

Mary Florence Bugbee

(1879 – 23 Feb 1960)

Bugbee, Mary F. On Tuesday, February 23, 1960, at her residence, 7130 Chestnut st. nw., Miss Mary F. Bugbee, beloved sister of the late Harriet May Bugbee, cousin of Charlotte W. and John W. Hazard. Friends may call at the Takoma Funeral Home, 254 Carroll st. nw. (parking opposite), where services will be held on Thursday, February 25, at 10:30 a.m. Interment Congressional Cemetery.

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Mary Bugbee, 80, First Woman Survey Editor

Miss Mary F. Bugbee, 80, an employe of the Geological Survey branch of the Department of the Interior for over a quarter century, died yesterday morning at her home, 7130 Chestnut street, Takoma Park, after a heart attack.

A native of Washington, Miss Bugbee graduated from Eastern High School and taught school at Good Hope Hill School from 1900 to 1907.

She joined the Geological Survey in 1923 and remained there until 1949 becoming chief editor of their editorial offices. She was the first woman ever to hold that position.

She was a member of the American Library Association, the Geological Society of Washington and the National Federation of Federal Employees.

Services will be held tomorrow at the Takoma Funeral Home, 254 Carroll street N.W., followed by burial in Congressional Cemetery.