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Payne-Scott, Ruby Violet

(1912 - 1981)

Born 19120528, Grafton New South Wales Australia

Died 19810525, Sydney New South Wales Australia

Occupation Physicist, Teacher

Summary

Ruby Scott was assistant physicist in the Physics Department at the University of Sydney, then a teacher at Woodlands Church of England Grammar School, before the outbreak of WWII. Post-war, she worked as a radio engineer with Amalgamated Wireless Australasia. After the birth of her son she became a science teacher at Danebank Anglican School for Girls, where she established a Science Department.

Published resources

Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988,
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Resource

Trove, National Library of Australia, 2009

Site Exhibition

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