

## Simpson & Ayrton 1905 - 1928

Simpson & Ayrton [also known as John W. Simpson & Maxwell Ayrton] was an architectural partnership formed in London, England in 1905 by [John William Simpson](#) (1858-1933) and [Ormond Maxwell Ayrton](#) (1874-1960).

The partnership was dissolved in 1928 following which Ayrton continued in independent partnership and Simpson went into partnership with Frank W. Knight and Henley Cornford

Worked in

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Works

Extensions to Haileybury College, London Road, Hertford Heath, Hertfordshire (1905-08, 1912-14); Chapel, Gresham School, Holt, Norfolk (1912-16); offices of Crown Agents for Colonies, Milbank, London (1914-16); Brighton War Memorial, Brighton, Sussex (1921-22); the British Government Pavilion and other buildings at the British Empire Exhibition 1924-25 (including Wembley Stadium, originally known as the Empire Stadium); Tuke Buildings, Bedford College for Women in Regent's Park, London; new buildings for the National Institute for Medical Research in Mill Hill, London; new offices for the Presbyterian Church in Cheam and Bloomsbury, London; and bridges at Twickenham, Lea Valley, Barking Creek, Wanford, Findhorn, Spey.

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