

The Lockyer Archive at University of Exeter



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Dr James Lockyer in the Director's Office in the Longhouse at the Observatory

Dr William James Stewart Lockyer was the fifth son of Norman and Winifred Lockyer.

He was the Director of the Norman Lockyer Observatory from 1920 until 1936,
having previously assisted his father in the Solar Physics Observatory and the Hill Observatory.

The Director's Office included only a small part of the Library of the Observatory.

Many of the books are now located in the Main Building at the Observatory.

The archive of letters and research papers is held by
the University of Exeter in the Special Collections.

The Longhouse was sold when the Observatory was bought
by the East Devon District Council and became a private house.