANUARY 5, 1920

Executive Secretary speaks  
at Pilgrim Women's Club  
Pilgrim Church - Uphams  
Corner, Worcester

Tuesday..... JANUARY 6, 1920.....

Ex. Secretary speaks at  
East Boston Home Club  
at 8. P. M.

At Commonwealth Pres 10 - 2

2.30 - 5 - Chamber of Commerce  
Old Bureau meeting

10 - 11 Ex. Sec. visits  
the North and South  
Station



Wednesday Jan. 7. 1920

Ex. Sec. all day  
at Commonwealth  
Pier.

Thurs. Jan. 8, 1920.

Ex. Sec. at Commonwealth  
Pier.

Mrs. Thayer desires  
the use of a different  
stenographer.

Friday JANUARY 9, 1920

Roman Melzant Esq calls to see Mrs. Thayer. He is interviewed by Mr. Jezewski and no notation given to Sec.

Mrs. Coffey absent.

Saturday JANUARY 10, 1920

Mr. Anthony Plysoon  
97 Green St.

Jamaica Plain  
calls again to see about  
position. He can speak  
a litch & Flemish and  
wishes a position  
paying \$1200 to \$1300 a yr.  
He has 10 yrs. service  
in U. S. navy & is now  
a rigger. The work  
is too hard for  
a man growing old  
& he wishes easier  
indoor work.

Mrs. Coffey absent

Sunday.....JANUARY 11, 1921.....

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MONDAY JANUARY 12, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer  
Mr. Kline

Verification of records.

At

Ex. Sec. - sees Mr. Stratton.

Mrs. Coffey absent

Tuesday Jan. 13. 1920

Work on records and  
report of dock work  
for Board meeting.

Mrs. Coffey absent.

Letter sent to

Camineti for Mr. D'A.

Wednesday Jan. 14, 1920

Bd. meeting

Mrs. Coffey absent.

Unable to send  
speaker for Mrs.  
Gifford.



Thursday JANUARY 15, 1920.

Letter sent to Mr. Kendall  
Mr. Pinauski

Mr. Varney. (inventory etc - see letter)  
Mr. Grechan (see letter Syrains).

Mr. Mubroy to see Mrs. Thayer-  
programs to be resumed.

Mrs. Coffey absent

The Greeks 12,000  
\$60.

Window mended.

.....Friday..... JANUARY 16, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. Gurney  
Mrs. Coffey absent  
Mrs. Twitchell.  
Miss Levy absent.

Saturday... JANUARY 17, 1920...

Miss Levy absent

Mrs. Coffey absent.

.....JANUARY 18, 19.....

Monday JANUARY 19, 1924

Mr. Charles Marshall from  
Plymouth to see  
about cooperation with  
this dept.

Miss White absent P.M.

Mr. Hill }  
Mr. Seanga } in conference  
Mr. Lamels }  
with Mrs. Thayer re.  
programs in school  
centers.

Mrs. Coffey absent.

Telephoned Mr. Stratton re  
B. J. R.

Tuesday JANUARY 20, 19.....

Col Dalton  
Lr Smith  
Mrs. Wilson (Amer. Legion)  
Mr. Luce

} Mrs.  
Thayer.

Miss White absent.

Ex. Sec. sees Mr. Varney  
re requisition

Ex Sec. sees Mr. Greehan  
re bill.

Cangiano

Wednesday JANUARY 21, 1920

Miss White absent.

D) Col. Dalton } Mrs. Thayer.  
Mr. Hannagan }

D) Mr. Bramhall. re list  
of employes.

D) Mr. Sullivan telephones  
re case.

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Thursday.....JANUARY 22, 1920.....

Mr. Bramhall given list  
of employers.

Miss Barr to see  
Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Greehan to see  
machines

Miss White absent.

Mr. D'Alessandro  
calls - brings "Italian  
Emigration" report 1908.

Telegram night  
sent Mr. Tully



Friday January 23, 1920

Mrs. Bagley.

Material obtained from  
American Legion

Miss Swan absent

Miss Walsh "

Miss White "

Mr. Pinanski to see  
Mrs. T.

Saturday

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Saturday.....JANUARY 25<sup>th</sup>, 19.....

Annual report rec'd from  
Supervisor's office -

Taken over to Wright & Potter's  
by the Secretary.

Monday JANUARY 26, 1921

Meeting at 4:30 of

Mrs. Thayer

" Gurney

Miss Barr

Mr. Tully

Mr. Pinanski

Mr. Hannagan - Amer. Legion

Mr. Smith

Col. Dalton

Mr. Zumbly

Mr. — Red Cross

Mr. — Red Cross.

A.M. Mr. McNameara of Amer.  
Legion to get list.

Mr. Sullivan of Worthington Pump Works  
Cambridge.

Memo on Spiegelman case given J  
" " " " " O.C.

Tuesday JANUARY 27, 1922

Dr. Smith has meeting  
of directors of divisions.  
Mrs. Thayer attends.

Wednesday JANUARY 28, 1920

J. O'Brien absent

Mr. Tully telephones  
re no. of aliens in  
Mass. & in Boston

Mrs. R. T. Paine } Mrs. Thayer  
Miss Campbell }

receive list re  
library lectures.

Report for Mr. Smith  
given Mrs. T.

Mr. Varney sees  
Mrs. Thayer re budget.

Thursday JANUARY 29, 1920.

Mr. Dine in the office.

J. O' Bruin absent.

Miss Friedman }  
Mr. Mawson } to see Mrs. T.

Letter sent to Mr. D'A.

Corrected report of  
Rev. of Educ. of Aliens  
sent Mr. Smith

Mr. Marshall of Plymouth.

Friday.....JANUARY 30, 1920.....

Mr. D'Allessandro re  
immigration case.

Warrant signed by Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Walsh Chamber of  
Commerce



*Saturday*.....JANUARY 31, 1921...

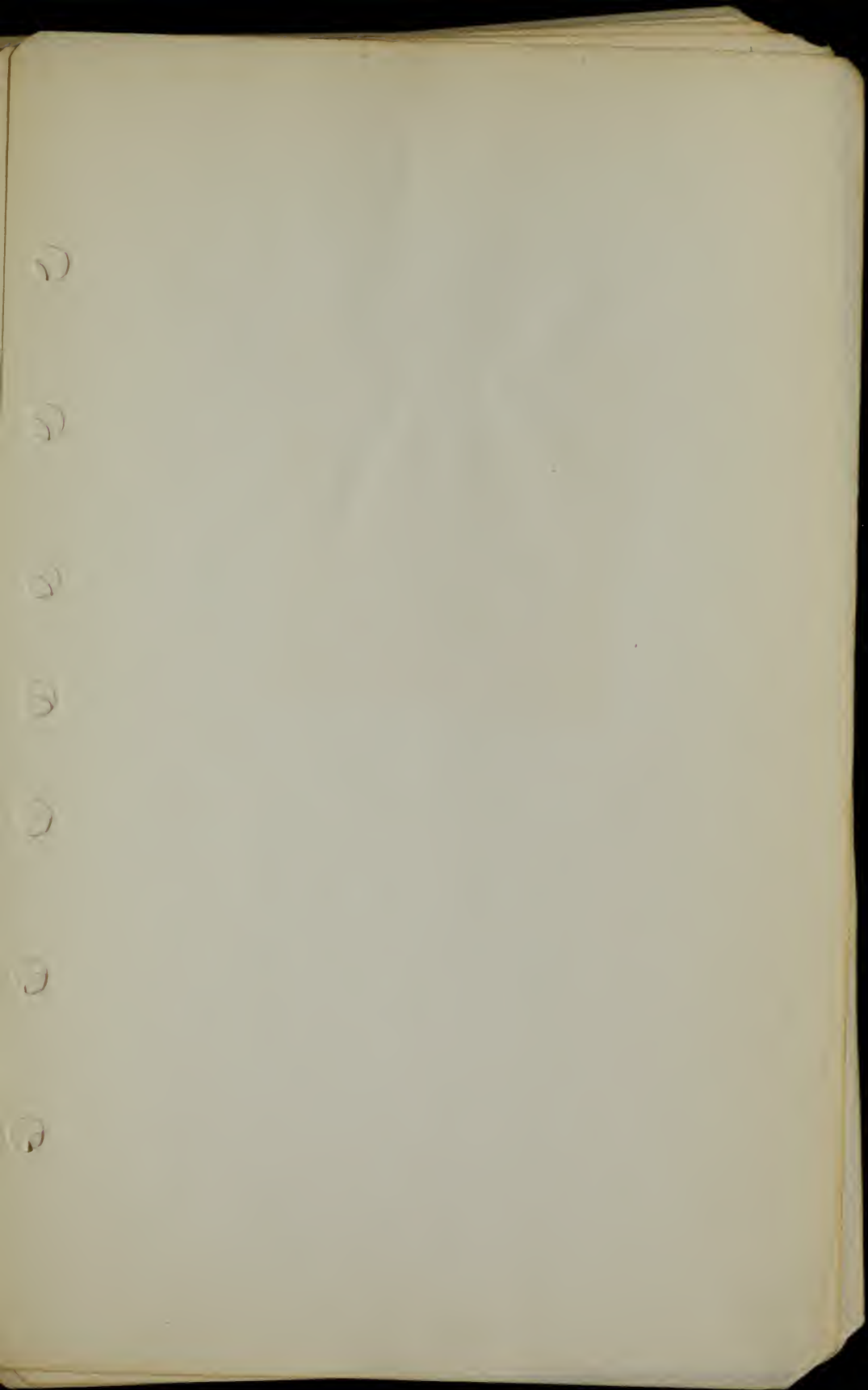
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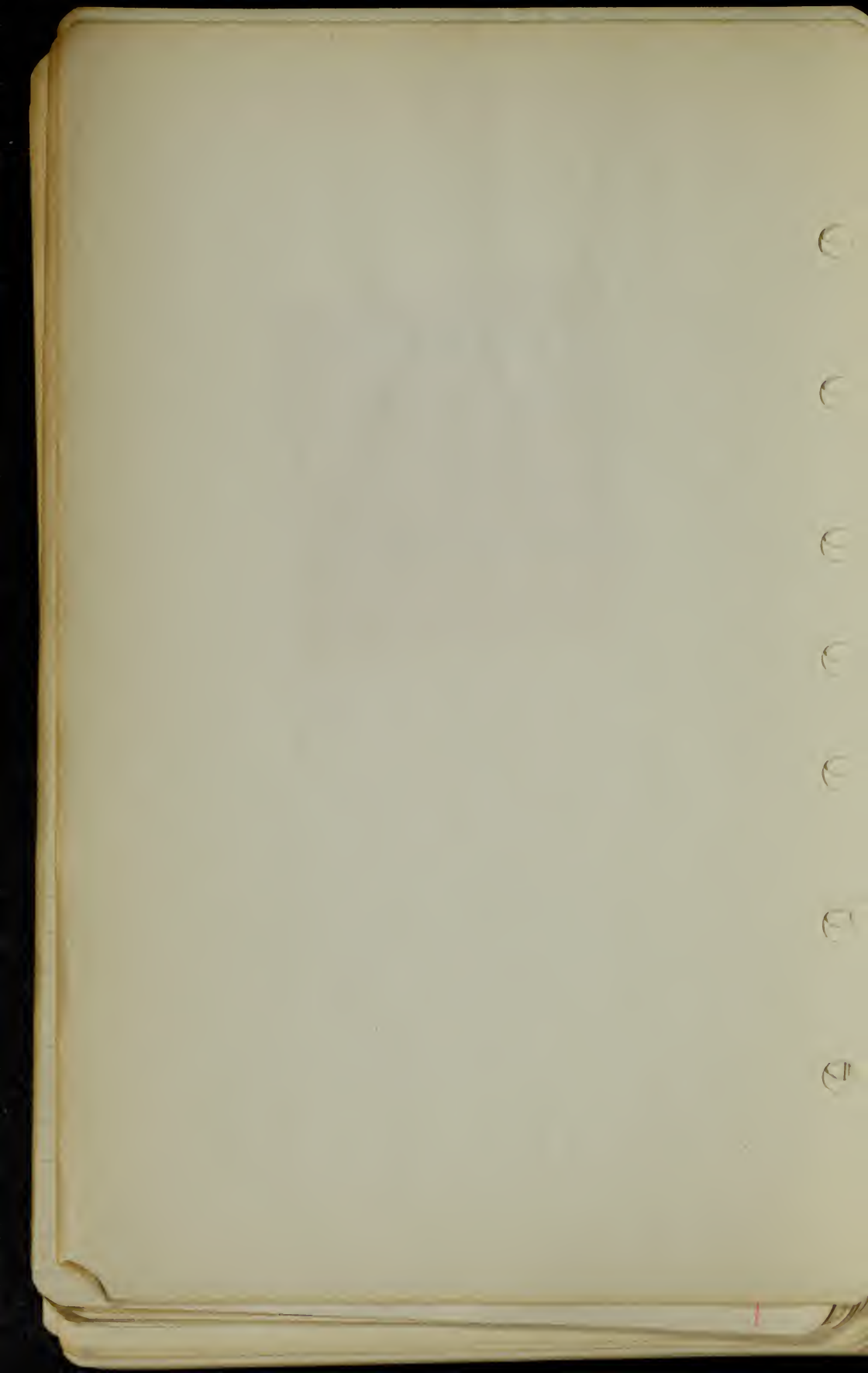
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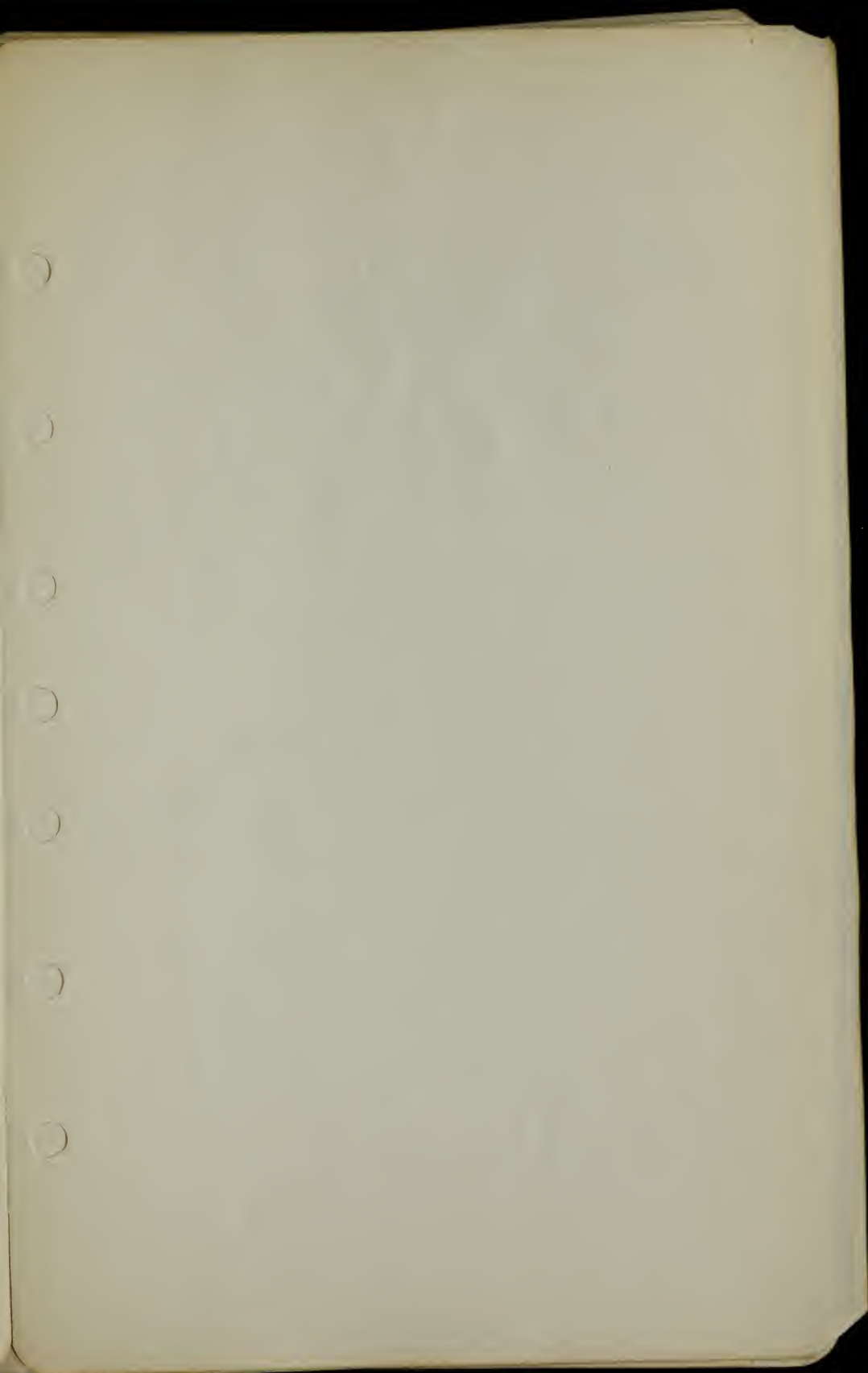
Transatlantic commerce between Boston and European ports showed a heavy increase during January over the same month one year ago. During January, 1920, there arrived 50 steamers and three schooners. In the same period a year ago the arrivals numbered 31 steamers, two ships, two schooners and one bark.

