

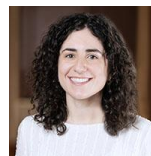


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Agenda

- ➔ Background and History
- ➔ Content and Collections
- ➔ Finding Content
- ➔ Q&A



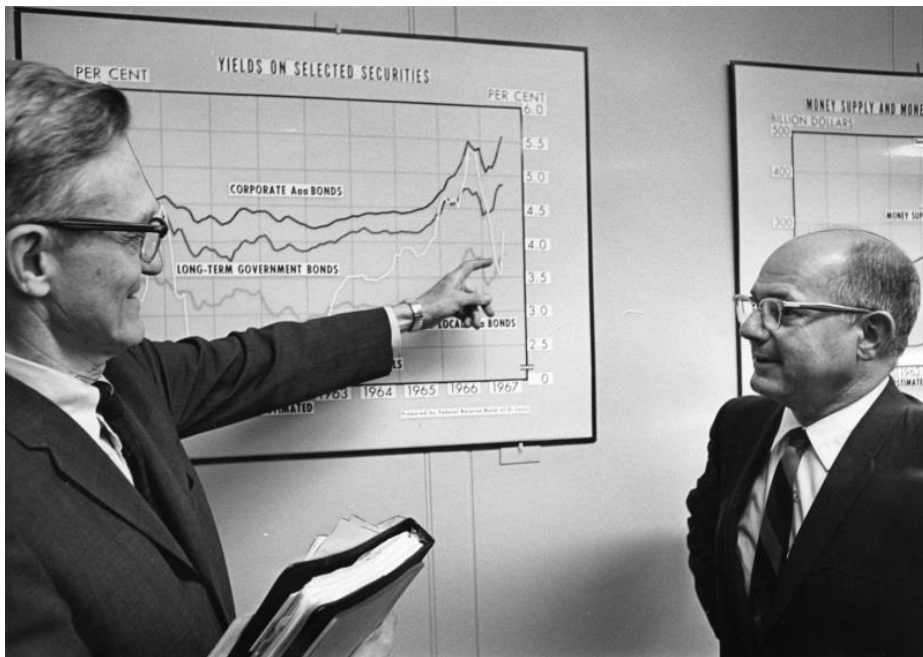
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- Launched 2004
- 700,000+ items
- Approx. 9 million pages
- Content 1790s-present
- Partner to FRED[®] and Federal Reserve History
- Federal Reserve materials
- Government documents
- Historical business and banking publications
- Archival materials
- Publications, manuscripts, audio, video, photographs, and data



Director of Research Homer Jones discusses yields on government securities with Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis President Darryl Francis, August 30, 1967

Building on the St. Louis Legacy

- Data dissemination 1967-
- FRED launched 1991
- FRASER and ALFRED launched 2004-2005 to support FRED
- Policy history, data revisions

