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MAYOR Z. V. TAYLOR.

torney by President Pierce and held the office until February, 1861, when he resigned. He took a prominent part in the stirring political events preceding, during and subsequent to the war. He was a member of the supreme court from 1868 to 1872, when he was appointed judge of the U. S. district court for the Western district North Carolina, an office he resign. ed just before his death in 1898. Judge Dick was learned in the classics and specially biblical literature. He treated all his subjects with an unsurpassed beauty of language and wealth

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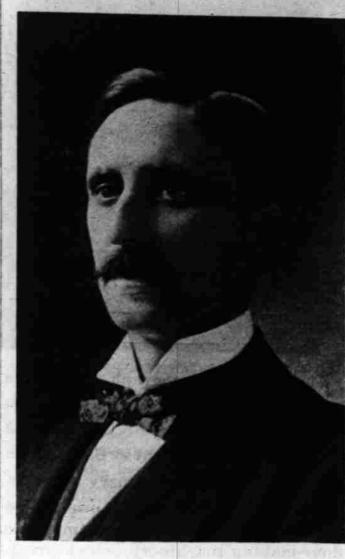
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A. L. BROOKS.

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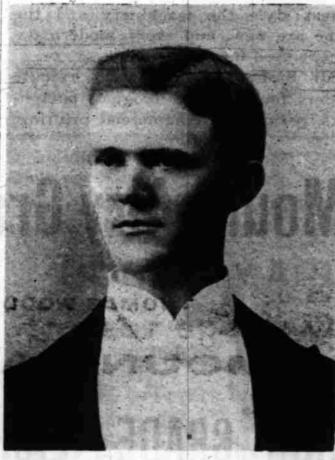
John A. Barringer was licensed in 1874. He has served acceptably as a member of the State legislature and mayor of Greensboro. He is a convincing speaker and indefatigable worker who once enlisted in the cause of a client makes it his own. Among his fellow barristers he is known by the sobriquet of the "anti-railroad lawyer," owing to the large number of these cases he has prosecuted to a successful conclusion.

Hon. Robert M. Douglas, who served as private secretary to General Grant during the time he was President, came to North Carolina during Grant's second administration and served as United States Marshal for the Western District of North Carolina. In 1896 he was elected to the supreme court bench. He is a son of the famous lawyer and "free soiler," Stephen A. Douglas of Illinois.

Junius I. Scales, who died in the prime of a vigorous manhood, gave promise of much usefulness. He was a brother of Governor Scales.

THOSE OF THE PRESENT.

The foregoing are the men who have turned the leaves of life in the history of the bar of Guilford county, leaving their impress, and blazoned the history of county, State and nation with their ability as barristers, probity as jurists, purity as statesmen, prowess as soldiers and integrity as citizens.



A M. SCALES.

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W. L. Scott was a ready debater and while ever mindful of the honor and wards served this company in the

ALFRED COLLINS.

JAMES T. MOREHEAD.

able record. Colonel Morehead pre- Nelson. pared for college at the classic school of Rev. Dr. Alexander Wilson, who was the Democratic Executive committee. one of the best educators of his time. Many young men of the State who afterwards became famous as statesmen, jurists and advocates received their early training in his school at Melville, Alamance county. In July, 1854, Colonel Morehead entered the University of North Carolina and graduated from that institution with the first distinction four years later. He the preceptorship of Chief Justice Richmond Pearson, of the supreme the superior court in June, 1860, and second lieutenant of the Guilford Grays, a company organized about a year prior to the war, and called out by the governor at the outbreak of hostilities. On April 1, 1862, he became captain of Co. C, Forty-fifth Regiment. North Carolina Infantry. In May of the same year he was elected lieutenant colonel of the Fifty-third North Carolina. Just after the battle of the United States. Spottsylvania, in which every senior Mr. Brooks was for some time presi-

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AUBREY L. BROOKS.