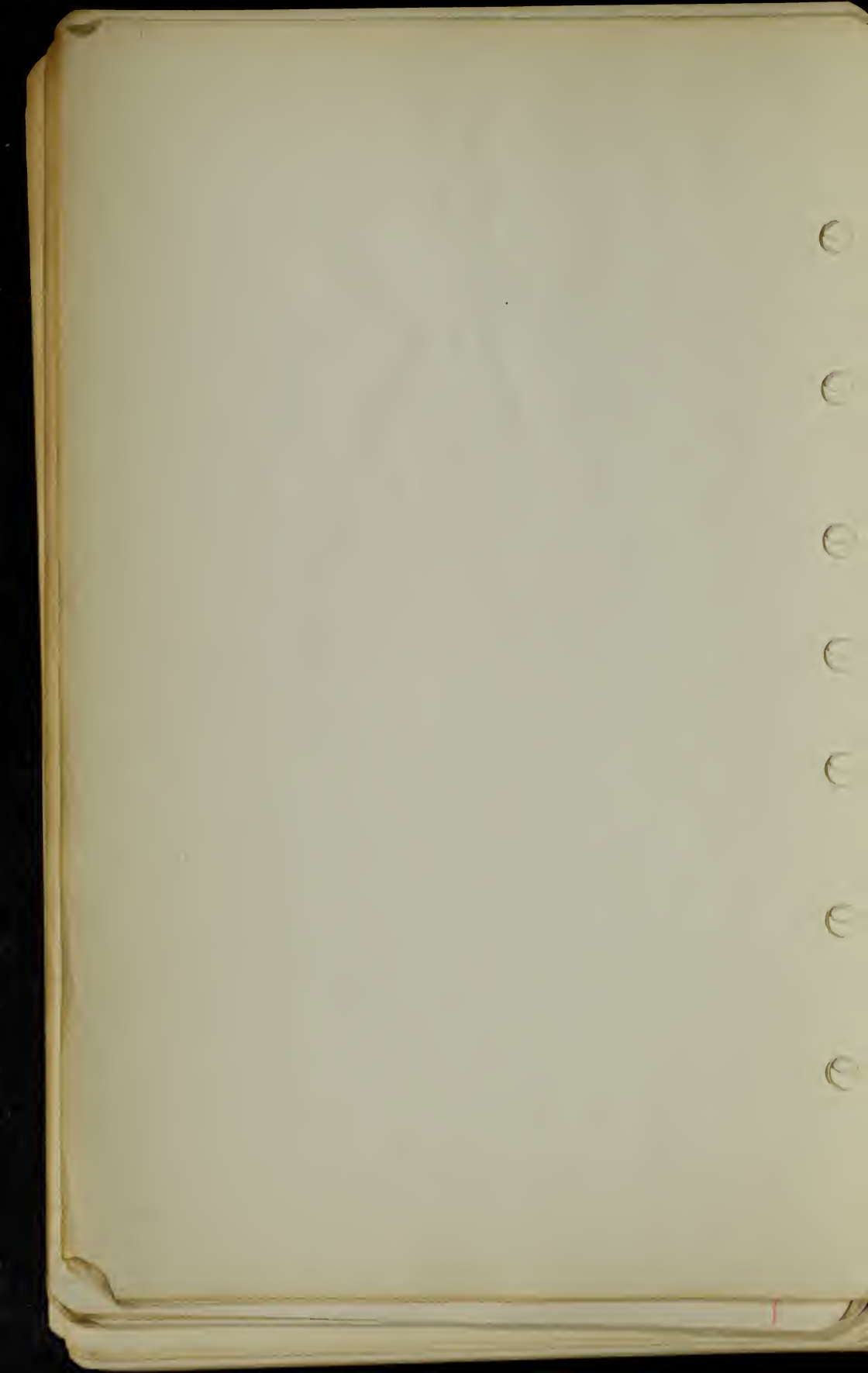
In this year there arrived a total of 2474 passengers, made up of 401 first class, 386 second class and 1687 third class. In 1919 only 108 passengers and three stowaways arrived.



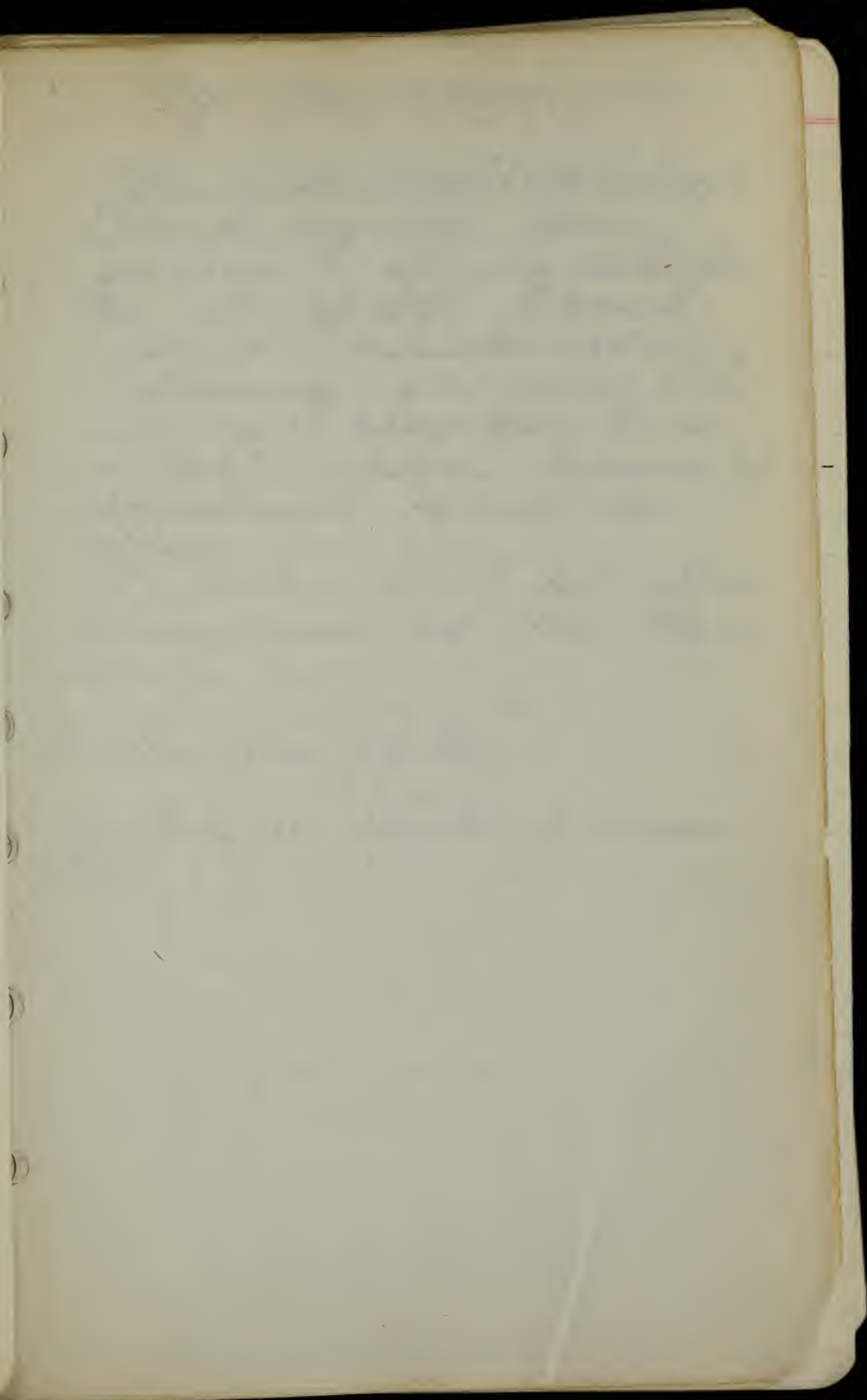


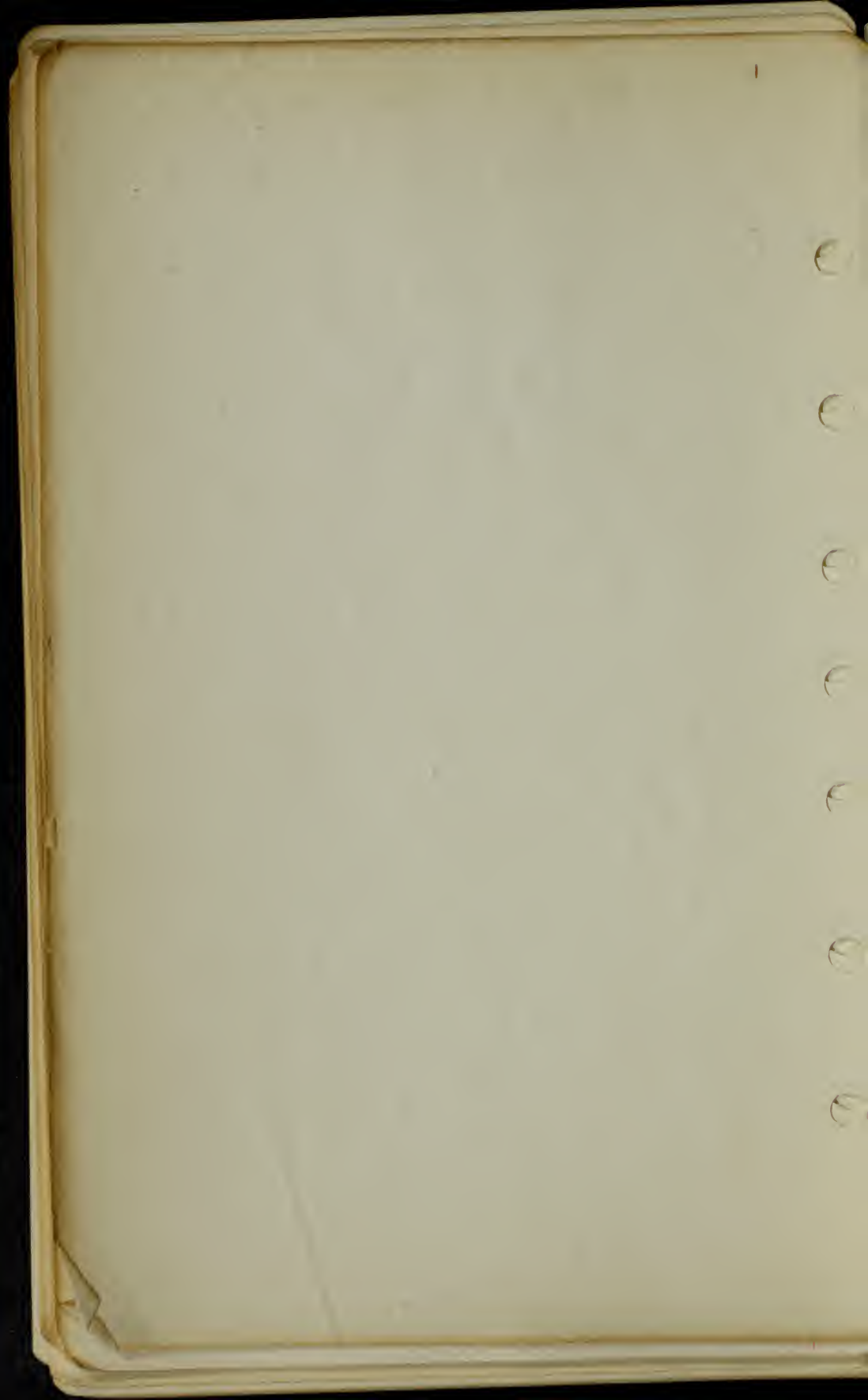












Monday FEBRUARY 2, 1922

The Industrial Accident Board request the services of an interpreter to speak French for 5 minutes at a hearing at 10.30. The only one competent to so act. B.A.J., refused, because of appointment outside the office.

10.40. - B.A.J. left office leaving memo. on Mrs. Thayer's desk.

Ex. Sec. sees J. J. M.

Mr. Stacy re speaker for smoke-talk.

Tuesday FEBRUARY 3, 1924

Mr. Reilly of Civil Service  
telephones re exam. for  
Barkiewicz

Mr. Pinanski telephones  
that he will be unable  
to be present at hearing.

Over telephone Mr. Tully  
suggests that letters should  
be sent to all members of  
Division of Education  
of Aliens re hearing on  
change of name.

Wednesday FEBRUARY 4, 1920

D. B. S. absent.

B. A. J. adj. gen's. dept.

Hearing at R. 448  
on bill to change name  
of Division of Education of  
Athens to Division of  
Immigration and Americaniza-  
tion.

