

# William Bernard Robinson King

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## Timeline

Date	Details
1889	Born November 12th.
1912	Joined Survey. Memoirs "Thicknesses of strata" (1916) and "Flint" (1924).
1920	Resigned.
1963	Died 23rd January.

## Biographies and obituaries

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# Other archives

[The Papers of William Bernard Robinson King at Sedgewick Museum of Earth Sciences, Cambridge](#)

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