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(1870 - 1949)

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Biographical Note

1870, May 4 Born, Warwick, New York

1892 A.B., Yale University

1897, Nov. 23 Married Louisa Shaw Barlow (4 children)

1899-1903 With Post and Flagg, bankers, New York

1903-06 Vice President, Old Colony Trust Co., Boston

1906-09 Bank Commissioner of Massachusetts

1909-14 Vice President, Manhattan Co., New York

1914-26 Chairman of Board and Federal Reserve Agent,
Federal Reserve Bank of New York

1927-30 Member, Transfer Commission and Deputy Agent
General for Reparations Payments under Dawes Plan

1930-45 Chairman of Board, Fiduciary Trust Co., New York

1945-49 Honorary chairman of board, Fiduciary Trust Co.,
New York

1949, Nov. 24 Died

Author of:

The following monographs by Mr. Jay are in the Reference Library of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York:

Money, Prices and Gold in the Soviet Union. 1934.
Banking and Credit in the Soviet Union. 1935.
International Payments Resulting from the War. 1926.

See Who Was Who in America, 1943-50, vol. II, Marquis