Mr. F. W. Tully spoke in  
favor.

No one in opposition  
Mr. Smith at Ways & Means  
Committee but will return to  
speak on this bill.

Ex. Sec. calls up  
Mrs. Wm. Lowell <sup>Put name</sup> Mr. Mero (reaching his  
assistant)  
Col. Dalton  
Dr. Tupper.  
re New America Club.

Mr. Tully gives Sec. "Statement  
of Maj. F. W. Tully" to be sent Mrs.  
Thayer.

Miss Paris A. Boyajian  
re position.

Mr. O'Connell re detained  
"reds"

Thursday FEBRUARY 5, 1924

Adj. Gen's Dept. B. A. J.  
D. B. S. absent illness  
F. L. " A.M.  
M.C.C. " " "  
J.M. in Worcester.

Mr. McManara of  
Cambridge American  
Legion for  
"Are You a Citizen?" slips etc

Friday..... FEBRUARY 6, 1924.....

Secretary absent.

storm

Saturday FEBRUARY 7, 1920

Secretary absent.

Storm



*Sunday*..... FEBRUARY 8, 19<sup>20</sup>.....

Monday FEBRUARY 9, 1920

Mrs. Thayer

Tuesday..... FEBRUARY 10, 1922.

Mrs. Thayer

Professor Cole.

Proof of "Syrians"  
sent him.

Wednesday FEBRUARY 11, 1920

Meeting of Division  
of Education of Aliens

Thursday FEBRUARY 12, 1922

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. Gurney

Work getting names  
of mayors and selectmen  
for Mr. Tully and  
Mr. Pinanski

Friday.....FEBRUARY 13, 1922.

Mrs. Gurney

Lady from Worcester  
for information  
regarding literature  
on housing

Saturday FEBRUARY 14, 1924

Mr. Tully for information  
re naturalization.

Mrs. Coffey at 585 Boylston  
Street (she telephones)

Mrs. Gurney

Mr. Dine to get printed  
matter for distribution

.....FEBRUARY 15, 19.....



Monday FEBRUARY 16, 1921.

Miss Frances Stern to make  
an appointment with  
Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Lumbly telephones  
to make appointment  
with Mrs. Gurney.

Mr. Penoyer - for material.

Mrs. Adams to give  
names of two prospective  
workers.

Corrected proof "Syrians"  
sent to Wright & Potter.

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Tuesday

FEBRUARY 17, 19<sup>20</sup>...

Wednesday FEBRUARY 18, 1920

Miss Levy abs.

Miss O'Sann re  
Laquidara case.

[Meeting of Division of  
Education of Aliens

Entered in  
error

Miss Barr

Mrs. Thayer

Mr. Tully

Mr. Pinauski

Sec.

Miss Swan

Thursday FEBRUARY 19, 1920

Mrs. Coffey abs.

Miss White goes home at 2

Mr. Meranda abs. A.M.

Mrs. Cooper re position

Friday..... FEBRUARY 20, 1920.

M.C.C. 10.30

Mrs. Thayer signs pay-roll.

Saturday FEBRUARY 21, 1920

Sec. works on  
speech for B.C.H.S.  
in P.M.

Miss Mayhew in to see  
" Mr Merenda  
Miss Oberle re Laguidara  
" White

Sunday..... FEBRUARY 22, 1920.....

Holiday



Tuesday FEBRUARY 24, 1920.

~~Mr. C. C. absent storm~~

Miss Swan absent (illness)

Ex. Sec. speaks at B. Y. M. C. A.  
at Boston College High School.

Mr. Wilson, American Legion, calls with  
letter from Col. Woods <sup>nat. div. A. med. work</sup>, seeking information as to pre-  
sent activities of Council of National Defense.

Letter from Maj. Hannayan

Note. Mr. Greehan says illegal to use paper until  
30 days after bill allowing change of name has  
been signed.

Mr. Hines-ill

Commission of Blind wishes desk room in  
Springfield office.

Mr. Dallas of Univ. Extension Dept. wishes use  
of desk room in Springfield for young woman from  
their dept. doing technical training work.

Mr. Penoyer.

Man from Adj. Gen. Dept collating inf <sup>plant.</sup> on Census  
letter from Brockton which Mrs. Gurney  
answered.

Yes.

Wednesday FEBRUARY 25, 1920.....

Miss Swan absent illness.  
Mrs. Coffey " storm

Mr. Binanski speaks to Mr. Merenda  
re U. C. and confidential exchange

Letter from J. M. Campbell.  
(Mrs. G. sup no act. nec.)

Mr. Twitchell.

Thursday FEBRUARY 26, 19.....

Mrs. Gurney.

Mrs. Putnam to see Mrs. Gurney

Mrs. Laquidara (children taken by  
order of court).

Letter

Friday FEBRUARY 27, 1920

M. C. C. absent.

Mrs. Lurney.

Telephone inquiry from Mrs. ? of  
Bedham re information on aliens  
entering U. S. during war; naturalization  
of Germans; possibility of Ex. Sec. speaking  
in Bedham; inquiry re educational  
Americanization work for women.

Miss — representing a woman's club  
wishes information & adv. on program  
on Immigration and Racial Backgrounds,  
bibliographies, speakers; etc.

Student from Harvard from Amer. nat.

Rep. for fut. of Bureau.

The Liquidators are in office.

Card forms to fill for depart  
of educ.

Mrs. Baldwin of Mass. Gen. Hospital  
re Shaver case

Mrs. Bagley called.

Saturday FEBRUARY 28, 19.....

Letter from Mr. La Pina

Mrs. Gurney.

Mr. Ward - Bonus dept.  
re Vemuto case.

Wednesd

..... FEBRUARY 29, 19.....

Tuesday MARCH 2, 1920

Canopic Clocks.

Mr. Merenda

Miss Oberti

Miss O'Connor

} at Commonwealth  
Prer

Miss O'Connor takes  
Czechoslovak girl to  
Luster in Dorchester.

Ex. Sec. speaks on

"The Problem of the Polyglot  
City"

Boston College High School 8.P.M.

Mrs. Whitcomb of Dedham  
re statistics.

Sec. telephones to Miss Campbell  
re Mr. La Prana's letter

Letter from Mr. Baker

Mrs. Gurney.

Monday MARCH 1, 1920

Mr. Mc Sweeney to see  
Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Grehan wishes data  
re leases etc of Branch  
offices.



Wednesday MARCH 3, 1920

Canopic at Commonwealth  
Pier

Mr. Merenda  
Miss O'berti  
Miss O'Connor  
Mr. D'Allesandro } at Pier.

Ex. Sec - marriage of Mary  
Buccini Holy Church.

North Station

Miss Ferrigan of Worcester  
sent by Mr. Herlihy for  
information re  
"Assimilation"

Mr. McCusker of Newburyport

Letter sent to  
Mrs. Whitcomb of Dedham  
re information desired

Letter sent Mr. Baker  
" " Mr. La Prana.

Thursday MARCH 4, 1920

Miss Barrett of Newbury-  
port.

Mr. Varney says we  
cannot use new  
stationery until March  
26. - the order has  
gone thru to printer.

2nd revise of Ann. Report  
received

Miss E. H. Everett.  
Lady from Wood  
Committee Headquarters  
wishes list of Chairman  
of Council of National  
Defense - told lists were  
property of Mrs. Thayer. Hay 4913

Letter re fees etc. sent to  
Payson Smith.

Miss White abs. P.M. ill

Mrs. Gurney a.m.

Friday.....MARCH 5, 1920

Mrs. Gurney telephones not  
to give out list.

Mr. Serardi from Commission of  
Blind.

2nd revise sent B. J. R.

Saturday MARCH 6, 1920

Mr. Pinanski telephones  
re Laguidara

Mrs. Coffey absent  
Miss Kwan "

*Sunday*

MARCH 7, 19~~20~~

Monday MARCH 8, 1920

10.20. C.  
Mrs. Gurney.

Miss Swan absent.

Tuesday MARCH 9, 1920.

10.30 - C. telephones from F.

Letters from ~~Washington~~.

Two girls from Miss Hill's class - Dana Hall for material on Americanization.

Mr. G. de Wolf -

32 Conant Hall Cambridge -  
material on immigration.

Miss Swan absent.

W. Wednesday MARCH 10, 1920

9.30

Mr. Mahoney  
Mr. Moore of Milford.  
'Wildbaum' case.

### Liner Cretic to Call at Azores and Madeira.

The White Star Line steamship Cretic is en route from Genoa and Naples and is expected to arrive at this port March 19. Eighteen saloon, 277 cabin and 1256 steerage passengers were taken on at the Italian ports, and the liner is scheduled to call at Madeira and the Azores. At least 300 more will embark at each of these stops, so that the steamer will have over 2000 passengers when she reaches here.

Funchal, Madeira, has not been used as a port of call since before the war.

### CRETIC DEPARTS MARCH 20

The White Star liner Cretic is expected to arrive March 20 with 18 saloon, 277 cabin and 1256 steerage passengers, having sailed from the Italian port March 5. Calls will be made at Gibraltar and Azores, where additional passengers are to be embarked.

Miss Moulton  
Women's Municipal League  
15 Constitution green.

Miss White absent P.M.  
Miss Swan absent.



Thursday..... MARCH 11, 1920.....

Miss White absent  
Mrs. Thayer returns.

Miss Swan absent

Appointment with Miss Jacques made.  
Telegram rec'd on Lyon case  
from Finkham.

Letters sent to the Division  
re meeting Tuesday at 3.30

Friday MARCH 12, 1920

9.55

Mr. Querbach } called  
Mr. Wagner }

Letter from E. Van Moorden Co  
given to Mr. Mahoney's Sec.

Saturday

MARCH 13. 19<sup>20</sup>

m.c.c. absent

..... MARCH 14, 19.....

Monday. MARCH 15, 19.....

10. M. C. C.

Mr. Penoyer called to  
see Mrs. Thayer.

Miss Barrett of  
Newburyport.

Telephone from Miss Rane

Tuesday

MARCH 16, 1920

9.30

7:10 P.M.

Board meeting

Mrs. Thayer

Miss Barr

Mr. Tully

- Mr. Mieczkowski

Mr. D'Allesandro

Mr. Pinauski

Saw Mr. Treshaw re  
rooms.

Wednesday MARCH 17, 1920

no. 1000

Phone B.J.R. (report)

Saw Mr. Jones re Polick  
case  
of child in school.

Mr. Pinanski telephones  
re invitation to conference for  
Hazel Newton Co-op. Workrooms.

Commissioner Smith.

Mr. Grehan

Thurs

MARCH 18, 19.....

9.40 m.c.

Moved.

Miss Barrett telephoned



Friday

MARCH 19, 19.....

Amherst

Telephoned Miss Barr.

### 2032 ON BOARD THE CRETIC, DUE TOMORROW

A wireless message received yesterday by the way of the Cape Race radio station from the White Star line steamship Cretic, on her way here from Genoa, Naples, Palermo and Madeira,

states that she will arrive off Boston lightship at 6 o'clock tomorrow morning. She will berth at Commonwealth pier, South Boston, about 9 o'clock. The liner brings 26 saloon, 364 cabin and 1642 steerage passengers, a total of 2032, which while not a record number is the largest to come here from southern Europe for some time.

Sat ..... MARCH 20, 19.....

M.C.C., absent etc.

Miss Barrett returned  
films  
Cretic locks.

passengers not allowed  
to land.

Mr. Merenda } at pier  
Miss Aberti }  
Miss O'Connor }

Sunday

MARCH 21, 1920

Passengers landed from Cretic.

Mr. Merenda

Miss Cherti

Mr. Cangiano a.m.

Miss O'Connor

} at pier

Miss Barr entire A. M.

Mrs. Thayer P. M.

one marriage. Bronco & Fedis.  
Sacred Heart Church.

Monday.....MARCH 22, 19.....

9.45 a.m.

Miss Overti  
Miss O'Connor } at pier  
Mr. Cangraves }  
Mr. Merenda }

Mrs. Thayer P. M.

Tuesday

MARCH 23, 19.....

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Mr. Tully to see Mrs Thayer  
Mr McKibben

Mrs. Chamberlain to  
ask if our department  
sent a representative to  
the Community

Wednesday MARCH 24, 19.....

9.40

Miss Barrett  
telephones re program  
of last Saturday.

Thursday MARCH 25, 19.....

Mrs. Coffey absent her son  
telephones that she is  
taken suddenly ill

Mrs Barrett  
in office.

Friday

MARCH 26, 19.....

M. C. C. Aiken

Mr. Creed.



Saturday MARCH 27, 19.....

M. C. C absent

Mr. Kline.

Sunday MARCH 28, 19<sup>20</sup>

Monday MARCH 29, 1920...

M. C. C. absent.

Tuesday MARCH 30, 1920

M.C.C. absent

Mr. Pimanski called  
Moved to Room 213.

Wednesday MARCH 31, 1920

Mrs. Coffey resigned

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Thursday APRIL (1) 1920

Sec. at West Concord  
Woman's Club.

Miss Margaret Swan  
Mr Alphonse Caugian

leave service  
of Division

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Friday..... APRIL 2, 91 2d.

Mr. Smith gives authority to  
destroy old files.

Miss Levy went home sick  
P. M.

.....Saturday.....APRIL 3, 1920.....

Mr. Dine via Brockton.



Sunday APRIL 4, 1920

Monday APRIL 5, 1920

Mr. Twitchell re change of  
office

Miss Mogan of Fall River

Mrs. Chas. Sumner Bird  
to see Mrs. Thayer

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Tuesday APRIL 6, 1920.....

Rev. Podin from N. Y.  
re Lettish groups.

Wednesday APRIL 7, 1920.

Mrs. Conley to make  
appointment with Mrs. Thayer

Mrs. Gurney P. M.

Liquidara case.

Thursday APRIL 8, 1920.

Mrs. Gurney.

Friday APRIL 9, 19.....

Case re court  
interpretes ref. to  
Col. Dalton

Mr. Tshukhan called.

Saturday..... APRIL 10, 1920

Mr. Kline.

Conference with Mr. Merenda  
Mr. Jezarski

..... APRIL 11, 19.....

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Monday APRIL 12, 1920

Miss Hogan re salary

Mrs. Gurney

Mr. Creed telephones re B.A.J.

Tuesday APRIL 13, 1920.

Division of Immigration and  
Americanization.

354. For personal services, a sum  
not exceeding twenty five  
thousand dollars.  $\$33,934.99$  (asked  
25,000.00)

355 For other expenses, a sum  
not exceeding eleven thousand  
five hundred dollars.  $13,650.00$  (asked  
11,500.00)

Total  $\$36,500.00$

Miss Hogan leaves  
today.

Wednesday APRIL 14, 1920

Division meeting

Wheaton College. Y. M. C. A.

Telephoned Att. Gen. on  
Case..

Mr. Pinanski telephoned.

Mr. Kendall  
Miss Barr  
Mr. D'Allesandro

Temporary stenog.

Miss McClellan.