Junior member of the law firm of Boyd & Brooks, and State solicitor for the Fifth Judicial District, was born in Person county, May 21, 1871. He received his primary education at Bethel Hill in his native county, after which at once took up the study of law under he entered the University of North Carolina, where he pursued his studies to 1893. Completing his studies at the court, and was licensed to practice by University of Kentucky, in 1893, he returned to the University of North in April, 1861, he entered the army as Carolina and took up the law course under the preceptorship of Dr. John Manning and Hon. James E. Shepherd, then chief justice of the supreme court of the State. After his admission to the bar in 1893 he was for a time associated with Col. C. S. Winston in practice, later forming a partnership with Col. Jas. E. Boyd, the present assistant attorney-general of

Senate, Congressman and judge of the officer of his brigade was either killed dent of the Farmers' Bank, of Roxsuperior court. He was renowned for or wounded, the command of the bri- boro, resigning on moving to Greenshis powers as a pleader and knowledge gade devolved on Colonel Morehead and boro. In 1898 he was elected State of criminal practice as well as a jurist he served in that office until a com- solicitor. He was a Bryan elector in

A. M. SCALES

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Z. V. TAYLOR.

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taken to Fort Delaware, where he was great grandson of Chief Justice confined until June, 1865, when he Samuel Henderson. He was educated was released through a mistake, at the Raleigh Male Academy and the During the four years Colonel More- University of North Carolina. After head served in the army he was leaving school he taught at Cape Fear wounded three times. During the Academy, Wilmington, N. C., for two battle of July 1, 1863, at Gettysburg years. He took the law course at the he was wounded but continued with University of North Carolina and was his regiment in the engagement of admitted to the bar in 1892. After adthe two subsequent days and during mission he associated himself in the retreat from that historic field. practice of his profession with his He also received wounds at Fisher's brother, Wallace N. Scales, and later formed a co-partnership with Judge Hare's Hill in 1865. After the war R. M. Douglas. Prior to the elevation Colonel Morehead returned to his na- of Hon. T. J. Shaw to the bench he was associated with that gentleman in of law as soon as the courts were practice. In 1896 he was elected State senator from this district and was a valuable and able member of that four adjoining counties, being the body during the session of 1897. He only lawyer in the county who has a has been city attorney since 1896. As a member of the board of trustees of the University of North Carolina he has been an earnest worker for the advancement of the interests of that institution of learning. During the memorable campaign of 1898 Mr. Scales was chairman of the Democratic executive committee and did herculean work which was crowned with a great victory at the polls.

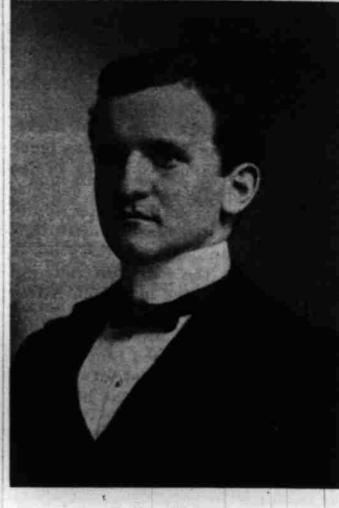
In 1896 Mr. Scales was united in marriage with Miss Bessie Taylor, Was born in Alamance County, North daughter of Colonel John D. Taylor, Carolina, April 5, 1854. His father was of Wilmington, N. C.

ROBERT M. DOUGLAS.

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such until 1883. For six years he was Standing Master in Chancery of the U. S. Circuit court, which he re signed to accept his present position

In 1874 he married the eldest daugh ter of Hon. Robert P. Dick, U. S. Dis trict Judge, who was a devoted friend of Senator Douglas, and the only delegate from North Carolina who did not P. Dick. In 1897 he was admitted to convention at Baltimore, in 1860.

Judge Douglas is the son of the late Senator Stephen A. Douglas, of Illi nois, the National Democratic candi date for President in 1860, who was himself elected Judge of the Supreme court of Illinois when only twenty seven years of age. His mother was the daughter of Colonel Robert Martin, and the first cousin of Governor David S. Reid and the late Judge Set tle. Her father was a nephew of Governor Alexander Martin, the Revolutionary soldier, who was U. S. Senator and six times Governor of North Caro lina.

Judge Douglas has been a life-long Republican, though never an extreme, partisan.

After his nomination for the Supreme court he retired from active participation in political affairs, in obedience to the established ethics of his profession.

