IN MEMORIAM

It is with regret that the Club records the death of the following members:

Mr. Alexander F.Duncan (O 1940) Mr. James E. Bothwell (OH 1927) Mr. William M. Duff (OH 1936) Dr. R.L. Mitchell (OH 1935)

Mr Kenneth G.Mckenzie (O 1950) Mr Terrence Nugent (A 1959) Mrs H.M.M. Jessamine (OL 1934) Mr William A. Ewen (OH 1931) Dr. John H.F. Crawford (OL 1935)

JAMES E. BOTHWELL

We regret to record the death on Fourteenth November, 1980 of James E. Bothwell at the age of Seventy-five. He became a member of the Club in 1927 and of the Scottish Mountaineering Club in 1938. He was a Vice-President of our Club in 1937-46, Secretary and Treasurer 1949-62 and President 1962-64. He continued as an active member almost to the date of his death and the high esteem with which he was regarded is evidenced by the fact that the Committee intended to nominate him for election as Honorary President of the Club at the Annual General Meeting in November 1980.

A solicitor by profession, he was Secretary, Treasurer and Librarian of the Society of Advocates in Aberdeen from 1967 until he retired from that post in February 1980.

A keen chess player, he represented the Bon-Accord Chess Club on many occasions. A life-long member of Queen's Cross Church, Aberdeen, he acted as Session Clerk from 1963-68. His services to the Forces Help Society and Lord Robert's Workshop were recognised by the Award of the M.B.E. in the New Years Honours in 1950.

Eddie Bothwell was a quiet and unassuming man but he was also a man with varied interests and of a sociable and friendly disposition. He always had a smile of greeting for acquaintances as well as friends and maintained a lively interest in the mountain doings of those much younger than himself. He is greatly missed by his many friends.

A.L.H.

