



ALLAN W. PAIGE,
District No. 21.

Hon. Allan W. Paige, of Bridgeport, Republican Senator from the Twenty-first District, is the son of John and Cornelia (Joyce) Paige and was born in Sherman, February 28, 1854. He received his education at Russell's Military School, N. H., and the Yale Law School, being a member of the class of '81. He was admitted to the bar in 1881. Senator Paige is one of the most prominent and influential Republicans in the State. He was a member of the House in 1882, Assistant Clerk in 1883, Clerk of the House in 1884 and Clerk of the Senate in 1885. He was a member of the House and Speaker in 1891. On December 15, 1887, he was married to Elizabeth D. Downs, and three children have blessed their union, two of which are living: Marian D., and Aline D. Senator Paige has held responsible positions in many institutions. Some of these are: Pequonnock National Bank, Connecticut Railway and Lighting Company, Cheshire Street Railway Company, Meriden, Southington and Compounce Street Railway Company, Naugatuck Valley Street Railway Company. He is also president of the Housatonic Power Company, and of the Connecticut Coal Company and director of the Springfield and Eastern Street Railway Company, the International Banking Company, and Automatic Bending Company. He is a member of the Union League Club, N. Y., the Hartford Club, Hartford, Union League Club, New Haven, the Waterbury Club, Waterbury and of all the clubs in Bridgeport. Senator Paige is a thirty-second degree Mason and a member of the I. O. O. F. He was the leader of the Senate, being chairman of the leading committee on Judiciary and chairman of three other committees. As leader of the Senate he made a record of which to feel proud. He won the high regard of all at the Capitol and well merits higher honors from the hands of the people of the State.