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education. But it is only of one el- Church" in Lincolntonement of our local history in this any one to make \$5 and upwards per day of Lincoln county who have acted highly honored and better loved member of that body. Posessing a In the years gone by, the manufaction ten thousand boys to more than a and the blessings of God.

of those whose names have been was about seventy-one years of age. household words from our infancy He was the son of and some of whom we have perhaps met face to face; and would not the impressions obtained be more enduring than the study of men who Graham stands conspicuous. have occupied the stage of action at was present in Charlotte when the a distance! Longfellow seems to first Declaration of Independence have valued the advantages of the was made. Deeply imbued with that beautiful stanza in his Psalm | the cause of his country at the age

Lives of great men all remind us. We can make our lives sublime, And, departing, leave behind us

Footprints on the sands of time. I will in a hasty manner present the names of some of our distinformulate some plan of publishing county and often its representative biographical sketches of those here in the General Assembly. He subenumerated and others; but if not made may serve to fill our hearts iron, where for more than forty with love and patriotic feelings of years be conducted a large estabmay be destined to occupy, to become useful and intelligent citizens and members of society, always remembering that every bonor and position is open to their competition even to the chief magistracy of this great nation. What a galaxy of names crowds our memory! The writer will present some of them as they occur to mind and that not in any studied order of time or gradation of achievement.

The Student of history will obafter Wheeler and other writers, but making this general acknowl edgement we will not encumber this article by quoting authorities. The

MICHAEL HOKE,

first we will mention is

and enterprising citizen of this sou of Lincoln was appointed his Lincolnton marks his last resting this county. His ministry was a county. Brilliant, impetuous, and successor, the late chivairie, at the youthful age of North Caronna. A gentleman of county Nov. 19th, 1819. He was a Jao. H. Forner & WM. H. Forner vered by all who knew him. In his MR. EDITOR :-- I have noticed fine person, fine address, a consid- man of high character and distins Lincoln county boys who entered death the State lost one of her oldwith pleasure that the attention of erable legislative experience, hav- guished for ability, honor and loys the service from a distant State est and best citizens and the church teachers is being directed to the ing been a member of the House of aity to duty. He was kindbearted were also Confederate Generals one of its most substantial pillars. study of history, especially State Commons from Lincoln from 1834 but firm; liberal but just; learned in The latter is now and has long been ROBERT LABAN ABERNATHY. and local bistory; this on this late to 1842, and of high position at the law but modest. He devoted his an honored member of Congress was born in Lincoln County April evitable. In many instances the inherent Lawing's Drug Store, large bottles 50c and ter that I wish to submit a few bar, in him Gov. Graham found a great legal mind to his profession from the State of Alabama. thoughts. The Editor of the Coul- "loeman worthy of this great man's and attrained em neare as a jurist RIER has kindly thrown open its steel." Such was the fairness of He served many years as a Judge was a resident of this county from He was born poor and had not even columns and invited the teachers his conduct, his open, generous of the Superior Court and also as boyhood until death. He was one good health with which to fight to contribute short sketches of the temper, his elevated mode of argu- Attorney-General of the State. of the most able and brilliant advo. the battles of life. But he bravely county of Lincoln. I approve the ment that even in high excitement He has recently passed over the cates that adorned the bar of North faced the world striking down barscheme and anticipate their perusal party spirit forgot its rancor and he river. Could or may trouble of the Throat or sold on a positive guarantee Dr. J. M. with pleasure and profit, and trust won as he deserved the regard and By the action of the recent Disall the teachers will prepare and respect of all parties. This was the trict and State conventions the stantial grantie monument marks of the State. In boyhood instead publish articles. The thought, campaign of 1844 well remembered scales of justice which have been his last res ing place in the grave. of sleep, by the faggot's flame he Knowing that a cough can be checked in reading, and research necessary to as that in which both candidates held so well prised in the hands of yard of the Methodist church in was intensely applying himself to produce these sketches will give for governor were Lincoin county Schenck and Shipp are to be trans- Lincointen. He filled many post- his studies. He soon fitted himself them much useful and practical in- boys. This active spirit sunk to ferred to another of Lincoln's sons, tions of trust, Legislator, Solicitor for teaching, then joined the minisformation, a great deal of which will rest Sept 9th, 1844, at the age of subsequently be instilled into the thirty four years. A marble slab minds of the obildren attending the marks his place of interment in the him we honor and trust him. He love and affection in the memories school in Barke county over which schools and become a part of their grave yard of the "old White stands in the front rank of North of those who knew him best and he was elected to preside; it soon

