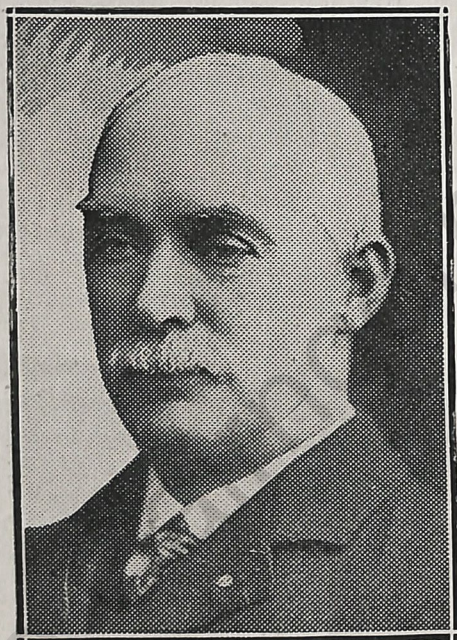


In Memoriam:  
JOHN MCGREGOR.

Died, 12th April 1919.



WE regret having to record the death of Mr. John M'Gregor, one of the original members of the Club and an ex-Chairman. Mr. M'Gregor was a native of Braemar, a nephew of Mrs. Donald Fraser, formerly at Derry Lodge; and having been in the way of spending his holidays in Braemar and at Derry Lodge, he became well acquainted with the Cairngorms. He

was an enthusiastic member of the Club; had served continuously on the Committee; and was Chairman during the years 1904-5-6. As Chairman, he "personally conducted" the Club's excursion to Braeriach in the summer of 1904, and presided at the first—and only—"At Home" of members of the Club and their lady friends, held on 19th December 1905.

Mr. M'Gregor was a teacher by profession; was for many years headmaster of Dr. Bell's School, Old Aberdeen, and thereafter of the Old Aberdeen public school, and of the Hanover Street public school,



Aberdeen. In 1897 he was elected a Fellow of the Educational Institute of Scotland. He was a member of the Aberdeen Parish Council for eighteen years, and was Chairman of that body, 1898-1910. He was also a Captain of the 4th, subsequently the 6th, Volunteer battalion of the Gordon Highlanders, becoming ultimately Major of the 6th Gordon Highlanders (T.F.), and in the latter capacity was mobilised at the outbreak of the war. (See "The Club and the War" in this issue).

We are indebted to the *Aberdeen Journal* for the accompanying portrait of Mr. M'Gregor. A photograph of him in a characteristic attitude appears in C.C.J., vol. V., p. 49.

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DR. JOHN GORDON, 1 Rubislaw Terrace, Aberdeen, who died on 22nd March, was a member of the Club for several years, and contributed two interesting articles to the *Journal*—"Round Loch Eunach" (Vol. I.—July 1895), and "A Glimpse of the Dolomites" (Vol. III.—January 1901).

Sir HUGH THOMAS MUNRO of Lindertis, Forfarshire, died at Tarascon on 19th March—he went to France in January, along with his two daughters, to engage in canteen work). He was a prominent member of the Scottish Mountaineering Club and was well and widely known as a skilled mountaineer. He compiled tables giving the altitude of all Scottish mountains exceeding 3000 feet in height, which have been so generally accepted that it has become customary to designate such mountains as "Munros." These tables appeared in the first volume of the *Scottish Mountaineering Club Journal* (September 1891). To the first number of the *Cairngorm Club Journal* (July 1893) Sir Henry Munro contributed an article on "Sgoran Dubh and the Western Cairngorms," and to our Jubilee number (January 1918) an article entitled "Three Nights on the Cairngorms."