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Biographical / Historical

Bonnie L. Brown is a former representative in the West Virginia House of Delegates (1982-2012) best known for her advocacy for women's rights.

Brown was born Bonnie Louise Wonderley in San Francisco, California to Thelma Asbury and Wilbert Wonderly on October 5th, 1942. After being raised between California and Oregon, she attended Oregon State University in Corvallis, Oregon, where she met fellow student Gary Leigh Brown, and they married in 1965 June. They both transferred to the University of Idaho in Moscow, Idaho to continue their education.

After Gary L. Brown's graduation from the University of Idaho with his doctorate in chemical engineering, the couple moved to Charleston, West Virginia for his employment with Union Carbide. During the move from Idaho to West Virginia in 1969, Brown gave birth to her daughter Mollie Brown in Kansas. After the birth of her second child, Joel, Brown graduated from the Morris Harvey College (now the University of Charleston) in Charleston, West Virginia in 1972 with a Bachelor of Arts in English. She was elected president of the Charleston Chapter National Organization for Women (NOW) in 1975. That same year she attended the National Equal Rights Amendment (ERA) Task Force as a representative for West Virginia. She also organized the first "People's Lobby" around public interest legislation as the legislative coordinator for the West Virginia Citizen's Action Group.

In 1976, she stepped down as the president of Charleston NOW to become the president of the state chapter, West Virginia NOW. She would hold this position until 1978. During her time as president of West Virginia NOW, she was the West Virginia delegate to the National Women's Conference in Houston, Texas in 1977 and the West Virginia convenor for the U.S. National Women's Agenda. In 1977, she founded the now-defunct Women's Repertory Theatre in Charleston, West Virginia, which sought to combine politics and women's

theater.

In 1978, she stepped down as president of West Virginia NOW to serve as the legislative coordinator and chief lobbyist. During this time, she was active as a consultant and field organizer for the national ERA movement and as a lobbyist in West Virginia, Washington, D.C., Virginia, Kentucky, Delaware, Florida, and Vermont.

She began a formal political career in 1982. She represented District 23 in the West Virginia House of Delegates from 1982-1988 and 1990 and District 30 from 1992-1994 and 2000-2012.

During her time in the legislature, she was a member of a variety of committees and commissions, most notably the Constitutional Revision Committee, Health and Welfare Committee, Judiciary Committee, Legislative Commission on Juvenile Law, Select Committee on Children and Families, Women's Legislative Caucus, and South Charleston Human Rights Commission.

After an unsuccessful run for reelection in 2012, Brown did not attempt to run for another political position. As of 2025 April, she lives in Charleston, West Virginia.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains the papers of Bonnie L. Brown, a feminist activist and former representative in the West Virginia House of Delegates (1982-2012). The majority of materials are various collected papers from conferences and events Brown attended between 1974 and 2022.

Prevalent topics in the collection include the International Woman's Year, the Women's Repertory Theater in Charleston, West Virginia, the West Virginia House of Delegates, Charleston Chapter National Organization for Women (NOW), and West Virginia NOW.

Also of interest is Brown's collection of metal political and social commentary pins promoting the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA), NOW, and women's rights. There are also collected T-Shirts relevant to her feminist activism and political campaigning.

Brown loaned several scrapbooks covering her time in the West Virginia House of Delegates to the WVRHC for scanning. These digital files are available for viewing upon request. They mostly include photographs from events such as ERA marches, political rallies, political campaigning, and sessions in the West Virginia House of Delegates. There are also some digital scans of notes and election ephemera.

The collection is divided into two series:

Series 1. Papers (Boxes 1-5)

- An addendum of 2023 March 02 can be found alongside the original donation in boxes 1-4. - An addendum of 2024 September 06 can be found in boxes 1-3 and 5.

Series 2. Ephemera (Boxes 5-6)

- An addendum of 2024 September 06 can be found in box 5.

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Series 1. Papers

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Unit Date 1974-2022 and undated

Scope and Contents

This series contains materials collected or created by Bonnie Brown during her time as an activist and politician in West Virginia between 1974 and 2022. Prevalent topics include the International Women's

Year and conferences focused on women's rights in West Virginia. There is also material from her time in the Women's Repertory Theatre beginning in 1978. Materials mostly consist of brochures, digital files, newspaper clippings, mailers, pamphlets, photographs, resumes, and transcripts.

