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CHARLES OSCAR HARDY

(1884 - 1948)

The papers of Charles O. Hardy, economist, dean, director general of research and vice president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, staff director of the Congressional Joint Committee on the Economic Report, are in the possession of his daughter, Margaret (Mrs. Pitman Potter), who will be glad to have them surveyed by this Committee.

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1884, May 2 Born, Island City, Missouri

1904 A.B., Ottowa (Kansas) University

1904-06 Taught mathematics, Hiawatha (Kansas) Academy

1906-08 Clerk in government service

1909 Married Myra May Moore (2 children)

1910-18 Professor history and economics at Ottowa, then dean

1916 Ph.D., University of Chicago

1918-19 Lecturer, University of Chicago

1919-24 Assistant professor, then professor of finance,
State University of Iowa

1924-43 Member, research staff, Brookings Institution

1942-43 Economic Adviser, Alien Property Custodian

1943-46 Vice President in charge of Research, Federal Reserve
Bank of Kansas City

1946-47 Economist, Chicago Chamber of Commerce

1947-48 Staff director, Congressional Joint Committee on
Economic Report

1948, Nov. 30 Died

Author of: 10 volumes on various economic subjects, including
Credit Policies of the Federal Reserve System. 1932.
Is there Enough Gold? 1936.

15 lectures delivered 1939-40 before the staff of
the F.D.I.C. are mimeographed and in the
Federal Reserve Board Library.

Editor of: Readings in Risk and Risk Bearing.

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