

GENEALOGY DATABASE ENTRY

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Maass, Otto

1890 - 1961

DEGREE: PhD

DATE: 1919

PLACE: Harvard

TEACHER/RESEARCH ADVISOR: Richards

trained over 200 PhD chemists; pioneered the production of pure hydrogen peroxide; studied critical temperature phenomena; investigated the physical chemistry of cellulose and of the chemical pulping process; during WWII, coordinated the work at McGill that produced the explosive, RDX.

1. For confirmation of research advisor, see acknowledgement page of thesis (Harvard Archives, 18May93).
2. *Macmillan Dictionary of Canadian Biography*; Wallace, W. S., Ed.; McKay, W. A., rev.; Macmillan of Canada: 1978; p480.
3. *Chem. Eng. News* **1952**, 30, 2494.