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After graduation, worked in Tumbarumba and Coffs Harbour NSW (where he was involved in new sampling techniques for forest inventories), then was District Forester in Urunga. Left forestry for several years. Re-joined at Taree in mid 1990s, then was Resource Officer in Hunter Region at Newcastle, then worked at Lake Macquarie. Died on his 55<sup>th</sup> birthday in 2005.