Thursday APRIL 15, 1920.

Mrs. Conley to see Mrs. Thayer.  
Temporary stenog. Miss McC.

*Friday*..... APRIL 16, 1920.....

Saturday.....APRIL 17, 19<sup>20</sup>.....

*Sunday*.....APRIL 18, 1920.....

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Monday APRIL 19, 1920

Holiday



Tuesday..... APRIL 20, 1920.....

Telephoned Miss Barr  
re appointment.

Wednesday APRIL 21, 1970

rlv. La Prana  
Miss Lally.

Saturday ..... APRIL 24, 1920.....

Y. M. C. A.      See. for list  
letter from Mr. Skeffington

APRIL 25, 19.....

Monday ..... APRIL 26, 1920.....

Sec. in New Rochelle N.Y.  
to speak for  
League of Catholic  
Women.

..... APRIL 27, 19.....

Wednesday APRIL 28, 1920

Canopic docks.

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. Gurney  
Miss O'Connor  
Mr. Merenda  
Miss Aberti } at pier.

Deportation case N. Y. taken up  
by Miss White with Mrs. Thayer

Thursday ..... APRIL 29, 1920.....

Mrs Thayer  
Miss O'Connor } at Pier.  
Mr. Merenda }  
Miss Obert

See Stenog. re new position

Miss White } interview Ex. Sec.  
Miss Walsh }  
Miss Steinberg }

Miss Walsh absent - leaves  
at 9.10



Friday..... APRIL 30, 1921.....

Mr. Dine at office to see Mrs. Thayer relative to transfer.

Dr. Mawson to make app't.

Miss Walsh absent.

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Saturday MAY 1, 1920

Miss Walsh absent.

Sunday MAY 2, 1920

Monday... MAY 3, 1920...

Letter from Mr. Alvine.

Mrs. Gurney,

Telephoned Philip Davis

Mr. Mawson.

Wrote to Miss Barr

Mr. Tully re

Mr. Kendall

visit to M. B. & F. R.

Temporary stenog

Miss Mc-L.

Miss Walsh absent

Tuesday.....MAY 4, 1920.

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. Gurney.

B. Loung Young re case

J. O. B. absent.

Miss Walsh absent.

Wednesday... MAY 5, 1922...

Mrs Thayer  
Mrs Garney

Miss Kolanik to see Mrs. T.

Miss Luscomb with  
material for me to  
look over re naturalization -  
for publication

Referred to Mr. Farrell.

Mr. Sullivan telephoned  
re deportation case.

Mrs. Walsh absent.

THURSDAY.....MAY 6, 1920.....

Miss Walsh absent.

Notices of Bd. meeting sent.

Friday.....MAY 7, 1920.....

Miss Walsh absent

Miss Steinberg absent.



Saturday ..... MAY 8, 1920.

Miss Walsh absent.

E. Boston immigration  
station re case

.....MAY 9, 19.....

Monday.....MAY 10, 1920.....

Arranged stock room

Saw Mr. Greehan re  
Hemigrapher.

Tuesday.....MAY 11, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer visits  
Fall River  
New Bedford.

Wednes ..... MAY 12, 1920.....

Division meeting

Thursday ..... MAY 13, 1920.....

"Critic" docks May 13.

Mr. Merenda

Miss Cherti

Miss O'Connor

Mrs. Thayer

Miss Barr

*Friday*.....MAY 14, 1920.....

**CRETIC IS BRINGING 610  
ITALIAN RESERVISTS**

On board the Cretic, which sailed from Naples for Boston last Friday, are 610 Italian reservists residing in Greater Boston. The men served during the war and are in charge of the royal Italian commissioner. In addition are several hundred saloon, cabin and steerage passengers. The ship is expected to berth at the White Star Line pier, South Boston, May 14.

WASH. HERALD

.....Saturday..... MAY 15, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer telephoned  
re paper  
reports  
loc. cor.  
message for Mr. Tully

Telephoned Mr. Tully.



.....MAY 16, 19.....

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Monday MAY 17, 1920

Letter B. J. P.

Mrs. J. Gurney

Mrs. Thayer absent

Ms. Grechan rel.

appointment of

Miss Lonahue

Mr. Aline

Tuesday.....MAY 18, 1920.

Mrs. Thayer absent.

Mr. Varney relative to  
increases.

Mr. Weed of Lowell Normal  
School to see Mrs. Thayer -  
saw Mrs. Gurney.

Mrs. Thayer telephones

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Wednesday MAY 19, 1926

B. J. R.

W. E. D. W.

Letter from Mr. Long re  
case of Karnig Kavoutjian

Ex. Sec see Mr. Long  
re same.

Mrs. T. at L

Thursday MAY 20, 19.....

Letter re Karnig Javoukjian  
sent to Ellis Is.  
Mr. Long.

Mrs. Thayer at L.

Friday MAY, 21, 1921

Mr. Pennoyer telephoned  
re Mrs. Thayer Mon.  
at Alleboro

Miss Lorr for figures  
for Mrs. Bagley.

Mrs. Thayer at (Lancaster)  
Worcester

Saturday MAY 22, 1920.

Letter rec'd from Ellis  
Island on K. Navoukjian  
case.

Mr. Kline  
Mr. Twitchell.

Telephoned Mrs. Thayer  
re Alleboro.

Telephoned Alleboro  
re Mrs. Thayer.

Frestein of Boston Jewish-  
American of telephones.

Miss White absent.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

.....MAY 23, 19.....

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Monday MAY 24, 1920

9.10

9.30

Miss White absent.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Tuesday.....MAY 25, 19.....

E. Boston Immigration Station  
Federation of workers at  
the port.

Mrs. Thayer telephones from  
Lancaster

Special delivery letters to  
Mr. Kline and Mr.  
Twitchell.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Wednesday MAY 26, 19.....

Senator Donovan telephoned re  
K. Kavoukjian case

telephoned to E. Boston  
re same

Letter written to Ellis  
Island, re same

Mr. Kline calls at  
office relative to leaving

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Thursday.....MAY 27, 19.....

Notre Dame Academy  
Roxbury 7.30.

Problems of the Present  
Play Immigrant.

Mrs. Gurney.  
Telephoned Mrs. Thayer

Letter sent to Mr. Jose  
" " " Mr. Gomes.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Friday MAY 28, 19...

9.03 o.c.

9.05 J

9.05 S

9.06 W.

Friday 11 a.m.

Mrs. Lovett and Sec.  
Republican Committee ?  
meeting.

Mrs. Thayer telephones

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Relative on K. Kavoukjian  
case

Meeting

Miss Steinberg  
Mr. Jezewski  
Mr. Merenda  
Miss White  
Miss Oberti  
Miss O'Connor

Mrs. Thayer absent

Sat. MAY 29, 19.....

L.A.T.

Mrs. Thayer absent

Sun..... MAY 30, 19.....

Olana Hall

"Americanization"

*Mon*

MAY 31, 19.....

*office*



Tues..... JUNE 1, 19<sup>20</sup>.....

Roxbury for  
Miss Barr.

Agencies working with  
the foreign born.

Mrs. Thayer absent

Wed

JUNE 2, 1920

Mr. Merenda absent.

Mrs. Thayer at  
Lancaster

Thurs. JUNE 3, 19.....

Furniture moved  
from Hanover St. office.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Friday JUNE 4, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office  
letter to Mr. Andrews  
given to see by  
Mrs. T.

*Saturday*.....JUNE 5, 19<sup>20</sup>.....

*Mrs. Thayer at Chicago*

..... JUNE 6, 19.....

Monday JUNE 7, 1920

Et Sec. on vacation

Mrs. Thayer at Chicago

.....JUNE 8, 19.....

Ex. Sec: on vacation

Mrs. Thayer in Chicago



JUNE 9, 1920

Ex Sec. on vacation

Mrs Thayer in Chicago

.....JUNE 10, 19.....

Ex. Sec on vacation  
Mrs. Thayer in Chicago

Friday.....JUNE 11, 1920

Ex Sec. on vacation

Mrs. Thayer in Chicago

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**INTERPRETER ROSS  
GETS JAIL TERM**

icted

**Convicted of Soliciting Business for a Lawyer**

Joseph Ross, an Italian interpreter and a bondsman, was found guilty of soliciting legal business for a lawyer yesterday by Judge Murray of the municipal court and was given a six month's sentence. He appealed and was held in \$500 for the superior court.

The evidence as presented by Atty. A. E. Pinansky of the state board of education, division of immigration and Americanization was that investigation of Joseph Merenda, acting for the board, showed that Ross solicited the father of Giuseppe Conforto, a young Italian arrested for murder.

Conforto said that a young man called at his home after his son's arrest and told him he was wanted. He went to station 1, he said, and there met Ross, who told him his boy was in serious trouble and that Ross knew of an attorney who could get him out if anyone could. They went to the office of Atty. Thomas Grady, it was testified, and there after some dickering during which Conforto said the attorney wanted \$800 for the case, Conforto finally got the price down to \$600. Conforto testified he paid the lawyer \$580 altogether on the case.

Ross denied having solicited business from Conforto. He said he had expected to act as interpreter in the case and that his interest ceased there.

Atty. Grady testified for Ross and declared that as far as he knew Conforto came to him through the advice of one of Conforto's friends.

Judge Murray severely assailed "running" tactics in summing up after the evidence and declared that he had no hesitation in finding Ross guilty. He said that there had been many complaints about men who pretended to be friends of their fellow countrymen and who did not prove to be their real friends. Judge Thomas Riley acted as Ross' counsel.

Sat. JUNE 12, 19

Ex. Sec. on vacation

*Sunday*.....JUNE 13, 19.....

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Monday JUNE 14, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer }  
Mrs. Gurney } Conf. with Mr. Smith

Tuesday.....JUNE 15, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Mr. Merenda vacation

Wed.

JUNE 16, 1920

Miss Barr telephones  
re Mrs. Ardolino

Miss Lally

Mr. Weed re Lowell  
appit for Mrs. Thayer

Mr Merenda vacation

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster



Thursday JUNE 17, 19.....

Holiday.

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Friday.....JUNE 18, 1920.....

Ex. Sec. has interview  
with Mrs. Thayer and  
with Dr. Smith.

Saturday JUNE 19, 1920

Mrs. Ardolino telephones  
re runner case.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

*Sunday* ..... JUNE 20, 19 *24* .....

Monday ..... JUNE 21, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster  
telephones re Lowell & Springfield.

Telephoned Lowell re same.

Gave message to Mr. Twitchell

Mrs. Gurney in conf. with  
Sec.

Mr. Merenda vacation

Tuesday JUNE 22, 19.....

Mrs Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney " " "

Mr. Merenda Vac.

Mr. Langley telephones re  
interpreters.

Wednesday JUNE 23, 19.....

Canopic due

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Mrs. Gurney at office.

Miss Barr telephones

~~THURSDAY~~

JUNE 24, 19.....

Canopic due

Canopic held in  
quarantine. First class  
allowed to land A.M.  
Second class P.M.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster  
Mrs. Gurney in office

salary raises come  
from Supervisor



Friday

JUNE 25, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney " "

Saturday.....JUNE 26, 19.....

Commonwealth Pier

Mrs. Oberle  
Mr. Merenda  
Mr. Russo  
Miss O'Connell.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Sunday JUNE 27, 19.....

Miss Sherti at  
Jeffrys Pt.

Monday.....JUNE 28, 19.....

Executive Secretary absent.

Visit to Springfield  
office of Division  
by

Mrs. Thayer  
Miss Barr  
Mr. Tully  
Mr. Pinanski

Mr. Merenda vacation

Tuesday.....JUNE 29, 19.....

Mrs Thayer at Lancaster  
Mrs. Gurney not at office

Mr. Merenda vacation

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Wednesday JUNE 30, 19.....

Division meeting.

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. G. " "

893 Boston  
225 Springfield

Inquiry from Pres. of  
Cosmopolitan Club re  
Maria Marcelle

Mr. Merenda Vac.

Thursday JULY 1, 19.....

Miss Oberti abs.

Mr. Merenda vac.

Mrs. Thayer at Lane.

Friday

JULY 2, 19...

Mrs. Gurney at  
office

Miss Overti absent

Mr. Merenda vacation

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster



Saturday JULY 3, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer telephones  
from Lancaster

Mr. Pinanski phones  
re expense account.

Miss Oberti absent

Mr. Merenda vacation

Sunday

JULY 4, 19.....

Monday.....JULY 5, 19.....

Holiday

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Tuesday.....JULY 6, 1920.....

Miss Barr at office A. M.

Miss Oberti absent

Mr. Merenda vacation

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Wednesday JULY 7, 1920

Mrs. Gurney at office

Miss Oberti absent

Mr. Merenda vacation

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Thursday JULY 8, 1920.

Miss Barr at office A. M.  
Mrs. Gurney at " P. M.

Miss Cherti absent

Mr Meranda " vac.

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Saturday JULY 10, 1920

"Cretic"

3rd class passengers  
inspected by U.S. immigration  
authorities

No baggage at pier.

At pier

Mrs. Gurney

Miss O'Connor

Mr. Merenda (until 3)

Miss Oberti absent  
Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster.

**W. B. & C. L. LINES BOSTON**

Plenty of these  
factory mate-  
d so easily  
ther with a

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length silk tricot gr  
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Friday..... JULY 9, 1920.....

Critic  
"2nd class passengers."

Miss O'Connor at Pier  
Mr. Merenda

~~Miss O'Connor~~  
Mrs. Thayer at office

Mrs. Gurney at office

Miss Aberte came in  
but had to return  
home again because of  
illness



Sunday.....JULY 11, 1920.....

Mr. Merenda at Pier  
See clipping

one on the cheek. Then she stopped to talk with a group of women, who told her that they were going to Philadelphia. Others also talked about their plans. Some were bound for Fall River, others for New Bedford.

#### Presents Photograph

A young immigrant in a gray-green uniform, who had been an aviator in the Italian army and credited with having been the first Italian to enter Trieste after the defeat of the Austrians, gave Signora Ponzi his photograph in his aviator's uniform, with a friendly message written on the back.

An Italian who had on only an undershirt and a pair of trousers appealed to Mr. Ponzi to get him something to wear so that he could continue his journey. Mr. Ponzi had nothing of his own that would fit, so he requested Investigator Merenda to get the man some suitable garments as soon as any stores are open this morning.

Mr. Ponzi belittled everything that he had done, saying that it was but a slight acknowledgment of his gratitude at his reunion with his mother.

"I think, however," he said, "that a way ought to be found to provide for an emergency like this. Here is a situation that has arisen for which these passengers are not to blame in the slightest. It arises from entirely outside causes and the passengers should not be made to suffer from circumstances resulting from causes beyond their control. It is an occasion in which red tape should be eliminated altogether."

#### WEST ROXBURY WOMEN HEAR MRS. H. J. GURNEY

"The Development of Democracy" was discussed this afternoon by Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney at the meeting of the West Roxbury Women's Club. After Mrs. Gurney's talk, there was a short musical program by Miss Gladys Berry, cellist, accompanied by Mrs. William S. Mitchell.

