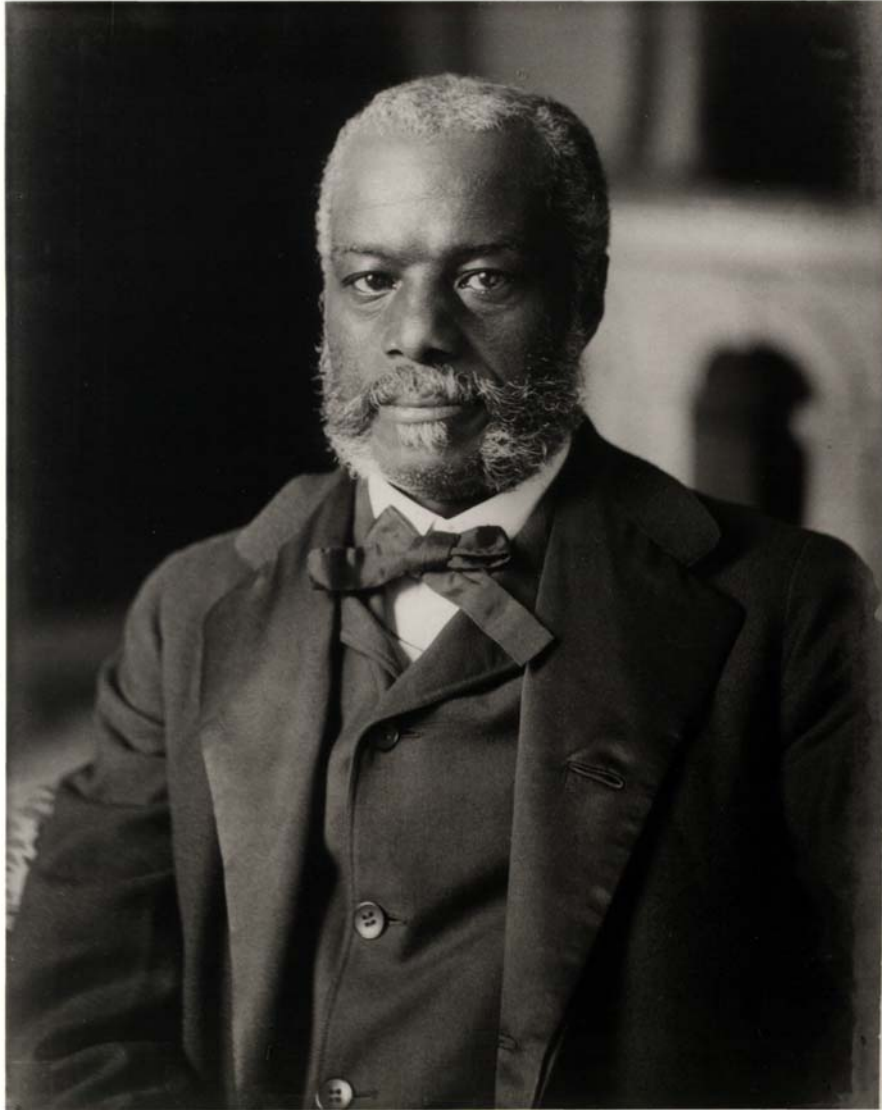


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*The Life of William Sanders Scarborough  
and His Friendship with Frederick Douglass*



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*William Sanders Scarborough was born into slavery in Macon, Georgia. Through his studies, particularly in Classics and ancient Greek, he went on to become a leading voice for African Americans in higher education in the late 19th and early 20th centuries. He was president of Wilberforce University in Ohio, he was the first African American member of the Modern Language Association, and he was one of the first African American members of the American Philological Association.*

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