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Biographical Notes:

Walter Lindsey Brown (Feb. 14, 1903-Aug. 17, 1975) was a native of Williamson, West Virginia and lawyer for Western Electric Company in New York from 1941-1964. Prior to moving to New York, Brown was a Huntington lawyer and community leader. Brown was a Rhodes scholar and a member of the New York and West Virginia Bar Associations. He died in New Canaan, Connecticut.

Scope and Content:

Papers include copies of speech and articles, memorials, correspondence, and newspaper clippings. Speeches include “Advising Management” [on legal issues] and a graduation speech from the 1926 commencement exercises from the University of Virginia. Articles include "A Substitute for the Bricker Amendment" from the Virginia Law Review and a resolution from Huntington Galleries mourning Brown. Clippings include obituaries about Brown’s death. Correspondence focuses on planning a memorial for Brown after his death, as well as the dedication of Walter L. Brown Hall at the University of Virginia School of Law.

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