## ARTIST BIOGRAPHICAL RECORD

Artist name: Hood, Mary V.

City and country of birth: Alpes-Maritimes Prov., France

Residence: USA

Career:

Collaborator and illustrator, National Parks Interpreter Service, Yosemite National Park, 1953 -

Freelance artist and nature photographer.

Artwork medium:

Watercolor

Work reproduced in (publications the artist was commissioned to illustrate or works authored by the artist):

- <u>101 Wildflowers of Yosemite</u>. Yosemite Natural History Association, 1938.
- Lyman, W.W. <u>California Wildflowers in Verse and Picture</u>. Privately printed, Los Angeles, 1939.
- Many leaflets of the Los Angeles Audubon Society, and in contributions to Yosemite Notes.

Please include any pertinent biographical information not covered by the above categories:

Specialty: Botanical artist (California wildflowers), nature photography (10,000 color transparencies of California plants and animals given to University of California, Los Angeles, lecturer on nature study.

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