The meeting was held in Highland Club hall, with Mrs. Paul A. Peters, the president, in the chair.

REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Monday JULY 12, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at office.

Notification rec'd from  
Mr. Grechan re  
placement of Mrs. G.  
on pay roll.

Mr. Bartkewicz here from  
New Bedford.

Senator Weeks to see Mrs.  
Thayer.

Miss Cherti absent.

Printing for money tr. complaints  
blanks & blanks for  
use at the Pier  
sent to Wright & Potter.

Appeal filed on case of  
Maria Maciel

Tuesday.....JULY 13, 1922.....

Sec. out until 1.30 (illness)

Miss Levy absent. A. M.

Miss Oberti absent.

Mrs. T. at Newport.

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Wednesday.....JULY 14, 19.....

Ex Sec. on vacation

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Mrs. T. at Newport

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Thursday.....JULY 15, 1920..

Ex Sec. on vacation

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Friday.....JULY 16, 1920.

Ex Sec. on vacation  
Mrs. T. at Newport.

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.....Saturday.....JULY 17, 19.....

Ev. Sec. - at office until  
11.30.

Mrs. T. at Newport  
Mrs. G. " office

.....JULY 18, 19.....

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Monday.....JULY 19, 1920.....

Ex. Sec. on vacation

Tuesday JULY 20, 19.....

Ex Sec on vacation

Mrs. T. at Newport.

.....Wednesday JULY 21, 1920.....

Ex Sec. on vacation  
Mrs. T. at Newport.

Thursday JULY 22, 1920.

Ex Sec. on vacation  
Mrs. T. at Newport.

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Friday JULY 23, 1920.

Ex Sec. at conference at  
Harvard A.M.

P.M. at office

Mrs. T. at Newport

Mrs. G. at office

.....Saturday.....JULY 24, 19.....

Ex Sec. on vacation  
Mrs. T. at Newport

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.....JULY 25, 19.....

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Monday JULY 26, 1920

Mrs. T. at Newport  
Ex Sec on vacation

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Miss Oberli } vacation  
Miss Walsh }  
5 Mr. Jezewski  
Joseph.



Tuesday JULY 27, 1920.

Et Sec. at vacation  
Mrs. T. at Newport.

Miss Oberti  
Miss Walsh  
Mr. Jezewski } vacation  
Joseph

Wednesday JULY 28, 19.....

Miss Connor }  
" I betti } vacation  
Walsh }  
3 Mr. Jezewski }  
Joseph }

3 Mrs. T. at Newport

Thursday.....JULY 29, 19.....

Miss O'Connor }  
" Oberti } vacation  
Mr. Walsh }  
Joseph Jezerski }

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Friday.....JULY 30, 1920.....

Miss Overti  
Miss Connor  
Miss Walsh } vacation  
Mr. Jezewski  
Joseph

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Saturday JULY 31, 1922

Miss Overti  
Miss O'Connor }  
Miss Walsh } vacation  
Mr. Jezuski }  
Joseph }

Mrs. T. at Newport.

.....AUGUST 1, 19.....

Monday AUGUST 2, 1920

Ex. Sec. returns from  
vacation

Mrs. T. at Lancaster Newport

Mrs. G. " office

Miss Oberti

Miss Gorman

Miss Walsh

Mr. Jezewski

Joseph

} absent  
ow  
vacation

Mr. Twitchell at office

Letter sent Mrs. T. re  
calling board meeting

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Ex. Sec. see Commissioner  
Smith re permanent  
appointment.

Miss Tappé Kilinski  
begins work as filing  
clerk and Lithuanian  
interpreter for Div. of  
Immigration

Tuesday AUGUST 3, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer  
telegraphs re meeting.  
from Newport

Miss Overti  
Miss Walsh  
Mr. Jezerski } vacation  
Joseph  
Miss Gorman }



Wednesday AUGUST 4, 19.....

Mrs. Gurney Melrose  
Malden

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Miss Oberk  
Walt  
Gorman } vacation  
Jezierski  
Joseph

Thursday AUGUST 5, 19.....

Ex. Sec. saw Mr. Grehan  
re exchange of  
typewriters  
also  
re stenog. N. B.

Mrs. G. at office. A. M.

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Mrs. Thayer has meeting  
in Fall River at the  
office of the Mayor.

Miss Bahr } unable  
Mrs. Pinanski } to attend.  
Mr. Tully }

Miss Oberle }  
Walsh } vacation  
Gorman }  
Jezerka }  
Joseph }

Friday..... AUGUST 6, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office.  
Mrs. G. " "

Division meeting at  
2:30.

Memo given Mrs. T. re Wildbaum  
case.

Reg. re typewriters sent in.

Ex. Sec. see Mr. G. re mileage

Miss Oberti  
Walsh  
Gorman  
Jezerski  
Joseph } vacation

Mr. Pennoyer called - saw  
Mrs. G.

Mrs. T. sees Mr. White  
re splitting salary of Br. Sec. for  
Br. G. Letter sent confirming  
interview.

Sat. AUGUST 7, 1920

Ex Sec. absent  
Mrs G "  
Mrs. F. at Newport

.....AUGUST 8, 19.....

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Monday AUGUST 9, 1920

Vacation

Alice L White  
B. A Jezewski  
J. O'Brien  
D. A. Walsh  
Mildred Gorman  
Fanny Levy  
A. Oberti

Mrs. T. at Newport

Mrs. G. at office

Letter from Miss Colleton

Tuesday..... AUGUST 10, 1920.....

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Miss Barr telephones  
re bill for expenses to  
Springfield

Miss Oberti calls at office

Vacation

A. L. W

B. A. J.

J. A. B.

D. A. W

M. G.

F. L.

A. O.

Wednesday AUGUST 11, 1920.....

Ex. Sec. telephones

Mr. Langley White Star  
re Canopic

Immigration Station  
re Maria Maciel  
Letter written Mrs. T. re same

Mrs. Gurney at Brockton

Mrs. Thayer at Newport



~~Thursday~~ AUGUST 12, 1920

Mrs. G. ill.

Mrs. T. at Newport.

Friday.....AUGUST 13, 1920.....

Sent letter to Mrs. G.  
special delivery.

Letter from Mr. Zumbly Ass. J.  
to Mrs. T. sent Mrs. G.

Mrs. Thayer at Newport  
Mrs. G. at Wollaston

Saturday AUGUST 14, 1920

Filing material rec'd.

Reg. for files sent Mrs G

Worked on alphabetical  
checking cards.

Filing guides in closed  
case tray.

2 Memoranda to office force.

Gen. checking up.

Mrs. Thayer at Newport  
Mrs. G. Mollastoff

**MRS. GURNEY IS BUSY  
WITH ALIEN EDUCATION**

While most other women are vacationing, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, the beloved War President of the State Federation of Women's Clubs, comes almost daily from her Quincy home to attend to duties connected with the department of Alien Education.

Mrs. Gurney is associated with Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, who was appointed by the Governor for this office, and is keenly interested in the work to be done. The office of this division of Americanization work is in the East Wing of the State House.

Sunday AUGUST 15, 1920

Monday AUGUST 16, 1920

Letter from Mrs. T. to Mrs. G.  
Gwin / Miss Hubbard.

Warrant for pay roll sent Mrs. T  
special delivery.

New numerical guides placed in  
open case file, & special file.

Miss Oberti in on visit

Miss Walsh returns from vacation

Miss White returns from "

Orlandini telephones re case

Miss Barr telephones, re Cath. Settl. House

Telephoned White Star re boat.

Interviewed Mr. Russo.

Saw Mr. Merenda on Holrowolsky case

Vacation Job

By  
Oberti  
Gorman  
Levy

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. G. Holliston

Tuesday AUGUST 17, 19<sup>20</sup>

Special delivery letter sent  
Mrs. T. re letter from Sm. Com.  
on case of Maria Maciel.

Recpt bill rec'd from Miss Barr

Letter sent Bank Commissee re  
advertisement for "First State Bank"

Interviewed applicant Pisano  
with Mr. Merulla.

Interviewed Mrs. de Benedetto  
" Mrs. Medeiros

Vacation J. J. Brien  
Lezerski  
Miss Iberti  
Miss Garman  
Miss Levy

Mrs. Thayer at Newport  
Mrs. Gurney at Wollaston ill

.....Wednesday AUGUST 18, 19.....

Rec'd warrant from Mrs. T.

Gave " " Mr. Varney

Went to see Mr. White re  
Mrs. T.'s letter.

Letter rec'd from Bank  
Commissioner re First State  
Bank's ad.

Telephoned Miss B. re boat  
wrote Russo  
Mrs. Mudeiros re "  
Mrs. de Benedetto

Telephoned Miss Hubbard re  
Mrs. Gurney.

Vacation J. O. B.

J.  
Robert  
Gorman  
Levy

Mrs. Thayer at Newport  
" Gurney " Wollaston ill

Thursday AUGUST 19, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at Newport  
Mrs. Guiney " Wellaston (ill)

## DUN ON BANK IN NORTH END

### First State Bank Pays Out Nearly \$100,000

Hundreds of depositors of the First State Bank, Salem and Parmenter streets, North End, participated in a "run" on that institution last night between 7 and 9 o'clock.

Close to \$100,000 in deposits, many of them Christmas club accounts, have been withdrawn. Outside the bank, which is considered one of the largest of its type in the North End, 1000 persons gathered while the run was on.

It was an aftermath of the Ponzi expose. A recent statement to the effect that a North End institution might soon be closed, crystalized into mouth-to-mouth warnings, resulted in last night's wholesale withdrawals from the Salem street institution, it was declared.

There was no disorder, and as fast as the clerks and officials could work, the determined depositors were given their money. Although the bank's closing hour is 8 p. m., President Thomas Nuttle kept the doors open until an hour later.

After closing the bank's doors President Nuttle mounted a chair on the sidewalk and addressed the crowd.

"I am the president of this bank," he said, and the hundreds were hushed to hear him. "This bank is ready to receive or to pay out money to any and all depositors. Whoever wants his or her money can have it. My assistants are tired out tonight. We will reopen tomorrow and will continue to pay tomorrow, the next day and next month and next year," he added. "This bank is independent and has no connection with any other institution."

Yesterday's Baseball Resu



Friday AUGUST 20, 1921

Canopic docks.

At pier

Miss Barr

Miss O'Connor

Mr. Merenda

Mr. Russo

Mrs. Meduros

Mrs. de Benedetto.

Mrs. Gurney at office.

Mrs. Thayer at Newport

## RUN ON FIRST STATE BANK COMES TO END

### Patrons of North End Institution Are Reassured

The "run" on the First State Bank, Salem and Parmenter streets, North end, halted last night when patrons of the institution showed their confidence in its management by making deposits. About \$100,000 was drawn out in the two days of the run.

It was charged in bank reports that enemies started the "run" by circulating rumors to the effect that the First State Bank was involved in the Ponzi case. Thomas Nutile, the president, declared that the bank has no connection with any other institution. Many persons in line with the intention of withdrawing funds were reassured by piles of bills within the cage, said to amount to more than \$200,000. The bank has a cash surplus of \$500,000, according to officials. Depositors exceeded in number those present to withdraw funds last night. The bank was kept open until 9 o'clock to accommodate the public.

## WOMEN COULDN'T

Saturday AUGUST 21, 1920

Third class from  
Canopic.

At pier

Mr. Merenda

Mr. Russo

Mrs. DeBenedetto

Mrs. Meideros

Mrs Thayer at Newport.

**5000 IMMIGRANTS PASS  
ELLIS ISLAND WEEKLY**

**Department of Labor Announces  
Turn in Tide of Emigration**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 18—More than 5000 immigrants are arriving daily at Ellis Island, the department of labor announced today in reporting that the tide of emigration which set in after the armistice had been more than balanced by the increasing inflow of immigrants.

Only the lack of transportation facilities and the difficulties of emigration from central Europe, officials of the department of labor said, has prevented the outstripping of all previous records during the past year. Despite these unfavorable conditions, approximately 800,000 immigrants arrived in the United States during the 12 months ending June 30, as compared with 141,132 during the corresponding period the year before, and the record of 1,285,349 in 1907.

Foreign steamship companies have reported to the immigration authorities that all available accommodations for a year in advance have been booked by prospective immigrants.

Monday AUGUST 23, 1922

Mrs. Gurney at office.

Vacation

Miss Oberti  
Miss Steinberg  
" Gorman  
" Leoy  
Mr. Jezewski  
O'Brien.

New Correspondence files  
Come.

Mrs. Thayer at Newport

Thursday AUGUST 24, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney " " "

Wednesday AUGUST 25, 1920

Mr. Smith telephones  
re list of Ponzi  
investors - Jezewski's  
name.

Letter sent Mrs. Thayer.  
re same.

Thursday AUGUST 26, 1920

J. Bruen returns from  
vacation.

Mr. Jezuski returns  
from vacation

Letter to Mrs. T. shown  
Mrs. G. who takes it  
it to Col H.

Col H. & B. A. J. re Rouzi

Friday ..... AUGUST 27, 19.....

B. J. → Att. General  
J. A. M. →

Mr. Gomes  
Mr. Lines

Closed 41 cases.

2 citiz. app.  
2 other "

Mrs. G. at office  
Mrs. T. at Newport.



Saturday AUGUST 28, 1920.

2 applicants interviewed :

104 letters dictated  
this week. Practically  
entire file reviewed.

Mrs. Gurney in office.

Mrs. Thayer at New Port.

..... AUGUST 29, 19.....

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Monday AUGUST 30, 1921

Mrs. Gurney at office  
Mrs. Thayer at Newport

Mr. Merenda absent  
Miss Oberti absent.

Vacations

Miss Steinberg  
Miss Levy  
Miss Gorman.

Tuesday AUGUST 31, 1922

Mr. Merenda absent  
Miss Overti absent

Wednesday SEPTEMBER 1, 1920

Miss Gorman returns  
from vacation

Thursday.....SEPTEMBER 2, 19.....

Telephoned Wakefield  
N.H. twice relative  
to Bertha Cardow  
case.

B.A.J. - Att. Gen. - phone  
J.A.M.

Telephoned E.B. 2297 re  
Bertha C.

Mrs. Gurney in office.  
Mrs. Thayer at Newport

Miss Donahue begins vacation

Mr. Keating of Medical Invest. Dept  
requests services of interpreters.

Friday.....SEPTEMBER 3, 1921.....

B.A.J. = G.F.  
J.A.M.

Telephoned E. Boston re  
appeal for Bertha Cardow -  
none possible now.

Mrs. Gurney in office  
Mrs. Thayer at Newport.

Letter to Mr. Penanski  
re Comforto. case.

Saturday SEPTEMBER 4, 1920

Bertha Candow case.

Ex. Sec at Wakefield  
M.H. - arrives Boston  
10 P.M. Sat. - not able  
to get E. B. 2297 on  
phone - spends night  
at Bellevue



Sunday SEPTEMBER 5, 1920

Bertha Caudow case

Bertha delivered to  
U. S. immigration  
authorities

*Monday* SEPTEMBER 6, 19.....

