



225th Anniversary
1789-2014

Archie Owen Dawson

Born:

October 9, 1898
Pomfret, CT

Received Commission:

April 27, 1954

Died:

August 3, 1964

Judge Dawson, born in Pomfret, CT, received an A.B. from Columbia University in 1921 and graduated from Columbia Law School, LL.B., in 1923.

Before serving as United States District Judge, Judge Dawson served as a private in the U.S. Army during World War II. Judge Dawson was in private practice in New York City from 1923 to 1954 and served as a delegate to the New York constitutional convention in 1933.

Judge Dawson was nominated United States District Judge for the Southern District of New York by Dwight D. Eisenhower on April 6, 1954 and received his commission on April 27, 1954.