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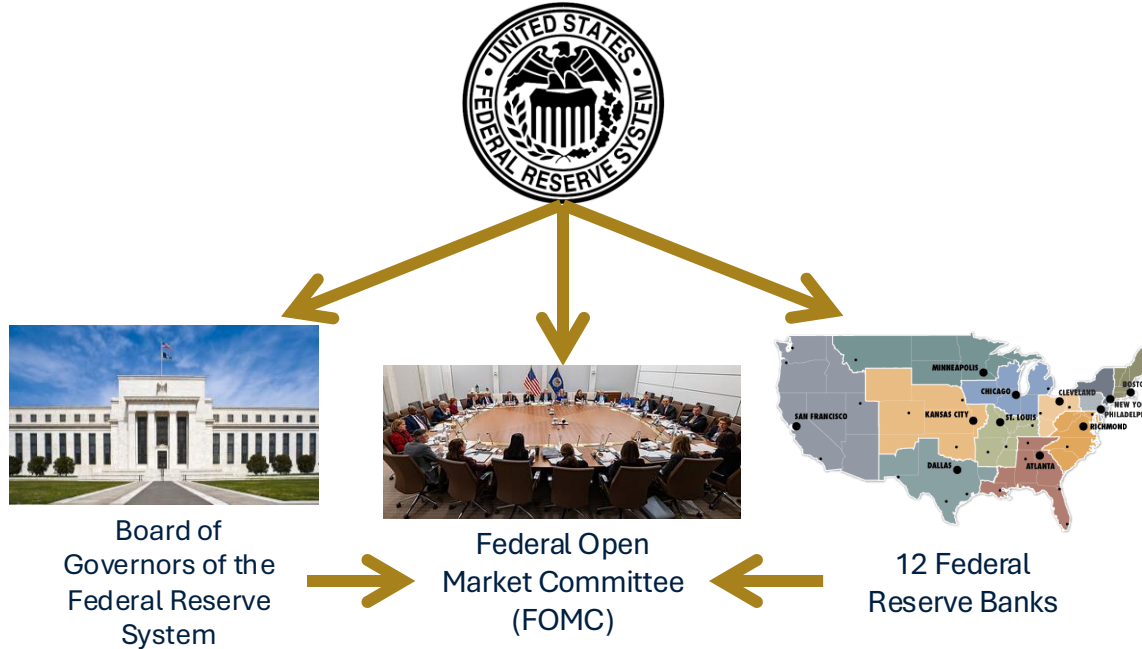


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- # **GPO**
- # **Federal Reserve Banks**
- # **NARA/Presidential libraries**
- # **Library of Congress**
- # **University and other special collections**
- # **FDLP libraries**



About the Federal Reserve System



Conducting Monetary Policy



Promoting Financial System Stability



Supervising and Regulating Financial Institutions and Activities



Fostering Payment and Settlement System Safety and Efficiency



Promoting Consumer Protection and Community Development

Federal Reserve System collections

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, Federal Reserve Board *28 items*

Timeline: Federal Reserve Chair *17 items*

Federal Open Market Committee *10 items*

Timeline: FOMC Speak Archive *4058 items*

Federal Reserve Community Development Publications *44 items*

Federal Reserve Historical Education Materials *49 items*

Federal Reserve History *15 items*

Timeline: Treasury-Federal Reserve Accord of 1951 *46 items*

Federal Reserve Act of 1913 *13 items*

Federal Reserve Bank History *47 items*

- Data: Statistical Releases and Call Reports
- Publications
- Federal Reserve Bulletin and Bank Circulars
- FOMC materials (1936-present)
- Speeches
- Archival papers

Collection Scope



- History of the FRS
- US economic, banking and financial history
- Contextual materials
- Government documents
- Commercial publications
- Archival materials
- FRS materials released to the public

- Treasury

- Annual reports, publications, press releases
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- OCC, Bureau of the Mint