*Holiday*

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## OLD CRETIC AT ANCHORAGE

### Take Precautions to Prevent Entry of Disease

To the great disappointment of her first and second-class passengers, the White Star line steamship Cretic, which arrived at quarantine shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Mediterranean ports and the Azores, was obliged to remain at anchor in the lower harbor when they had planned to land and go to their various destinations. This morning, at 6 o'clock, the steerage passengers will be taken off and transferred to Gallup's Island, where they will be bathed and have their baggage sterilized. The liner will then proceed to Commonwealth pier, where customs and immigration officers wait to examine the other passengers. Late this afternoon the steerage passengers will be brought to the city.

The Cretic brought in 221 saloon, 104 cabin and 1467 steerage passengers. Among the saloonists are Luigi Barra, one of the biggest glove manufacturers in Italy, who comes here to attend a law case in which he has a vital interest; Wendell Clarke, Canadian commissioner to Italy; A. Fresinetti, a wealthy Californian, and his family, returning from a visit to their old home; Max E. Pesnel, travelling oil salesman; Miss Belle Powell of New York, who has been abroad three years studying opera, and Mrs. Edith T. Bliss, a missionary. G. A. Preuss and his daughter, Casol, who were interned four years at Vienna, and only recently obtained their release, are also returning home on the Cretic.

*Miss O'C*

*Mrs. Morenda*

*Mrs. Medeiros*

*Mrs. LaBenedetto.*

*Letter from Mrs. Thayer.*

*Mrs. G. at office.*

Wednesday SEPTEMBER 8, 1920

3rd class from Cretic

Miss O'Connor

Mr. Merenda

Mr. Russo

Mrs. Medeiros

Mrs. LeBenedetto

Mrs. Gurney

at

Pier.

Thursday... SEPTEMBER 9, 1920...

Mrs. G. at office

Mrs. Thayer at office

Miss Levy  
" Steinberg, return from  
vacation.

Mr. Merenda at Immigra-  
tion Station

*Friday*.....SEPTEMBER 10, 192*0*.....

Saturday SEPTEMBER 11, 19.....

Ex. Sec. at office from  
11.45 to 5.45  
working on money tr.  
cases.

.....SEPTEMBER 12, 19.....



Monday.....SEPTEMBER 13, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office

*Tuesday*.....SEPTEMBER 14, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office.

Wednesday SEPTEMBER 15, 19.....

preliminary work on  
budget.

Thursday.....SEPTEMBER 16, 19.....

Americanization  
conference at  
Plymouth

Mr. Tutchell in office

Mr. Tully at office

preliminary work on  
budget

Friday.....SEPTEMBER 17, 19.....

Americanization conference  
at Plymouth

Saturday SEPTEMBER 18, 1911

Mrs. Thayer at office to  
see Sen. Weeks.

Work on budget.

Sunday ..... SEPTEMBER 19, 19.....

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Monday.....SEPTEMBER 20, 1920.....

Mrs. T. Gayer at Lancaster  
Mrs. G. J. at N.Y.

work on budget.

letter from Mr. Tarney.

Mrs. Thayer telephones  
re change of meeting  
members notified

Mr. Twitchell in office

Telephone E. Boston re  
Ames case



Tuesday SEPTEMBER 21, 1920.

Mrs. Thayer telephones  
re app. Mr. Smith

Work on budget.

Mrs. Merrill calls.

Wednesday SEPTEMBER 22, 19.....

Mr. Crowley of Postal  
Savings calls

Telephoned Mrs. Ames  
at North Easton

Wrote Mr. Maynard

Telephoned Gov.'s office re Mr.  
Reynolds - made app't with  
Mr. R. for Mrs. T.

Tuesday.....SEPTEMBER 23, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office  
division meeting 3.

Friday.....SEPTEMBER 24, 1924

Telephoned B. J. R. on Berliant  
case

Sent budget to Lancaster  
to Mrs. W. Hayer.

**MRS. GURNEY  
ELECTED HEAD**

**New England Conference  
Picks Officers**

FRANCONIA, N. H., Sept. 24.—The final session of the joint conference of the New Hampshire State Federation and the New England conference was held this morning at the Profile House.

Officers for the New England Conference were elected for the ensuing year, and short speeches, followed by discussions, were made by the State presidents.

The officers elected were: Chairman, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney of Wollaston; vice-chairman, Mrs. Robert Smith of White River Junction, Vt.; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. A. H. Harriman of Laconia, N. H.

Saturday SEPTEMBER 25, 1920

(Mr. John F. Ames.  
North Easton  
Mr. John F. Ames  
Ames Bldg)

# BIG SHIPS MAY COME TO BOSTON

Transatlantic Liners Want to  
Land Their Passengers

at This Port

*Sept. 27, 1920.*

Boston will soon take the place of New York as disembarking point for passengers from Europe transported by a number of big transatlantic lines, in the belief of Commissioner of Immigration Henry J. Skeffington.

Mr. Skeffington announced today that agents on a number of lines had conferred with him and were so impressed with the local possibilities for handling passengers that he expected a number of liners would be diverted to this port by wireless.

The passengers would be disembarked at Commonwealth Pier, he said, the steamships then continuing to New York where freight would be unloaded and passengers for the eastern trip taken aboard.

"The agent of one big French line called on me today," said Mr. Skeffington, "and was much impressed by the great advantages that would accrue to his line by disembarking passengers at Boston. Before the war we were able to handle more than 100,000 passengers here annually. There is no reason why we should not do it now with no considerable increase to our force.

"I would call in my scattered men from Portland to Providence on the arrival of any ship and would expedite the handling of passengers."

Ellis Island is swamped by immigrants. Inspector are from a week to ten days behind in their work and big liners are being held in port owing to the delay in examining passengers.

"Boston could handle 10,000 passengers a month if necessary," said Commissioner Skeffington. "We have every facility here to take care of a large amount of business and I expect to see ship from Europe

Monday, SEPTEMBER 27, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney at office

Passes sent to Mr. Ames.

Egges case. menus given B. A. J.

Mrs. Thayer see Commissioner  
Supervisor

Mr. Zumbly telephones re  
Constitutions

Tuesday.....SEPTEMBER 28, 1924.....

Budget started and  
checked with Miss Levy

Mr. J. and Egges case.



Wednesday.....SEPTEMBER 29, 1920.....

office closed at 1  
because of I. O. O. F.  
parade.

P. m. Miss Barvell telephoned  
re Greek case at Ellis Is.

Thursday SEPTEMBER 30, 1920

Saw Mr. K. of American Express Co.  
re Egges case

Telephoned Mr. E. relative  
to same.

Miss Gilbody of Secretary's  
depart.

Mr. Honovan of Lawrence re  
T. of C. classes.

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney at office

Mrs. McLean of Lynn  
telephones re inquiry  
for Greek at Ellis Is.

Friday..... OCTOBER 1, 1920.....

Saw Miss Wilson, formerly  
volunteer worker with Lowell  
International Institute, and  
referred her to Mrs. G.

Saw Mr. Zabeck of Polish-  
American Trading Corporation  
notation re interview with  
him attached to Polish American  
cases.

Mrs. Thayer at Springfield

The Laguarda's call. Court has  
awarded them the children.

Egges case.

Saturday.....OCTOBER 2, 1920....

Sec. absent- illness.

Sunday OCTOBER 3, 1920

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Monday.....OCTOBER 4, 1920...

Mr. Gomes in office re  
supplies.

Mr. Farney sends letter  
stating that he will be  
in office Tuesday.

Mr. Reilly telephones

Mr. Pinanski calls.

Mrs. Gurney in office

Mrs. Thayer at Lenox.

21 letters etc rec'd for  
translation from Bank  
Commissioner.

- sent to Barthiewicz  
~~& given B.A.J.~~

Miss Gorman absent illness.

Saw Mr. Grehan re temp  
stenog.

Tuesday.....OCTOBER 5, 19.....

Mr. Twitchell at office.

Mr. Farney sends telegram saying that he will no longer consider position at New Bedford.

Mrs. Thayer telephones from Lancaster re Rep. Bretton to be sent to Northampton Sent. in morning spec. del.

Mr. Birtwell telephones re Koytowski

Sec. telephones Mr. Horwitz Att. Gen. re same. memo on case.

8 of letters mentioned Act 4 taken by B.A.J.

1 given Twitchell

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Mrs. Merrill called.

Mr. Langley telephoned re same.

Wednesday OCTOBER 6, 1920...

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster  
Mrs. G. at office.

Miss C. telephones Mr. Bertwell  
re inf. on Goytowski case

Mr. Twitchell at office.

Telephoned Mr. Reynolds at  
req. of Mrs. G.

Mrs. McLean phones  
from Lynn, re address  
of N. Y. Traveler's Aid

Bank Commissioner  
sends to be translated

1 Italian letter

3 Polish letters

3 letters from Sikora N. Y.

1 letter from Poland.



Thursday.....OCTOBER 7, 19.....

Settlement on Egges case.

Conference with B.A. J. & J. A.

Mrs. Thayer at office

Mrs. Gurney at office.

Mr. Turner - candidate for position  
at New Bedford - comes to see  
Mrs. T.

Friday.....OCTOBER 8, 1920.....

Called Att. General on decision  
re status of woman who have married  
citizens of other countries prior to 1907.

ref. to  
Bankers & Traders

ref. to  
Ballot Law Commission

Mrs. Gurney at office

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

telephoned Jones re Careers

" Twitchell re ballot law

Miss Gorman ill.

Saturday.....OCTOBER 9, 19.....

Worked on book until 3.30

Mrs. Gurney not at office

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Letters rec'd from Grace Abbot  
on Polish American Trading Corp.  
and Union Liberty.

Mr. Haynes of Gloucester

phoned re speaker

.....OCTOBER 10, 19.....

Monday OCTOBER 11, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Q " "

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Mr. Turner to see Mrs. Thayer

Miss Young to see Mrs. T.

Att. Gen. to see Mrs. Q.

Mrs. T. sees Col. T.

Wrote Gomez re speaker for  
Gloucester.

Mrs. Young of Portland Me  
to see Mrs. Thayer.

Letter sent to Attorney  
General re Polish American  
Trading Corporation.

.....OCTOBER 12, 19.....

Columbus  
Day

Wednesday OCTOBER 13, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Mrs. Coffey to see Mrs.  
Gurney P. M.

President of Rockland  
Woman's Club to see Mrs.  
Gurney.

Mr. Carroll of B. U. re  
statistics of illiteracy  
in New England States

Miss White vacation

Miss Oberte ill

Miss Gorman ill

Thursday OCTOBER 14, 1920

Miss Hobbinis of National  
Catholic War Council  
called.

Board meeting { Mrs. Thayer  
Miss Barr  
Mr. Pinanski

Mrs. Gurney not at office  
- speaks at Yahanke at  
L

Mr. Turner at office

Mayor Lunn of Cambridge  
telephones re case.

Telephoned to Mr. Tully re  
appointment for Miss  
Hobbinis

Miss Steinberg to Worcester.

Miss Gorman, ill

Miss White vacation.



Friday.....OCTOBER 15, 1920..

Lunch with Miss Robbins  
at 1

Mrs. Thayer calls at office  
for moment.

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Saturday.....OCTOBER 16, 1920.....

Try to locate Canopus  
Miss Klobbins

Letter written to Att. Gen

*Sunday*.....OCTOBER 17, 19.....

## *Canopic docks.*

# White Star Liner Canopic Arrives with 1513 Passengers and Huge Cargo of Malaga Grapes

The White Star liner Canopic arrived in Boston yesterday from Genoa, Naples and The Azores with 1513 passengers and with 26,780 barrels of Malaga grapes, the largest shipment of the season, in her holds.

The Canopic encountered head winds for the greater part of the trip, and was nearly a day late in arriving in Boston, making the run in 21 days. The steamer sailed from Genoa Sept. 23, and touched at Naples for additional passengers Oct. 1. She carried a clean bill of health, made only a short stop off Quarantine to take on customs officers and a port doctor, and steamed up to an anchorage off East Boston, for a two-hour wait until a change in the tide had given deeper water off Commonwealth Pier. Then she was towed to her berth. While in the stream, she was surrounded by many small steam and sail vessels containing American friends of passengers, and the small fleet followed as she made her berth.

During the past few months, all steamers arriving in Boston from Italian and other Mediterranean ports have been subjected to delays for physical examinations, owing to friction between the American and Italian public health officials, but there was no delay yesterday, as the Italian government surgeons, Dr. Carlo Mario Pertusio and Dr. Corrado D'Alise were on active duty during the steamer's run. Furthermore on the passenger list was Maj. Dr. Alberto Fattori, an inspector-general of the Royal Italian Army.

family, who are making a first visit to the United States, were Conte A. Facchetti-Guiglia, C. sa Olga Facchetti-Guiglia, A. T. Facchetti-Guiglia and Miss Nadia Facchetti-Guiglia and maid. Members of the family said that conditions in Italy were improving, but were far from pre-war prosperity. The count stated that he was on a business and pleasure trip which would include visits to New York, Pacific coast cities and a return by way of Canada. Present plans of the party are to spend at least six months here before taking their departure for Italy.

Mrs. Josephine Clark of New York, who has been studying music in Milan and returns for opera work, was accompanied home by her son, James Clark.

### No Hitch at Pier

Others who returned were Mrs. Teresina Conte and her son, James Conte, of Chicago; Mrs. Elizabeth Haefliger, and her children, Hans and Martha, of Berne, Switzerland, to visit relatives in New York and later for an extended tour of the United States; Augustave Iberty of the Italian consular service, who is on a mission to Mexico, and will visit New York and Washington on the way to his post; Giovanni Piuma of the Royal Italian consular service, who is to be consular agent in Los Angeles; Augusto Borlasca, a prominent merchant of Genoa, Mrs. Borlasca and maid, who are to visit friends in New York and sail from that port later to San Salvador to study trade conditions, and the Rev. Tommaso Cappellino and the Rev. Jerico Bruno, clergymen stationed in Palermo, Italy.

Monday, OCTOBER 18, 1920

Canopic.

at pier. Mrs. Thayer  
" Gurney  
Medeiros  
Miss DeFerrari  
Mr. Turner  
Mr. Twitchell  
Mr. Russo  
Mr. Merenda  
Mrs. Merrill.

Tuesday OCTOBER 19, 19<sup>20</sup>

Miss Shay of Boston  
Public Schools for  
appointments with Mrs. T.

Wednesday..OCTOBER 20, 19<sup>20</sup>.....

Mrs. T. at office  
Mrs. G. at office

Thursday OCTOBER 21, 1922.

Mrs. T. at office.

*Friday*.....OCTOBER 22, 19.....

*Sec. absent*



Saturday OCTOBER 23, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at  
Lancaster.

Father Scanlan telephones  
re material

.....OCTOBER 24, 19.....

