

## **S0123 Lowe Family Papers, 1922-1970, 2 Folders**

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Born in St. Louis, Walter Lowe, Sr. attended Sumner High School and was a 1909 graduate. He was the second African-American to serve on the St. Louis Board of Aldermen in 1945 (19th ward). A veteran of World War I, he continued to serve his community, state and nation by serving as Past Commander of Tom Powell Post of the American Legion (all black post named after a WWI veteran from St. Louis), and as Past Vice-Commander of the Missouri Department.

### **FOLDER LIST**

Folder 1. Material from Tom Powell Post of the American Legion, 1935-1961

Folder 2. Material on Homer G. Phillips Hospital, 1937-1961, Sumner High School Reunion program, 1959