

## **Brockway, George E**

BSc from Adelaide University. Worked for Forest Department in 1920s-60s. Permanent appointment was on 8.3.1926. Divisional Forests Officer at Mundaring in 1920s. Worked in Kalgoorlie in 1940s-50s. In 1955 seconded to Commonwealth Government, as forestry consultant to Pakistan Government, under the Colombo Plan. Chief of Division 1964/65. Retired December 1965. *Eucalyptus brockwayi* is named after him.

Helen Fordham, University of Notre Dame (1988) "George Brockway: The forgotten conservationist"

### **Abstract**

George Brockway (1922 to 1965), probably best known within the scientific circles of this State for his research into tree growth in the arid zones of WA, was also a major contributor to the establishment and maintenance of the extensive system of Nature Reserves in the Central Wheatbelt region. As a conservationist he was concerned with protecting the fragile ecosystem of these drier areas, which he felt was directly threatened by agriculture expansion.