Monday ..... OCTOBER 25, 19.....

Mr. Turner at office i

Mrs. Thayer at office

Mrs. G. at office

Mrs. G. at Rockport P. M.

Letter to Father Scanlan.

Tues.....OCTOBER 26, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster

Wednes. .... OCTOBER 27, 19.....

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. G. at office A. M.

J. Scanlan telephones  
re speaking Wed.

B. J. R. phones.

Thursday OCTOBER 28, 1920

Mr. Merenda spoke  
at Newton  
Saco Lowell shops

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Miss G. at office

Worked at home 8-10.45  
on typing slips.

Mrs. Thayer signs slips for  
Supervisors.

Miss Lowney. indust. Acc. Bd.

Miss Sulloway  
Miss O'Brien.

Friday.....OCTOBER 29, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer at office.  
Mrs. Gubney at office

Merenda.

Telephoned Father Scaulan  
re speaking Wed.

worked until 6:30

Slips for Supervisors  
given Mr. Greehan.

Saw Mr. Mahoney

Saw Miss Guyton

Saw Miss Shanahan re  
industries in N.B.

Two enquirers "unknown" re  
exam.

Miss Burton?

Saturday.....OCTOBER 30, 1920.....

Commonwealth Per. meeting

Cretic

Miss Barr

Mrs. Gurney

Miss Steinbug

Miss deFerrari

Mrs. Meduros

Mrs. Merrill

Mr. Russo

Mr Merenda

Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster



Sunday.....OCTOBER 31, 19.....

Telephoned to Mrs.  
Thayer

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Monday ..... NOVEMBER 1, 1920

Mrs. Gurney at office  
Mrs. Thayer at Lancaster  
Mr. Noyes Industrial Sec. of  
Taunton to see Mrs. T. —  
see Mrs. G.  
Telephoned L.A. T.

Miss Power at 1.

See Mr. Greehan re  
stenog for Springfield  
Mr. Varney re safe.

Tuesday NOVEMBER 2, 1920

Election Day.

Mrs. Gurney at office

Mr. Searles Ex Sec. of Blue Sky  
Commission to request Sec.  
to speak at hearing before  
Commission Fri at 2.

Mr. Turner.

Telephoned Mr. T. (mo)

Wednesday NOVEMBER 3, 19.....

Mrs. Gurney at Foxboro

Mrs. Thayer at office.

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See Att. Gen. re Blue Sky  
Commission. Sec. will not  
be at hearing Friday.

Sec. speaks at Catholic  
Girls Club - E. Brookline  
St.

#### JEWETT REPERTORY CLUB HAS MEETING

The second club meeting of the season was held by the Francis Jewett Repertory Theatre Club at the Copley Theatre yesterday afternoon. An address was delivered by Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer, who spoke on "The English-Spoken Drama and America's Foreign-Born Population," a subject upon which Mrs. Thayer is well qualified to speak, for she is director of the Bureau of Immigration and Americanization of the State Board of Education. The meeting was presided over by the president of the club, Mrs. John C. Cabbot, and the concluding part of the programme was a performance of the wooing scene from "The Taming of the Shrew" by members of Mr. Jewett's company.

Thursday NOVEMBER 4, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at N. of

Mrs. Gurney at office

Letter sent to Lithuanian Leg.

Mr. Tully telephones re exam.  
for Field Sec.

Book returned to Underwood Co

Filing

Letters notifying of Bd. meeting

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Friday.....NOVEMBER 5, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer at N.Y.

Mrs. Gwney at office

Mr. Searles of Blue Sky  
Commission calls at 215-  
to ascertain why Sec. is not  
at meeting. - informed of  
decision of Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Twitchell at office

Miss O'Connor 11.45: to  
hear Angelo Patri at  
Essex County Teachers Convention

Miss Patterson of Rev. Farms re  
boat from Constantinople docking  
in N.Y.

Applicant for position of branch  
Sec.

Mr. Greehan asks for statistics

Telephoned New Bedford re  
same.

Telephoned Lawrence.

Saturday NOVEMBER 6, 19.....

worked on statistics for Mr. G.  
Mrs. Gurney's examination.

Telephoned to James Farrell  
and to Mr. Stockwell  
re appointments for Miss Wetmore  
and Mrs. Van Rensselaer  
for Tues.

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*Sunday*.....NOVEMBER 7, 19.....



Monday.....NOVEMBER 8, 1921.

Miss Power calls.

Mr. Knighley, with gentleman  
accompanying him re  
statement as to character

Miss O'Connor sees Col. Walton  
re above.

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Tuesday NOVEMBER 9, 1922

Mrs. Van Kessel  
Miss Wetmore re

immigration statistics  
to see Mrs. T.

Mr. Turner from New  
Bedford

Wednesday NOVEMBER 10, 1920.

Division, meeting at 4.

present -

Mrs. Thayer  
Miss Barr  
Mr. Tully  
Mr. Pinanski  
Mr. D'Allesandro

Mr. Fitzgerald from  
U.S. Immigration re exam.

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Thursday NOVEMBER 11, 1920

Telephoned to Mr. Hurwitz re Korylowski case at request of Mr. Birtwell.

Memo. giving data on what he said re reference of cases from this dept. to that of attorney general on file on Fonapa case.

Telephoned Mr. Smith re list of candidates for examination.

Friday.....NOVEMBER 12, 1920.

Ex. Sec.

Went to Auditorium to  
hear Dallas Love Sharp  
at 2 P. M.

Mr. Gomes. to bring list  
of supplies needed.

Telephone

Letter from Asst. Att. Gen.  
Cabot re stock cases  
referred to Att. Gen. from  
this office.

Saturday... NOVEMBER 13, 1920

Miss O'Connor 10.30.

Sec. sees Mr. Greehan  
re temporary girl

Telephoned Miss Barr  
but couldn't reach her.

Mrs. Murphy - Mother's Aid  
telephoned re inter. Ital.  
& asked Miss Mallowney  
re Albanian & Eng.  
hand book.

NOVEMBER 14, 19.....

Monday NOVEMBER 15, 1920

Ex. Sec. absent (illness)

Mr. Smith conf. Mrs. T.



Tuesday NOVEMBER 16, 1920

Ex. Sec. absent  
(illness)

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Wednesday NOVEMBER 17, 1920

Ex. Sec. absent - illness

B. Loring Young in  
conference with  
Mrs. Thayer

Thursday, NOVEMBER 18, 19.....

Ex. Sec. returns,

Telephoned. Miss Barr she  
will not in until tomorrow.  
will call.

Miss Wright from  
Harvard re field  
work.

Peter Rose

~~Tuesday~~  
~~Thursday~~ NOVEMBER 19, 19.....

Mrs. Gurney absent

Mrs. Thayer at office

See Mr. Grehan re  
requests not filled  
telephoned Miss Barr

lady from Red Cross  
re southeastern Mass.

Capt. Mahoney U.S.A.  
re Bolshevism

rec'd affidavit cards.

Miss Barr telephoned

Saturday NOVEMBER 20, 1920

Mrs. Gurney absent  
Mrs. Thayer absent.

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.....NOVEMBER 21, 19.....

Monday NOVEMBER 22, 1920

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Mrs. Thayer

Mrs. Gurney at Littleton Mass.

Young man from  
Cambridge Post of  
American Legion re  
examination in New  
Bedford.

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Tuesday NOVEMBER 23, 1920

Mr. Turner in office -  
takes examination for  
branch secretary.

Mr. Pinanski to see Mr.  
Merenda. He has seen  
one of the assistants in  
the att. general's office  
and heard of progress  
on cases referred to  
them by us.

Mrs. Bagley to state that  
she believed she did me  
an injustice in her  
opinion of M. C. C. Time  
has proved M. C. C. a  
trouble maker.



Wednesday NOVEMBER 24, 1920.

Mrs. Gurney speaking P.M.  
Mrs. Thayer at office

Miss O'Connell sees Reilly  
re filing clerk exam.

J.F.M.

Thursday NOVEMBER 25, 1920

Thanksgiving  
day.

Friday NOVEMBER 26, 1920.

Mrs. Gurney absent - illness.

Mrs. Thayer at office A.M.

Major John L. Riley  
State Dept. of Ed.  
Grand Central Palace  
10<sup>th</sup> floor  
Lexington Ave 46<sup>th</sup> St. N.Y.

Miss Hobbins. called to make  
appointment with Miss Barr.

Miss Barr telephoned re  
several matters including  
a racial situation.

Mr. Greenan returns req.  
blanks from Civil Service  
for completion.

Ex. Sec. sees J. J. M. re civics  
course.

Miss Shanahan of New Bedford  
says she has 28 factory classes

Miss Guyton requests services  
of B. A. J. as Polish speaker at  
Bost. Manuf. Co. Waltham.

Mr. Smith @ 4.30 wishes message  
sent to Mrs. T.

Miss Power telephones re books on American

Saturday NOVEMBER 27, 1920

Telephone Mrs. Thayer to  
give her dr. Smith's message

Obtain data from dr. R.

telephone from M.B.

Mrs. Gurney to take exam

Letter from Dept. of Ed. sent  
special delivery to Mrs. T

*Sunday* ..... NOVEMBER 28, 19.....

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Monday.....NOVEMBER 29, 19.....

telephoned M. B.

Mrs. Thayer } in office.  
Mrs. Garney }

Dr. Smith to see Mrs. Thayer.

Tuesday..... NOVEMBER 30, 19.....

Mrs. Whayer.

Mrs. Gurney.

Ex. Sec. Saw.

Mr. Grehan re. Ms. Turner  
and temporary help.

End of year.

*Wednesday* DECEMBER 1, 1920



Thursday DECEMBER 2, 1920.

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Friday..... DECEMBER 3, 1920.....

Mrs. Gurney at office

Mrs. Thayer at office

Mr. Twitchell from Springfield.

Two card forms put in use

notices of postponement of  
board meeting sent

Saturday..... DECEMBER 4, 1920...

Mr. Turner telephones from N. B.  
re employment of temporary  
workers - letter sent by him yesterday  
to Mrs. Thayer re same

also to secure first paper blanks.  
Mr. Grehan authorizes employment  
3 worker to begin today.  
75 first paper blanks sent.

Pelafoksky case.

Mrs. Gurney at office

the armistice."

## ASKS CHANGE IN BANKING LAWS

### Allen Makes Important Recommendations

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Monday..... DECEMBER 6, 1920..

Mrs. Thayer  
Mrs. Gurney

**F COMMENDS ABOLITION OF  
DIVISION OF IMMIGRATION**

Abolition of the Division of Immigration and Americanization, and the transfer of the work conducted by this division to the Department of Education, is one of the recommendations contained in the annual report of Thomas W. White, State Supervisor of Administration.

In his report, Supervisor White says that the powers of the Department of Education have been enlarged in respect to Americanization work by recent legislation, and he claims that, as now conducted, the two departments in the State Government are doing duplicate work. His bill provides that the division shall be taken over by the Department of Education, and shall be known as the Bureau of Immigration and Americanization.

.....DECEMBER 7, 19.....

Blank for supervisor  
given Mrs. G.

" Mr. Turner writes re Carreiro  
Mrs. T. answers

" Mrs. T.  
Mrs. G.

Wednesday DECEMBER 8, 1920

James Jackson to see Mrs. T.

Mrs. T.  
Mrs. G.

Ex Sec. asks Mrs. Greehan  
to extend time for Miss C.

Meeting with { Mr. Merenda  
Mr. Jezewski  
Mrs. Overt  
Miss White  
Miss Steinberg

re new cards.

Mr. Jezewski found it necessary to  
leave conf. in 5 minutes to  
keep an appointment.

Thursday DECEMBER 9, 1920

Secretary absent (illness)



Friday..... DECEMBER 10, 19.....

Canopic locks at Commonwealth  
Pier.

Mrs. Thayer

At pier

Mrs. Gurney

Miss Barr

Mr. Merenda

Miss Oberti

Miss de Ferrari

Mr. Russo

Mrs. Medeiros

Harvard students with Miss Wright.

Saturday DECEMBER 11, 1920

Mr. Merenda at pier.  
Miss de Ferrari  
to help detained immigrants  
with baggage.

Sunday DECEMBER 12, 1920

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Monday DECEMBER 13, 1920.

Mrs. Thayer absent (illness)

Mrs. Gurney at office

(Mr. Turner to see Mrs. Thayer

Telephoned Mrs. McDaniel

Saw Miss Curtis of  
Women's Educ. of Ind. U.

Translations rec'd from Bank  
Commissioner

Tuesday DECEMBER 14, 1920.

Mrs. Thayer absent (illness)  
Mrs. Gurney at office.

Mrs. Patterson of Beverly re  
Lithuanian immigration

Mahanna re case

Miss B.

work on statistics

Wednesday DECEMBER 15, 19.....

Miss Lally

Board meeting at 4

Miss Thayer

Mr. Perkins

Mr. Muzzey

Miss Lally

.....DECEMBER 16, 19.....

Mrs Thayer at office

Mr. Tully telephones  
re report  
re legislation  
re examination

Newton Centre Woman's Club

On Wednesday at 3 P. M. in the Baptist Church vestry, the class in American Citizenship will meet under the direction of Miss Margaret McGill of the Newton High School. On Thursday, December 16 at 10.30 A. M. in Bray Hall, Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney will present the work of the Division of Immigration and Americanization at a meeting arranged by the social service committee, Mrs. A. Dudley Dowd, chairman.

East Boston Immigration Station  
to see Mr. Macomber, Ass't Commr.  
who stated that Mr. Russo  
has been at the Station for  
several days - complaints re  
runners. He told Civ. Com.  
that he wished to see report on case  
as agent of Division and that, under  
certain circumstances our "attorney"  
Mr. Merenda would enter an appeal.

S. Boston Mr. Tully's Americanization  
meeting. 8-10.

Friday

DECEMBER 17, 19.....

Boston City Federation

Immigration is the subject assigned for the meeting to be held at the rooms of the New England Woman's Club on Friday, Dec. 17, at 10.30 A. M. The work of the Massachusetts Division of Immigration and Americanization will be presented by Mrs. Herbert J. Gurney, field secretary and Japanese Immigration, by Roy H. Akagi, A. M., Thayer Fellow in History, Harvard University.



Saturday DECEMBER 18, 19.....

Neither Mrs. T. or Mrs. S. in office.

Mr. Tully telephones.

*Sunday* DECEMBER 19, 19.....

Monday DECEMBER 20, 1920

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney at office

Tuesday DECEMBER 21, 1922

Ex. Secretary at Beverley on  
Albert case

Telephoned to Beverley twice  
in A. M.

Wednesday DECEMBER 22, 1920

"Cretic" docks at Commonwealth  
Pier.

Mrs. Thayer

Mrs. Gurney

Miss Barr

**MANY IMMIGRANTS  
ON WAY TO BOSTON**

Another big throng of immigrants from southern Europe, coming to America to better their condition, before the gates are closed to new-comers, will arrive in Boston on Dec. 22 aboard the White Star line steamship Cretic, now on the way from Genoa and Naples. From these ports she brings 45 saloon, 325 second class and 1451 steerage passengers.

