

# Emily Gray Shreve Papers, 1851-1987 A&M 3024

Emily Gray Shreve Papers  
1851-1987



## Title Statement

Emily Gray Shreve Papers, 1851-1987 A&M 3024

**Author:** Staff of the West Virginia & Regional History Center

## Publication Statement

**Publisher:** West Virginia and Regional History Center

1549 University Ave.  
P.O. Box 6069  
Morgantown, WV 26506-6069  
Business Number: 304-293-3536  
wvrhcref@westvirginia.libanswers.com  
URL: <https://wvrhc.lib.wvu.edu>



## Profile Description

**Creation:** This finding aid was produced using ArchivesSpace on 2026-06-18 13:15:25 -0400.

**Language Usage:** English

**Descriptive Rules:** Describing Archives: A Content Standard

## Descriptive Summary

**Unit ID**

A&M 3024

**Unit ID**

[Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

[Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID**

/repositories/2/resources/1215

**Unit Date**

1851-1987

**Language**

English

**Creator**

Shreve, Emily Gray

**Extent**

0.4 Linear Feet 6 1/2 in. (1 document case, 5 in.)

**Physical Location**

West Virginia and Regional History Center / West Virginia University / 1549 University Avenue / P.O. Box 6069 / Morgantown, WV 26506-6069 / Phone: 304-293-3536 / URL: West Virginia & Regional History Center

**Repository**

West Virginia and Regional History Center

## Administrative Information

**Conditions Governing Access**

No special access restriction applies.

**Conditions Governing Use**

Permission to publish or reproduce is required from the copyright holder. For more information, please see the Permissions and Copyright page on the West Virginia and Regional History Center website.

**Preferred Citation**

[Description and date of item], [Box/folder number], Emily Gray Shreve Papers, A&M 3024, West Virginia and Regional History Center, West Virginia University Libraries, Morgantown, West Virginia.

## Scope and Contents

The papers of a Martinsburg native related to local prominent families. There are genealogical notes and papers concerning the following families: Anderson, Beall, Chenowith, Cowan, Cromwell, Gilbert, Gray, Hoffman, Magruder, McConnell, Newcomer, and Silver. Also included are the letters and papers of Edmond L. Hoffman, who served early in the Civil War as a lieutenant in the Stonewall Brigade. He describes in extensive detail the First Battle of Bull Run. In later letters, he presents his and the prevailing Confederate opinion about the Northern generals Pope, Burnside, Hooker and Meade. He also describes Confederate forces and their officers. Included are a few letters after the Civil War from the frontier mentioning Kansas City and Oklahoma (the Indian Territory). Also includes three Confederate currency notes (1864) and one reproduction of a Confederate currency note (1954).

## Keywords

Jefferson County.

Bull Run, 1st Battle of, Va., 1861

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865

Frontier and pioneer life

Money -- Confederate States of America

Hoffman family

Shreve, Emily Gray

Anderson family - Genealogy

Beal family

Chenoweth family

Cowan family

Cromwell family

Gilbert family

Gray family

Magruder family

McConnell family

Newcomer family

Silver family

## Description of Subordinate Components

### **Genealogical Notebook**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170655

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 1 (Folder)

### **Edmond L. Hoffman Civil War Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170656

**Unit Date** 1859-1861

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 2 (Folder)

### **Edmond L. Hoffman Civil War Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170657

**Unit Date** 1862

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 3 (Folder)

### **Edmond L. Hoffman Civil War Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170658

**Unit Date** 1863

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 4 (Folder)

### **Edmond L. Hoffman Civil War Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170659

**Unit Date** 1864-1865

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 5 (Folder)

### **Edmond L. Hoffman Civil War Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170660

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 6 (Folder)

### **Photocopies of R.E. Lee Surrender**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170661

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 7** (Folder)

**Post-Civil War Frontier Correspondence**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170662

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 8** (Folder)

**Miscellaneous Nineteenth Century Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170663

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 9** (Folder)

**Local History -- Jefferson County**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170664

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 10** (Folder)

**McConnell-Cowan-Magruder-Newcomer-Cromwell-Gilbert Family Histories**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170665

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 11** (Folder)

**Gray Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170666

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 12** (Folder)

**Silver Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170667

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 13** (Folder)

**Hoffman Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170668

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container 14** (Folder)

**Chenowith Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170669

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 15 (Folder)

**Anderson Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170670

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 16 (Folder)

**Beall Family History**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170671

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 17 (Folder)

**Emily Gray Shreve Papers**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170672

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 18 (Folder)

**Miscellaneous**

**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/170673

**Unit Date** ca. 1851-1987

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)

**Container** 19 (Folder)