Addresses, Remarks, and Speeches

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Unit Date 1977-1995 and undated

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Unit Date 1986-1995 and undated

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Articles by Bonnie Brown

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Unit Date 1994-2012

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Unit Date 1992-1993

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Biographies and Resumes

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Unit Date 1982-2022 and undated

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Unit Date 1995 February 14 and undated

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Unit Date 1981-1994 and undated

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Letters to Editor by Bonnie Brown

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Unit Date 1984-1998

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232135

Unit Date 1986 September 26-1986 September 28

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Unit Date 1976-1978

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232138

Unit Date 1992 October 11

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NOW - Candlelight Vigil in Honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. and His Foremothers

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Unit Date 1986 January 20

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232140

Unit Date 1989 October

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Optimist Club of South Charleston - Luncheon Meeting

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232141

Unit Date 2001 January 18

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Unit Date 1987 August 03

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Partnerships in Assistive Technologies

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit Date 1997-1999 and undated

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People Against War Preparations - Reagan's Budget Cuts - Discussion Forum

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Political Parody Lyrics

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Unit Date 1975-1990 and undated

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Political Parody Lyrics

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232146

Unit Date undated

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Unit Date 1977-1980

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West Virginia Human Resources Association - Conference and Meeting

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Unit Date 1977 and undated

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West Virginia Institute of Technology - Connections - Workshop

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Unit Date undated

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West Virginia Manufacturers Association - Annual Meeting

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Unit Date 1998 July 14

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West Virginia National Guard - Federal Women's Program - Conference

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Unit Date 1976 December 03

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West Virginia NOW

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Unit Date 1977-1992

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West Virginia NOW - Fundraising Cards

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Unit Date 1974-1975 and undated

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West Virginia NOW - State Conference

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West Virginia Network for Young Children - Annual Meeting

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Unit Date 1989 October 13

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West Virginia Partners in Policy-Making

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232171

Unit Date 1994 May 20

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 23 (Folder)

West Virginia State College - Conferences

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232172

Unit Date 1978 October 26 and undated

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 24 (Folder)

West Virginia State College - Outreach to Women - Workshop

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232173

Unit Date 1975 March 22

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West Virginia University (WVU) - Celebration and Conference

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Unit Date 1984-1995

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West Virginia Women's Commission

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232175

Unit Date 1974-1997

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Women's Repertory Theatre**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232183**Unit Date** 1977-1978**Mixed Materials** 4 (Box)**Container** 8 (Folder)**Young Women's Christian Association****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232184**Unit Date** 1986-2000**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 33 (Folder)**Series 2. Ephemera****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232185**Unit Date** 1977-2006 and undated**Scope and Contents**

This series contains T-Shirts and pins collected by Bonnie Brown during her time as an activist and politician in West Virginia between 1977 and 2006.

Feminae Semper Libera T-Shirt**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232186**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 1 (Item)**West Virginia Coalition Against Domestic Violence T-Shirt****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232187**Unit Date** undated**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 2 (Item)**NOW National Conference, O'Dell for Action T-Shirt****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232188**Unit Date** 1985 July**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 3 (Item)**Ladies Sewing Circle and Terrorist Society T-Shirt****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/232189**Unit Date** 1977**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 4 (Item)

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Mondale Ferraro NOW T-Shirt

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NOW Man of the Year, Mr. Bonnie Brown T-Shirt

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National Women's Conference, Women on the Move T-Shirt

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Unit Date 1977 November

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NOW O'Dell for Action Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232194

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 1 (Item)

ERA YES Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232195

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 2 (Item)

NOW National Conference, Washington, D.C., Here...Now Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232196

Unit Date 1978

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 3 (Item)

Another Voting Woman Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232197

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 4 (Item)

I read banned books Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit Date undated

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Container 5 (Item)

South Charleston Armed Forces Day Parade, Jessica Lynch, Parade Marshall Pin

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Unit Date 2006 May 20

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Container 6 (Item)

Women Weren't Born Democrats or Republicans or Yesterday Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232200

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 7 (Item)

West Virginia Coalition Against Domestic Violence, You Can't Beat a West Virginia Woman Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232201

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 8 (Item)

WV FREE, A Reproductive Rights Coalition, Pro-Choice Voter Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232202

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 9 (Item)

We Have Been Too Nice Too Long Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232203

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 10 (Item)

Straight But Not Narrow Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232204

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 11 (Item)

Mobilize for Women's Lives Across the USA & Washington, DC November 12th Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232205

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 12 (Item)

NOW, National Organization for Women, West Virginia Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232206

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 13 (Item)

Democratic National Conference, Women's Caucus, Chicago '96, Clinton/GORE '96 Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232207

Unit Date 1996 August 28

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 14 (Item)

1885 Alice Paul 1977 Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232208

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 15 (Item)

Save Roe, We Won't Go Back, Defend Choice Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232209

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 16 (Item)

Support ERA Now Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232210

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 17 (Item)

I Am A Shameless Agitator Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232211

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 18 (Item)

59 cents Pin

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/232212

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 19 (Item)