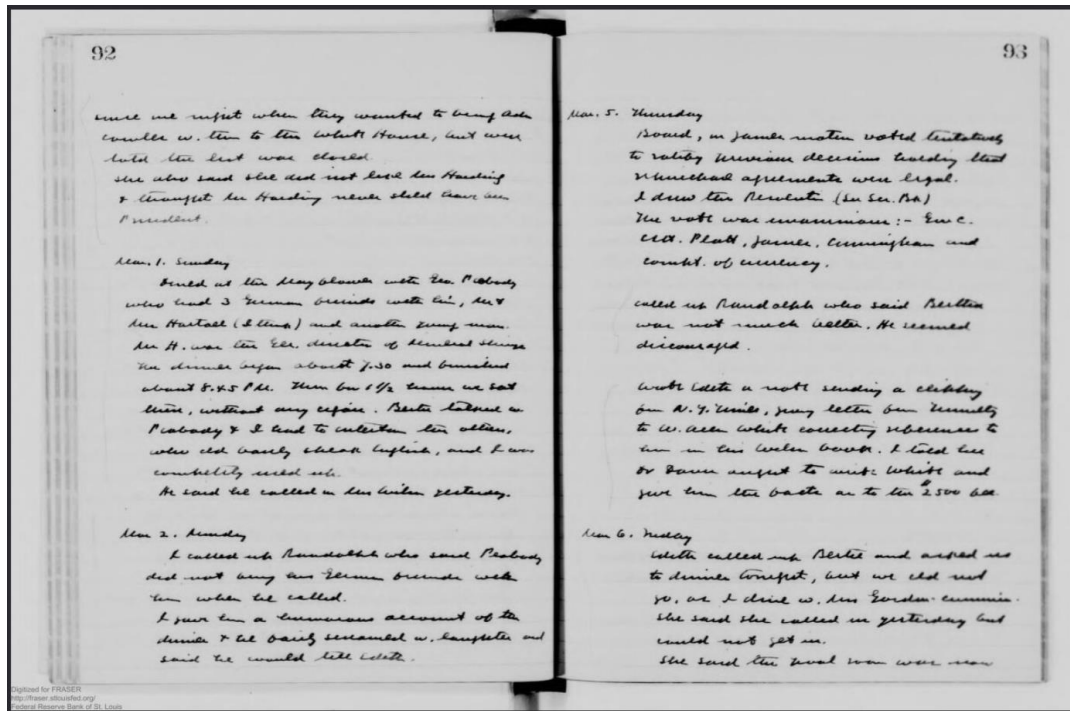
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- Annual reports, publications, working papers
- Statements and speeches



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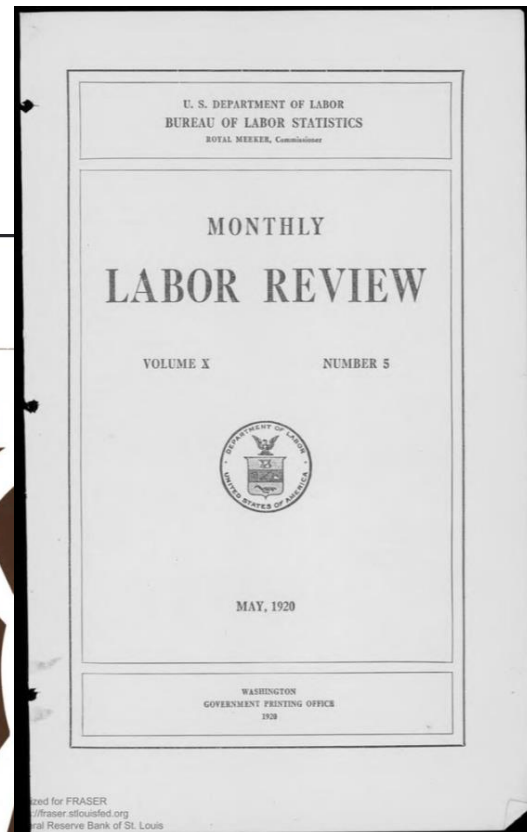
- National Archives
 - Federal Reserve
 - Treasury, Labor, OCC, Women's Bureau
- Library of Congress
 - Papers of Federal Reserve officials



Hamlin, Charles S. (Charles Sumner), 1861-1938. "Charles S. Hamlin Diaries, Box 7, Volume 10, Reel 3, December 15, 1924-September 11, 1925" in Diaries of Charles S. Hamlin (December 15, 1924-September 11, 1925).

Bureau of Labor Statistics

- Data publications
 - CPI, PPI, Productivity and Costs, Occupational Wage Survey, Real Earnings
- Bulletins
- Pamphlets, research publications