Judge Douglas has always taken deep interest in public affairs, and especially in every effort to promote the educational and material advancement of our State. He was one of the most active promoters of the State Normal school, and is known as a warm friend of the University.

Although he did not get his license to practice law until he was thirtyseven years of age, within eleven years he reached the Supreme court, and is now its youngest member. His fitness for the position seems to be universally conceded.



GEORGE S. BRADSHAW GEORGE S. BRADSHAW

a well-known agriculturist. George S. Bradshaw was educated at Trinity College, graduating therefrom in 1876. Hon. Robert M. Douglas, whose He was engaged in teaching for some time when he entered the law school preme court began on the first day of of Dick & Dillard, on leaving which institution in January, 1879, he was and was twice honored with re-elec- tioners have acquired their knowledge

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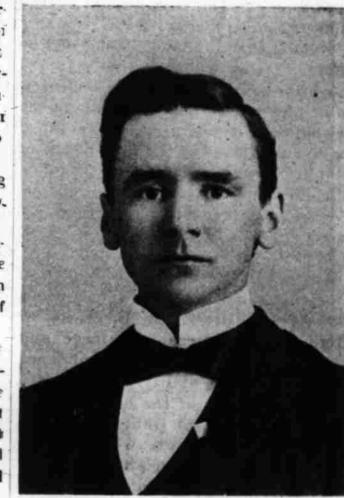
Mr. Bradshaw was elected a trustee of the State University in 1891, and has served as trustee of Trinity College. He has taken an active interest in journalism, having been editor of the Asheboro Courier for six years and president of the State Press Association for one year.

He is now a member of the law firm of Bradshaw & Newlin, of Greensboro.

ROBERT DICK DOUGLAS.

The name of Douglas is interwoven with the history of the legal profession in this country almost as much as in the Song and Story of Scotland. The father of the subject of this sketch (R. M. Douglas) is a judge of the Supreme court of North Carolina and his grandfather, Senator Stephen A. Douglas of Illinois, was a jurist of national renown. In boyhood Robert Dick Douglas attended St. Mary's college. At the age of sixteen he entered Georgetown University, Washington, D. C., from which institution he graduated with the highest honors in 1896. During his college days he was editor-in-chief of the College Journal and captain and manager of the Field and Track team of the University, and vice-president of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association of America.

After graduation he studied law under the preceptorship of his maternal grandfather, the late Judge Robert secede from the National Democratic practice and in February of that year opened a law office in Greensboro. He and Hon. S. B. Adams have recently formed a law partnership under the firm name of Adams & Douglas. Since Hon. R. M. Douglas' elevation to the Supreme bench much of his practice has been transferred to his son.



OLIVER S. NEWLIN

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Is a native of Alamance county, North Carolina, where he spent his boyhood on his father's farm. After attending the neighborhood schools he attended Burlington Academy and later Thompson's School for two years, at which institution he completed his preparatory education. In the fall of 1893 he entered the Sophomore class of Trinity College, from which institution he graduated with distinction in 1896. Entering the law school of the University of North Carolina the term following he graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Laws, June, 1898, He obtained license to practice law at the February term of the supreme court of the same year. After leaving the university he entered the law office of that well-known and distinguished attorney, Jacob A. Long, of Graham, N. C.; in October, 1898, formed a co-partnership with him, and opened an office in Greensboro. During March of the present year he severed his connection with Mr. Long and became a member of the firm of Bradshaw & Newlin. Mr. Newlin has had fine advantages in preparing for his profession, and has availed himself of them in such a manner as to guarantee for him a place of high rank at the bar. In argument he is forceful and analytical; in habits he is very studious and attentive. With such natural endowments, and mental equipment acquired by close application, he is well worthy of confidence and patronage.

JUDGE SPENCER B. ADAMS.

Judge Spencer B. Adams was born admitted to the bar. In 1880 he was October 15th, 1860, in Surry county, elected to the general assembly and N. C., and received his early training served therein for two years as the in the neighborhood school, later representative of Randolph county. He studying at Boonville Academy, Richtion, privileges and elections and In 1881 he began the study of law