WILLIAM ALEXANDER GRAHAM remarks and that is on the citizens was perhaps more widely known, Lincoln county has been the home and classic in their outline would of many brilliant and illustrious bave satisfied a sculptor; his form men, men whose names have adorn- was noble and commanding, cast ed the pages of history and are in- indeed in nature's finest mould scribed on the altars of fame, and Noted from his earliest years for that too in many of the vocations his industry, his thirst for knowlof life. Would not their names and edge, and his aptitude to learn ; deeds, the dominant traits of their possessing a moral constitution characters, and the principles upon complete on every side,-all of his which they attained success present | conduct being regulated not only valuable and useful lessons for the by the highest sense of honor, but vonth of our country, more especial- by the most scrupulous sense of ly in a republican government where duty, it is no wonder his native and position, wealth and power, life to her service. A lawyer preinfluence and usefulness are alike eminent in his profession, often a and Speaker of the House, Senator of the United States and Governor Act well your part, there all the honor lies. of North Carolina, Secretary of the While not interfering with the Navy under Fillmore and candidate study of school histories, but rather for Vice President on the Scott supplementing their work, it should ticket, his life is indeed a history of be a pleasant duty to search out service until his death, which ocand study the character and lives curred Aug. 11th, 1875, when he

JOSEPH GRAHAM

Among the early settiers of this county the name of Gen. Joseph He study of biography when he wrote the spirit of liberty be enlisted in of nineteen years. In an engagement near Charlotte this gallant young officer received nine wounds. six with the sabre and three with lead. He commanded in fifteen engagements in the War of the Revolation with courage and wisdom. sequently moved to Lincoln county that the imperfect mention here and engaged in the manufacture of in 1847, aged 67 years. pride for our grand old county and lishment with great energy and broad area of the "Lone Star" State to Congress in 1833 and served on promoting the cause of justice; state, and the minds of many of our prudence. His fornace was known boys with noble and lofty aspira- as Vesavius, now Smith's. He died tions to rise above medicerity, to do in 1836, aged about seventy-seven An eminent lawyer, Governor of the turned to his farm in this county well what their hands find to do, to years, and his remains were deposadorn whatever stations in life they ited in the graveyard at McPelah and Senator of the United States he pursuits until his death which occhurch.

DAVID SCHENCK is well known as a powerful and successful advocate and lawyer. A close student, a man of untiring energy and indomitable will, he has risen to the head of his profession. He was born in Lincolnton May 4th, 1835. He served as a Judge of the Superior Court from 1874 until 1881 when he resigned to become genera al counsel of the Richmond and serve that we have copied largely Danville R. R. Company in North Carolina and has continued in that position ever since. He has written a valuable history of the State from 1781 to 1785. Gov. Jarvis tendered him the position of Associate Jus-

WILLIAM MARCUS SHIPP. thirty-four years he was the Demo | Judge Shipp was a son of Bartlett toration and advancement of their of the best known men in North gratic candidate for Governor of Shipp and was born in Lincoln beloved southland.

the leaders in the last North Caro- time cannot efface.

JOHN FRANKLIN HOEE was born in Lincoln county on the the war with Mexico; be was adof gentleman."

PETER FORNEY

county he was a prominent man in church. the House of Commons, Senator, reposes all that is mortal of member of Congress, and often presidential elector. He was eny who was never a resident of this gaged in the manufacture of iron county except in death; but the and built the furnaces known Derr's fact that our sod covers his reand Johnston's. He died Feb'y mains makes his history interesting 1st. 1834 in the 78th year of his to us. He was a distinguished man age and was buried on his old in his day. An able lawyer, reprehomestead near Mr.J.F.Reinbardt's- setative in the General Assembly,

DANIEL M. FORNEY. was also a man of distinction. He served as a member of Congress was a son of Gen. Joseph Graham Word with power and effect ;teach from 1815 to 1818 and as a Senator and a native of Lincoln. He was ers, distinguished in the noble work from Lincoln county from 1823 to an able lawyer and practiced for of disciplining and training the

WM. PINENEY HENDERSON

a native of Lincolnton sought the He was elected from that District have been powerful instruments in for the full development of his giant til 1843, and again elected in 1845. intellect and won fortune and fame. he then retired from put lie life, re-State, General in the Mexican war and devoted himself to agricultural adorned the positions his courage enried in 1851 when he was about and talents won.

men's souls a brave array of soi graveyard at McPelah and his place diers marched from the county of of interment is indicated by a mar-Lincoln borning with patriotism ble slab with the simple inscription in the cause they had espoused and "James Graham." placed their lives on the altar of distinction of being generals in the and was interred at McPelah. Dr.