Recurring Downloads

- Economic Indicators
- Budget of the United States
- Joint Economic Committee
- Economic Report of the President
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THE BUDGET OF THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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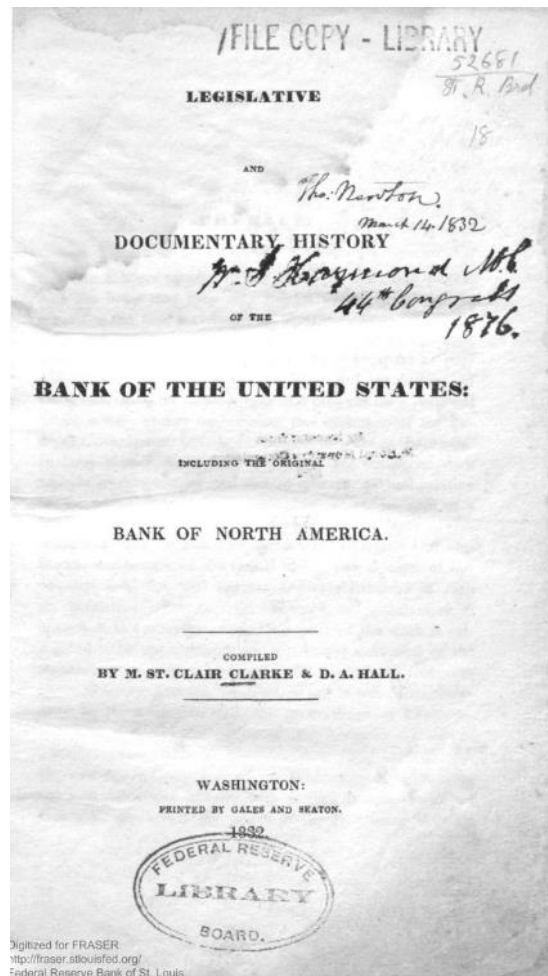
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Hall, D. A. (David A.) and Clarke, M. St. Clair (Matthew St. Clair). *Legislative and Documentary History of the Bank of the United States : Including the Original Bank of North America.*

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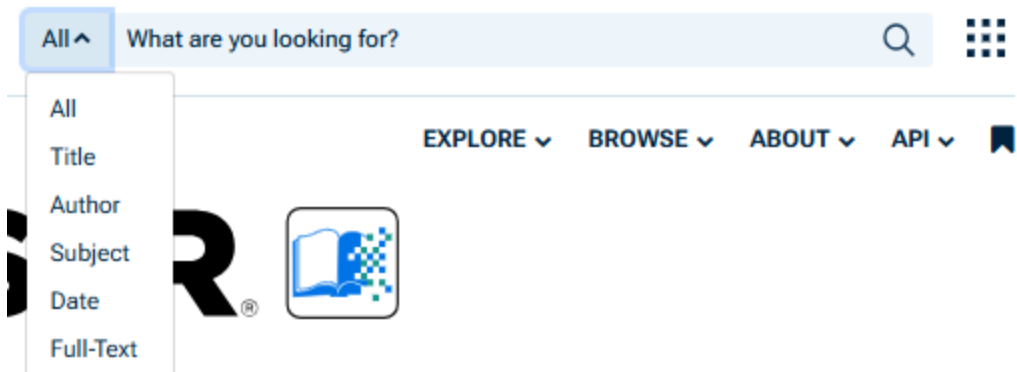
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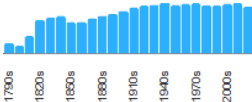
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DATE: December 1955

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Wages and Wage Trends in Australia

Wages and Wage Trends in Australia from Monthly Labor Review, January 1931, Volume 32, Number 1

