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An English Assyriologist. He was educated at Grosvenor College, Bath, and Queen's College, Oxford. His main field was [Assyrian](#) and West Asian archaeology and philology; nevertheless, he was intimately connected with [Egypt](#) for over half a century, traveling there extensively. He spent many winters in his own boat on the Nile, copying inscriptions and the like.

He also studied early Christianity. A listing of what he published in the field of Coptic studies can be found in Kammerer's *A Coptic Bibliography* (1950; 1969). He also edited Murray's *Handbook to Egypt* (1896).

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