

ANGOT, Professor CHARLES ALFRED, whose death occurred at Paris on 16th March 1924, was born in that city in 1848. He joined the *Bureau Central Météorologique de France* in 1879, succeeded to the Directorship on the death of Mascart in 1907, and retired with the title of *Directeur Honoraire* in 1920. Throughout his official career he held the position of Professor of Physics and Meteorology in the Institute Agronomique National.

Angot's long and industrious life made the realm of meteorology richer in at least three different directions. Thus the *Annales du Bureau Central Météorologique* contain various elaborate memoirs by him which are of permanent value to the professional student. His discussions of the diurnal variation of pressure and of the Eiffel Tower observations may be instanced; as also his studies of the Climate of France and his Magnetic Charts of that country. Again, with an admirable style, and written out of the fulness of knowledge, Angot in his *Traité Élémentaire de Météorologie* succeeded in the difficult task of writing a good, popular text-book; whilst his treatise on "The Aurora Borealis" in the International Scientific Series falls into the same class. And recalling that France, under the enthusiastic leadership of Le Verrier, was some sixty years ago the pioneer of international co-operation in meteorology, with its daily *carte internationale*, it is but appropriate to find that Angot was a conspicuous figure on the International Meteorological Committee. In particular, he was latterly President of the subsidiary Commissions for Agricultural Meteorology and for Terrestrial Magnetism and Atmospheric Electricity.

Professor Angot was elected an Honorary Fellow of this Society in 1923. He was also an Honorary Member of the Royal Academy of Sciences of Sweden.

CAMPBELL, CHARLES DUFF, was a distinguished linguist and etymologist, possessing a wonderful acquaintance with the languages of Europe, ancient and modern. He could talk fluently in French, German, Spanish, and Italian, and was invariably willing to place his knowledge at the disposal of an inquirer. Mr Campbell was educated at the Edinburgh Institution, and was for a long period an Examiner in Modern Languages for the Scottish Universities, being recognised as one of the highest authorities in the teaching profession. For many years he was Secretary to Archibald Campbell, Hope & King, Ltd., Brewers, Edinburgh. Mr Campbell was never married, but devoted his life to the education and advancement of his nephews and nieces. (One of his nephews was Dr Harry Norman, the famous Sanskrit scholar, who was accidentally shot in

India some years ago.) Latterly his health broke down, and he went to reside in London with his nephew, Dr Hubert James Norman, at whose house he died on 24th May 1924, aged 77 years.

He was elected a Fellow of this Society in 1904.

DAVY, RICHARD, M.R.C.S., M.B. (Edin.), was a Fellow of the Royal Medical Society and of the Royal Society of Medicine, and held the appointments of Consulting Surgeon to the Westminster Hospital and to the St Marylebone General Dispensary. He was the author of *Surgical Lectures*, 1880; "Excision of Osseous Wedge at Transverse Tarsal Joint in Confirmed Club Foot," *British Medical Journal*, 1876, 1877, 1883; "Method of Controlling Hæmorrhage during Amputation at Hip Joint," *British Medical Journal*, 1878.

Dr Davy was elected a Fellow of this Society in 1884, and died in August 1920.

FINLAY, DAVID WHITE, B.A., M.D., LL.D., F.R.C.P., was born in Glasgow, educated at the High School and University there, and later studied at Vienna. He was Honorary Physician-in-Ordinary to H.M. The King in Scotland, and Emeritus Professor of the Practice of Medicine at Aberdeen University. Among other appointments held by him in the course of a long and active career were:—Consulting and Senior Physician to Aberdeen Royal Infirmary; Member of the General Medical Council 1901-11; Physician and Lecturer at Middlesex Hospital, London; Physician to the Royal Hospital for Diseases of the Chest and to the Royal Scottish Hospital; Consulting Physician to the Caledonian Asylum, London; Inspector of Examinations in Medicine to General Medical Council; Hon. Lt.-Col. R.A.M.C.; and Commandant Scottish National Red Cross Hospital, Glasgow. Professor Finlay published many papers in the medical journals and in the *Transactions* of the various Medical Societies in London, and wrote *Reminiscences of Yacht-Racing and some Racing Yachts*, 1910.

He was elected a Fellow of this Society in 1899, and died at Balgownie, Helensburgh, aged 83 years, on 4th November 1923.

QUINCKE, GEORG HERMANN, was born on 19th November 1834 in Frankfort-on-Oder, and studied at Königsberg, Heidelberg, and Berlin between 1852 and 1858. In 1872 he was appointed Professor of Physics at Würzburg, and three years later succeeded Kirchhoff at Heidelberg, where he remained until his retiral in 1907. Quincke's first two papers were published at the age of twenty-two while still a student, and he