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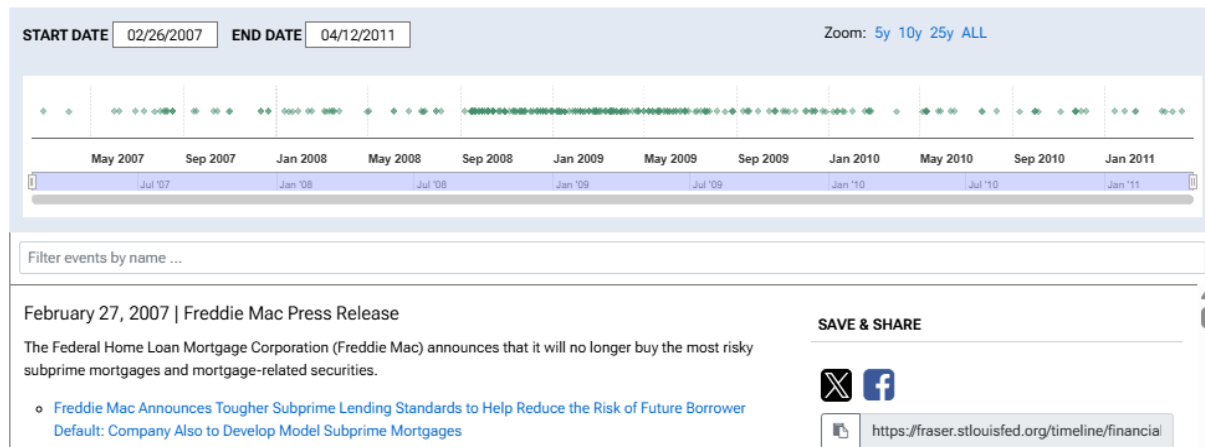
- Financial Crisis Timeline
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Timeline

Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis' Financial Crisis Timeline

In December of 2008, the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis launched an online hub of the latest news and developments regarding what would become known as the Financial Crisis of 2007-2009. The site provided a detailed and up-to-date timeline of key events and actions surrounding the crisis. The [timeline](#) has been reproduced here for preservation. Additional documents, collections, and supporting resources regarding the Financial Crisis of 2007-2009 can be found in the Financial Crisis of 2007-2009 theme.

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- [United States. Congress. Joint Committee on the Economic Report, 1946-1956](#)
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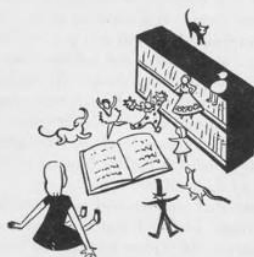
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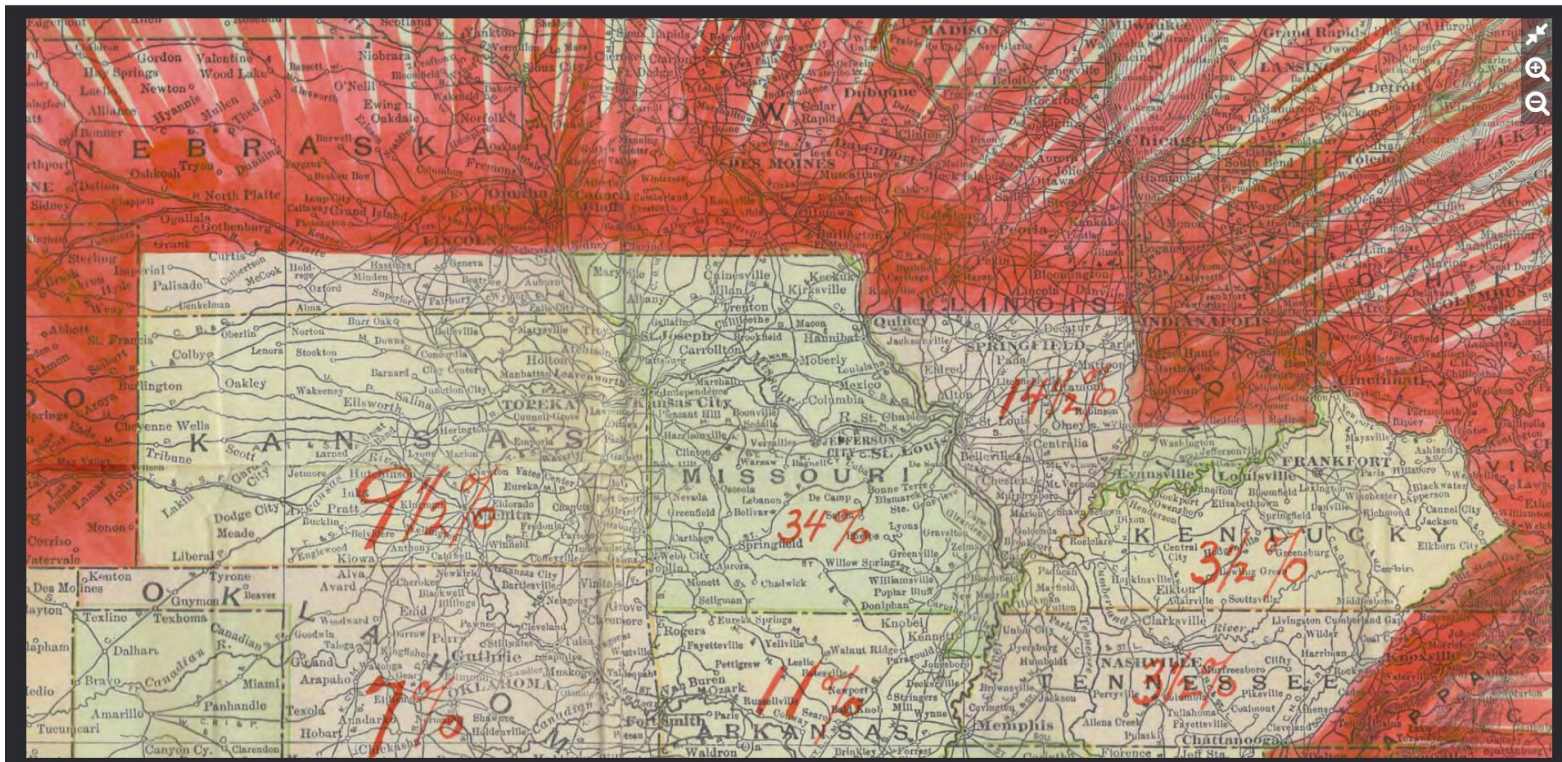


