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Open doors are again comfortable. Another busy day at the end of which felt tired and like broken bones. Probably due to 3 cold nights. Worked ~~till late~~ early this morning at revising License ~~for~~ GI ~~from~~ Alkyd? varnish from General Electric. Mailed letter to George on this subject, this afternoon

Jan 6 Wired Dr. W.R. Whitney about Langmuir's work. [[Vertical entry in margin]] Dr. Irving Langmuir Did not tell him I have been asked by Swedish Royal Academy of Science to propose candidate for Nobel Prize in Chemistry. Recent deeds of conveyance <sup>^</sup>~~from~~ the Methodist Church and Bryan Estate intended to correct error in title baffle me. So went to see Blomas?. Drove to Miami opened account at Burdines and

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bought ~~settee~~ Chinese Grass Settee and 2 ditto chairs as I am reduced now to two folding camp chairs

Larry Huntington visited here and gave me much information about The Anchorage which he built between 1915 & 1916 (or was it 1916-1917)

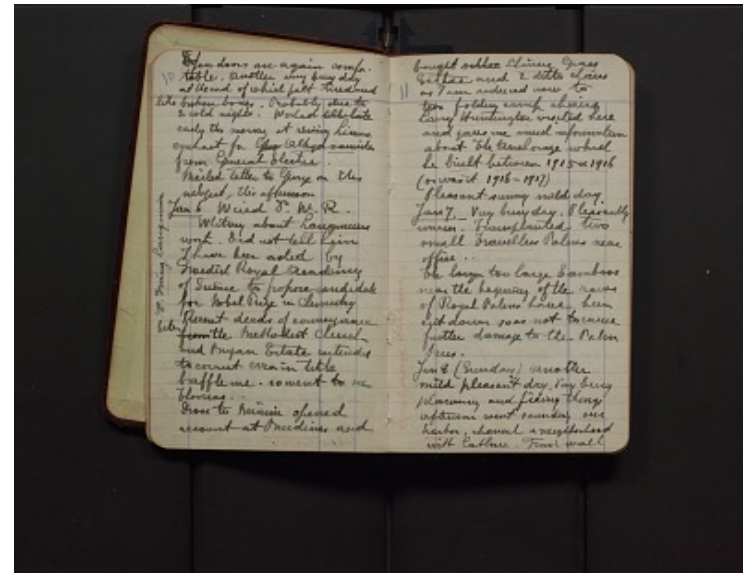
Pleasant sunny mild day.

Jan 7. Very busy day. Pleasantly warm. Transplanted two small travelers Palms near office.

The ~~large~~ too large bamboos near the beginning of the rows of Royal Palms have been cut down so as not to cause further damage to the Palm trees.

[[Vertical entry in red in margin]] Anchorage Harbour

Jan 8 (Sunday) another mild pleasant day. Very busy planting and fixing things afternoon went sounding our harbor, channel & neighborhood with Catlow. First wall



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