AND ROBT. D. JOHNSON. Col. John Hoke who was a useful his resignation as Judge another yard of the Episcopal church at of Unity and McPelah churches in sale by Dr. J.M. Lawing, Druggist.

place. The others have been spared glory to the church as well as to to expend their energies in the ress the State. Dr. Morrison was one

WILLIAM LANDER

it and enterprise of

ALEXANDER BREVARD. lived all his life Possessing many neutal army, and was actively euennobling traits of character he gaged during the entire war of the was much loved. Learned in the Revolution. Being of a retiring law be successfully practiced his nature he never sought political tachosen profession. He was often vor. He died Nov. 1st, 1829 and cultured christian gentleman be the popular representative of Lin- a large square monument marks has devoted the energies of his coln county in the Senate and House his place of interment in the grave great mind to the education of the of Representatives. A patriot and yard at McPelah church, a spot young, and working for the Master. soldier he served as captain in the chosen by himself and Gen. Grav He taught at many points in this 12th Regiment U. S. Volunteers in bam as a family burying ground. state and South Carolina with great

ROBERT H. BURTON jutant-General of the State in 1860- while not a native was a resident of Davenport Fe nale College at Le-61; Colonel of the 231 Regiment N. this county from early manhood moir, N. C.; and for the past fifteen C. Troops in the war between the until his death. He chose law as years has been the President of States. He died October 27th 1888 his profession and applied himself Williamston Female College, a and a marble monument in the with such assiduity and ability that dourishing justitution in Anderson, grave yard of the Episcopal church he soon rose to the head of the bar co., S.C. He has a classical and math at Lincolnton marks his last resting In 1818 he was appointed a Judge ematical education which has made place. In bim one of our land- of the Superior Courts of Law his name an authority on these marks passed away. He is one of which after riding one circuit he branches throughout the South and whom it may be said: "He bore resigned. In 1832 he was elected he ranks as one of the most disting without offence the grand old name Treasurer of the State which on ac- guished and successful educators of count of tailing health be declined. He died in 1842 loved by all who was a patriot and a soldier of the knew him and his remains were des names are dear and whose history Revolution and a native of this posited in the grave yard at Unity is left as a precious heritage to us

HUTCHINS G. BURTON member of Congress. Attorney

JAMES GRAHAM

1826. In 1834 he moved from this many years with great success. He youthful mind, physicians, who county to Alabama where he died removed to Rotherford county and have spent their lives in alle was its representative for many terms in the House of Commons efficiency; lawyers and judges who sixty eight years of age. He was In the great conflict that tried buried beside his father in the

ROBERT HALL MORRISON their country. For their gallantry died at his bome in this county May three of them were promoted to the 13th, 1889 aged ninety-one years armies of the Confederacy. These Morrison was the first President of Davidson College. His learning, STEPHEN D. RAMSAUR, ROBT. F. HOKE | zeal, abilily and high character did much to give the young institution The first of them poured out his a firm root as a place of learning lite-blood on the field of battle Oc- and sound moral training. He was tober 20th, 1864 when he was but an active Presbyterian minister for him the position of Associate Jus-tice of the Supreme Court of North 27 years of age. A marble shaft more than half a century and was medy? It is the best preparation known tice of the Supreme Court of North a native of Lincoln and a son of Carolina, which he declined. Upon erected to his memory in the grave for many years the beloved pastor guarantee at 25 cents and 50 cents. For

30, 1822. Dr. Abernathy is a striking instance of a self made man. Carolina. He sank to rest January tier after barrier till he occupies a WILLIAM ALEXANDER HOKE. and member of the Confederate try of the M. E. Charch, South. A We all know Aleck Hoke; we love Congress. He has a monument of tract of land was donated for a Carolina lawyers. He was one of has left a name the justre of which grew into an academy, then a sems mary, finally culminated in Ruths article that I wish to make a few was born in Lincoln county. He lina House of Representatives and The name of Brevard is one that erford College. He has accomplished made a reputation second to no has impressed itself on this section, ed a great work; he has educated their part in the great drama of life. than any of her sons. An educated well rounded character adorned ture of iron was an immense in fifth of whom he has given free tui-This is a broad and inviting field and cultured gentleman, nature had with the Christian graces on him dustry. The rock walls of the now tion. But the sad part is yet to tell. for the pens of the teachers when to him been profuse in external the ermine will be worthily best displated furnaces that we know On the 9th of August la t the flames they shall have completed the arti- gifts; in person he was the ideal of towed and he will wear it with abil- as Smith's, Brevard's, and Rein, swept the college away. Eich in the cles you have invited them to write. the patrician; his features regular lity and dignity. His father, the late hardt's are monuments to the spir- possession of a sublime faith to Providence, may be see another building arise Phoenix like out of 30th day of May, 1820 and here he He was a captain in the Conti- the ashes. He has done untold good and is greatly loved and honored by the people of the State.

SAMUEL LANDER was born in Lincolaton in 1833. A success. He was President of the country.

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