Mr. S. G. Chitale from 1954 to 1956

The first Principal of NLC was Principal Chitale. He was the retired Principal of Government Law College. He along with Principal Joag conferred with Mr. Justice P. B. Gajendragadkar (afterwards the 7th Chief Justice of India), Mr. B. N. Gokhale, Advocate (afterwards Judge of the High Court of Bombay), Mahamahopadhaya Dr. P. V. Kane and a few other legal luminaries and educationist in the town and on their advice started the New Law College. Principal S. G. Chitale who was then soon to retire form Government Law College helped in preparing the scheme and agreed to be the first Principal of the college.