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Cautionary tales and random observations will illustrate how Dr James Milford was educated to the stage where he could put “Agricultural Meteorology” on his business card.
Lacking a research line of his own, he was drawn into many different aspects of the subject, sharing supervision of a variety of MSc and PhD projects with experienced specialists: his main contributions concerned the environmental measurements. Most of the experiments took place in the tropics ranging from Indonesia to Niger. The challenges of setting up postgraduate programmes in four different countries, and the astonishing development of the available instrumentation since the 1950s will be discussed.
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