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EDWARD R. STETTINIUS, SR.

(1865 - 1925)

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## Biographical Note

1865, Feb. 15	Born, St. Louis, Missouri
	Educated at St. Louis University
1892	Moved to Chicago
1894, Oct. 8	Married Judith Carrington (son Edward Jr. became Secretary of War under Franklin Roosevelt)
1892-1905	Treasurer, then Vice President and General Manager, Stirling Co. (machinery manufacturers)
1905-08	Vice President, Babcock and Wilcox
1908-09	Treasurer, then President, Diamond Match Co.
1915	Retained by J. P. Morgan to organize dept. for munitions purchase by British and French governments
1916-18	Member, J. P. Morgan and Co.
1918-19	Various government posts in World War I including Second Assistant Secretary of War and Special Representative of U.S. government in Europe
1919-25	Member, J. P. Morgan and Co.
1925, Sept. 3	Died

See: Who Was Who in America, 1897-1942, vol. I, Marquis  
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