

**Dean, Emily Washburn. Excerpts from “Reform Department Report, April 22, 1914.”
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“...City Ordinance Committee, Mrs. Herman Landauer, Chairman, has continued to spread knowledge of the Ordinances among the people and by the generous support of the daily papers, especially those printed in the foreign languages, have been able to reach many to whom our laws and ordinances were formerly un-known. There is a continued demand for the little pamphlet, “Ordinances You Ought to Know,” also many requests for information regarding the manner of organization and procedure of the Committee gratifying evidence that the activities of the Committee are attracting attention and approval. The Committee’s most important work has been its hearty and active support given Major Funkhouse in his efforts to “check the wave of commercialized vice.” Members have assisted in censoring some of the most difficult films inspected by the Board of Censors. The Committee suggests to the Club the advisability of agitating at the Bi-ennial, for action working toward a National Bureau of Censorship for moving picture films.”