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M. Mabel Shaffer
Rocky Mountain National Park
1924-1940

- Born in Pennsylvania, c. 1891.
- Started as a clerk-stenographer at Rocky Mountain National Park in April 1924.
- Promoted to chief clerk of Rocky Mountain National Park in 1931.
- Was a mountaineer, excellent skier, and winter sports enthusiast.
- In February 1931, skied between Rand Lake and Fern Lake in Rocky Mountain National Park, becoming the first woman to ski across that part of with range within the park boundaries.
- Her annual salary as chief clerk was \$2,300 in 1940.
- Resigned in the summer of 1940.
- No additional information has been found about her to date.

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