Miss de Ferrari

Mr. Russo

Miss O'Connor

Miss Steinberg

Miss Oberti

Mr. Merenda.

Thursday..... DECEMBER 23, 1920.....

Mrs. Thayer at office  
Mrs. Gurney at office.

Statement for Monthly Bulletin  
of Mr. Bramhall prepared for  
Mrs. Thayer.

Revised statistics given Mrs. Thayer.

Mr. Russo telephones suggesting  
that some one be sent to  
the Immigrants Home.

7 E. Boston  
Station

Miss Oberti sent to Immigrants Home  
Mrs. Merenda at pier to help with  
baggage  
Miss Ili Ferrari at Pier

Friday.....DECEMBER 24, 1924.....

Office closed at 12  
party at Mrs. Thayer's

.....DECEMBER 25, 19.....

*Holiday*



.....DECEMBER 26, 19.....

Sunday

Mon.....DECEMBER 27, 19.....

Secretary: absent.....

Tues

DECEMBER 28, 19.....

Secretary absent

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DECEMBER 29 19.....

Sec. absent .....

*Thurs*..... DECEMBER 30, 19.....

Sec. absent .....

*Friday*.....DECEMBER 31, 1920.....

*Secretary absent.*

PLAN OF AMERICANIZATIONWORK OF STATE FEDERATION.

BE FRIENDLY

1. Invite foreign born women to visit our club-house. Plan entertainments in which native born and foreign born participate. Have exhibitions of handicrafts and cookery. Follow up by visiting the new friends and become acquainted with them and their families.

K (W) have held nearly a hundred of these meetings in different parts of the state. (I speak at ne in Quincy tomorrow) Newton-Wakefield Lynn Greenfield and Springfield have had remarkable success this year

TEACH ENGLISH

Form classes to learn how to teach foreign born women. Pay for trained teachers. (While we work particularly with women many classes admit men)

3. (FORM MOTHER CRAFT CLASSES AMONG THE GIRLS.

(We are doing this among all girls and older for coming to work in our book and methods of teaching from many states - CANADA - England and Sicily.

4. COMMUNITY SINGING BAND CONCERTS FREE OR LOW PRICED SUNDAY CONCERTS (Quincy add splendid work in the summer along these lines and the club women are now working with the Chamber of Commerce for the Sunday concerts.) Other places have done the same.
5. WORK WITH THE DISTRICT FOR VISITING NURSE.

6. STUDY THE DIFFERENT FOREIGN GROUP IN YOUR DISTRICT. LEARN THEIR CHARACTER. # study their history their art music & THAT YOU MAY REALIZ HOW MUCH THEY ARE BRINGING TO AMERICA.

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5,625.00 other

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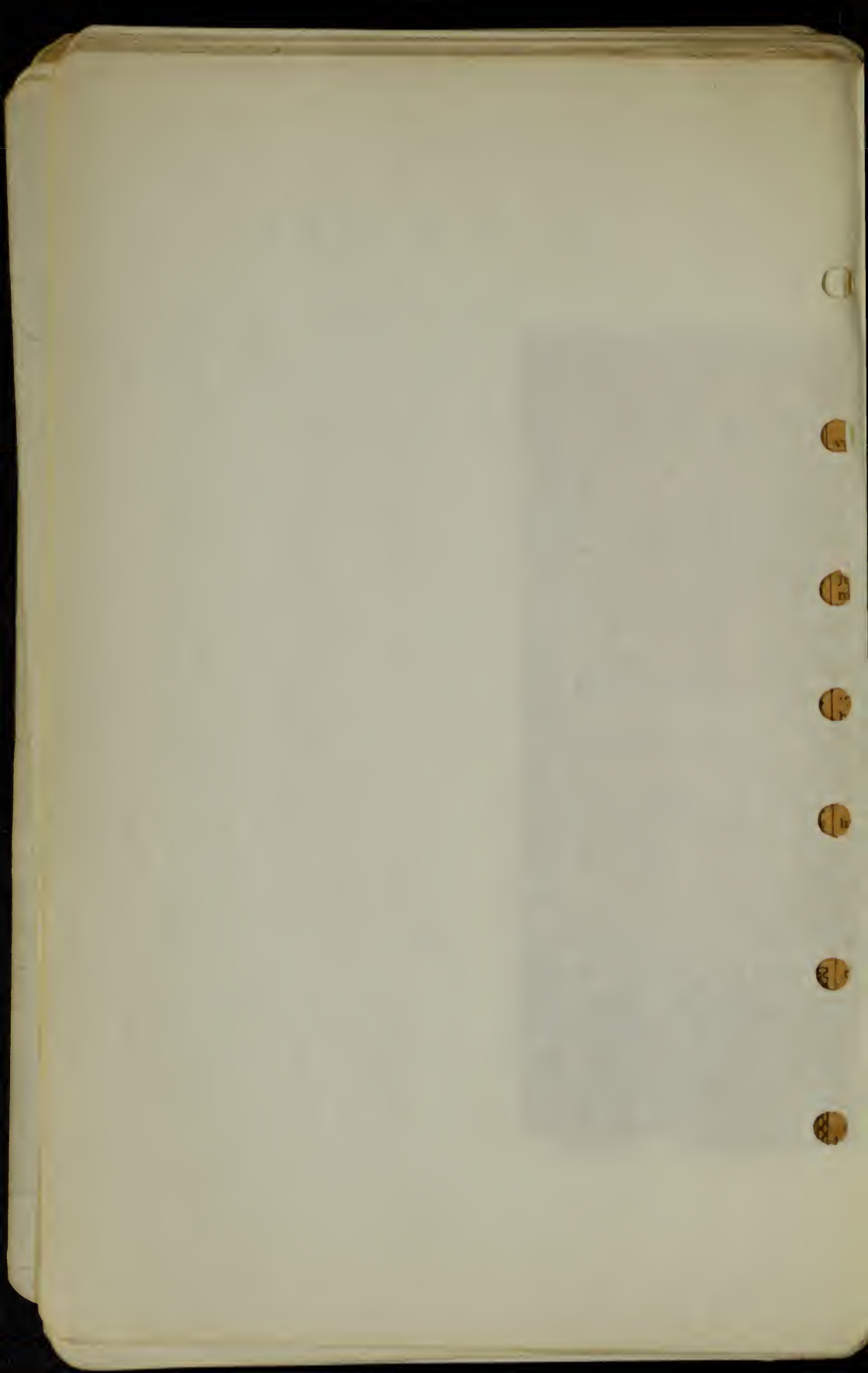
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Dec. 17, 1919.

Miss Alice W. O'Connor

Dear Madam:

I respectfully beg to ask you for the following concessions:

First: To change my day from the Branch office from Friday to Thursday, to take effect December 19th. Friday is an inconvenient day for me on account of the hrs. in the evening school which I attend. Should this concession be granted, I will make the necessary arrangements in the news-papers to inform the people <sup>about</sup> the change. I will also ask the priests to make an announcement to the people to this effect.

Second: To grant me permission to employ any of the stenographers appointed by you in case of emergency in this office. Your plan of asking your permission each time when a necessary service is required is an impracticable one, especially when you are out of the office and an applicant is waiting. I am

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requesting for this concession  
not for my own convenience  
but for the benefit of applicants  
coming to this office.

Third. I would respectfully  
request you not to open any  
letters addressed to me. The  
system as adopted by this  
office is not practiced by any  
other department in the State House  
not being ethical and being  
non-American. Knowing Mr.  
Roshwell I hardly doubt  
that it was his intention  
to have it practiced by this  
office and I can assure you  
that such procedure would  
~~positively~~ positively meet with  
the absolute condemnation of  
the present chief, Mrs. Thayer.

Moreover the date shows it to be written December 13 and delivered to me December 16th. I am willing to put the blame for the delay on the postal authorities. It is true that this was an official one but since the envelope bears my name it was not indicated whether it was an official one or of a private nature. When a letter is opened in the future, by mistake, I will respectfully request an apology from you for doing so.

Fourth: I feel that any remarks as to the tactics of Col. Dalton and any personal remarks ought to be taken up by Mrs. Thayer. Personally, I am always convinced that when Col. Dalton calls me to his department he does it with the sanction of Mrs. Thayer.



I have never practised signing official letters and never intend to do so in the future. The letter in question, owing to special circumstances, was an exceptional one. And I have reason to assume that if presented to Mrs. T. Bayer it would meet with her cordial approval.

I never encourage any applicants to write to me personally, but I cannot be blamed if anybody not knowing my home address sends a letter to this office. The last letter was given me without an envelope.

The obligations which I  
 fulfill in his office are  
 important ones and I receive  
 no pecuniary enumeration  
 for them. Mrs. Thayer

knows about it. If, however,  
 for any reason, she wants  
 me to discontinue services  
 for Col Dalton I will be  
 glad to comply with her  
 wishes. Personally,

acknowledging your authority  
 in this office, I always inform  
 you when I am leaving here.

Reassuring you of my  
 respect due to you, I beg  
 to remain, madam,

Very truly yours.

Miss White - April

naturalization	22	app
adv. & inf.	27	"
cases	45	
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interviews on	98	
old cases	<hr/>	
	192.	

192 persons to interview  
25 da. a month = less than  
8 a da.

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176 cases entered in book.  
" card filled out & poss. more.

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Miss Steinberg April

132 naturalization

100 interviews

28 adv. & inf cards

19 cases

21 affidavits

457 letters

69 nat. letters.

Miss Oberti

79 adv. & inf. cards

15 invest.

21 natural.

31 interviews

11 interpretations

8 translations

4 affidavits

work at pier.

Mr. Merenda.

adv. & inf. 12  
nature. 9

work at per

speaking at Gloucester  
investigations at Webster  
and  
Worcester.

Mrs. ? Lith. case.

Mr Jezierski

Naturalization 21

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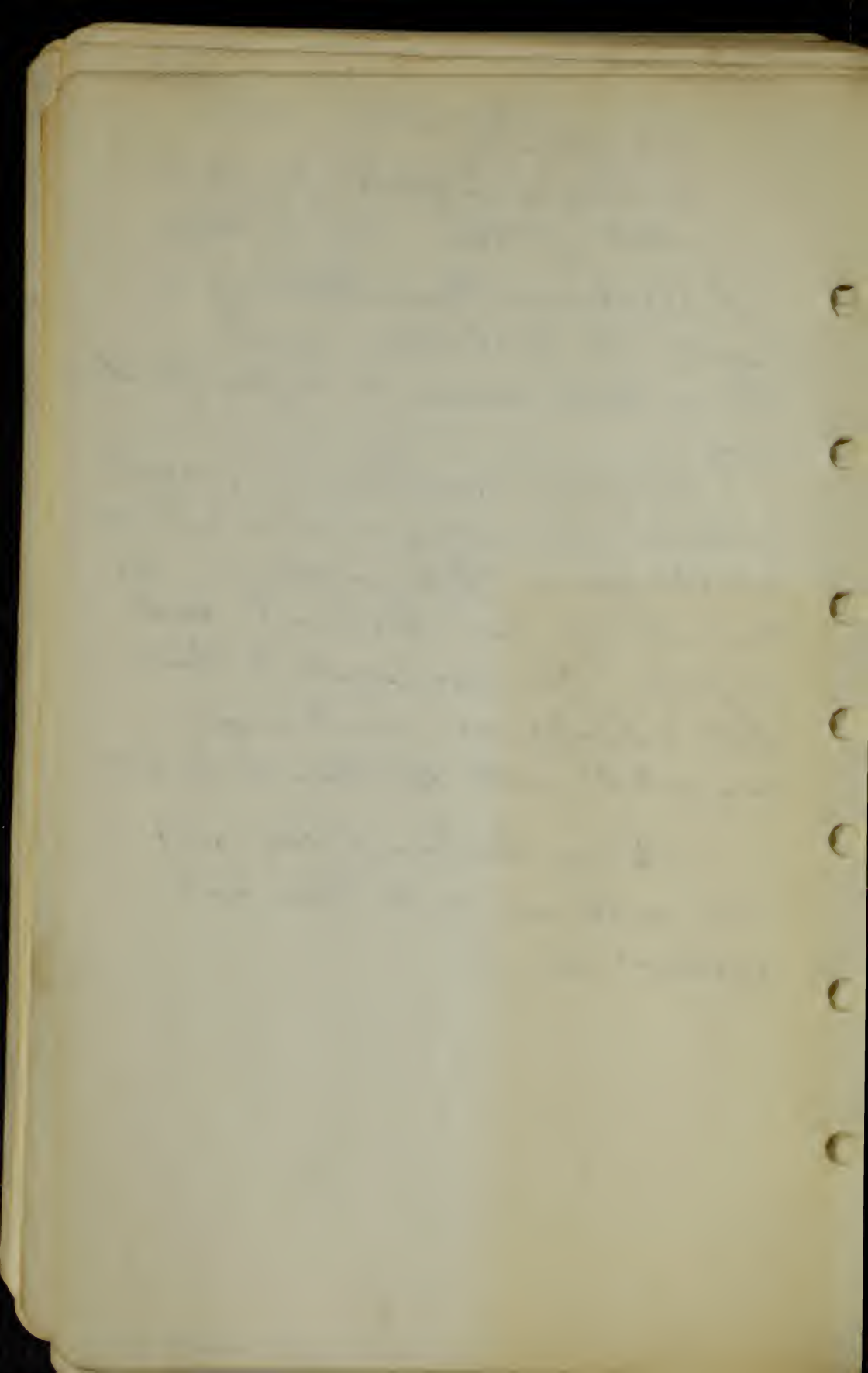


City of Boston  
County of Suffolk  
State of Mass.

I, Catherine Siemaszko of 7  
Eighth St. Cambridge, Mass.,  
being duly sworn do depose, and  
say:

That my son Paul Siemaszko  
enlisted voluntarily on October 16, 1917  
at the age of 17 yrs. without the  
consent of my husband and  
myself. He was sent to Fort  
Sill Oklahoma and was  
connected with Battery, No. 81, F.A.

If my husband does not  
live with me and does not  
support me, I



Mr. Martin H. Ring  
33 Melendy Ave

E. Watertown

Translates Turkish

1917  
1918

1919  
1920

# Work at pier

December

one day<sup>+</sup>

Dec 24. Canopic

January

3 da.

Jan. 6 Cretic

February none

March

mar. 2

Canopic

2 da.

mar. 20

Cretic

3 da.

(Sunday wk.)

April

April 28

Canopic

2 da

May

May 13

Cretic

June

June 24

Canopic

July

2 da

July 9

Cretic

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Mr. Franco Russo

50 St. Bololph St  
Boston

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Mrs. Carmela Kle Benedetto  
21 Genesee St.  
Boston

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Mrs. Helfina Medeiros  
6 Carson St  
Worcester

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Mr. Chrys C. Petromanes  
35 Hancock St  
Boston

1870-1871

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