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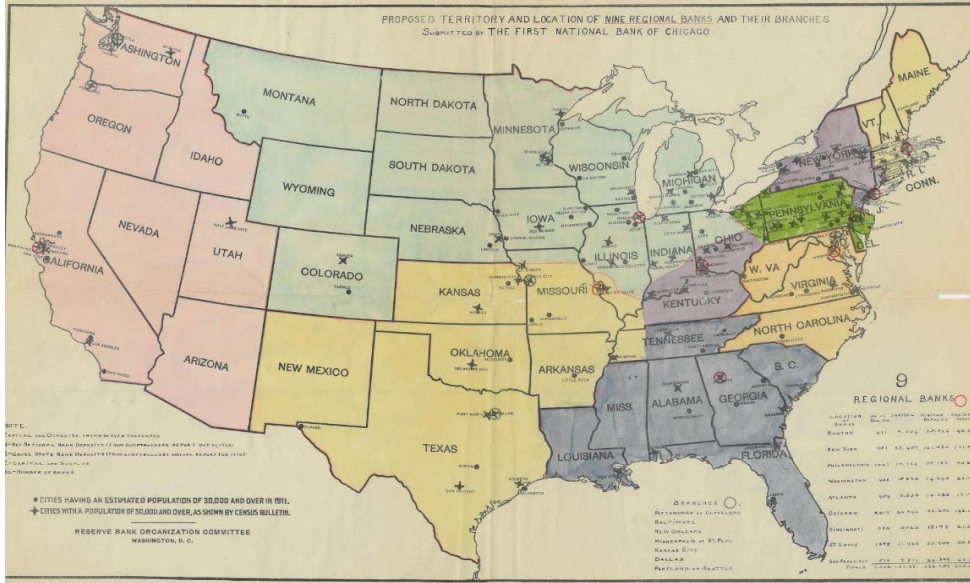
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"Proposed Territory and Location of Nine Regional Banks and Their Branches" Submitted by the First National Bank of Chicago, 1914



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