### Elizabeth Seward Hulburd (Hine-Alderson)

### Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Documents

(Compiled by Ted Hine – June 2003)

According to documents scanned and included below Betty applied for DAR membership on December 29, 1937 at age 20 while living at home in St. Louis. She was accepted February 1, 1938 as "National Number 305800". (The Daughters of the American Revolution was incorporated by Act of Congress in 1896 and is a patriotic organization which promotes historic preservation and education.)

In order to be admitted, prospective members must show that they are direct descendents of someone who fought on the American side in the Revolutionary War.

Betty's qualifying ancestor was Col. John Seward (1730-1797). According to the documents:

"John Seward served as Capt. 2<sup>nd</sup> Reg. Sussex Co., N.J. Lt. Col. Feb. 28, 1777 and Colonel of same Regiment. He was at the battles of Fort Washington-White Plains-Princeton-Flatbush- was so obnoxious to the British that a price was put on his head."

The membership application below documents her ancestry back to Col. John Seward. The application is somewhat hard to read here as it was scanned from a copy made back in the 1930's which was not of high quality.

I don't recall her ever being active in the organization though it's certainly possible that she was. The documents below suggest that she maintained her membership through at least 1946 and was "reinstated" on June 9, 1967 after moving back to St. Louis after her divorce. Membership cards (below) show continued membership through 1973. There is no record that she maintained her membership after that but she easily could have.

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# Daughters of the American Revolution

Chis certifies that
Betty Seward Hulburd
is a regularly approved member of the National Society of the Daughters of the
American Revolution, and the St. Louis Chapter,
having been admitted by the National Board of Management by virtue of her
descent from John Seward who with
unfailing loyalty rendered material aid to the cause of American Independence
as Golonel during the Revolutionary War.
Given under our hands and the seal of the National Lociety
this tenth day of March 1938
National No. 305800 Slovens Hague Becker
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## DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Accepted by the National Board of Management FEB 1 1938, 193  Nay Gravin Talmady:  Recording Secretary General.
Endorsement for membership at large:
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State Regent.
Nominated and recommended by the undersigned members of the Society. Two names of endorsers required, one of whom at least must live in the same town in which the applicant resides, provided there is a Chapter in that town. If there is no Chapter, at least one of the endorsers must be a resident in that State.
ENDORSERS Name Hazin Name Haziel C. Hulburd
Residence Til 2 William C 13 Residence 48 Vandeventer Place
St. Louis, Missouri
Towns County NSDAR

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I, being of the age of eighteen
years and upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal
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and died in Amulttour Now Jorgey on the 19th day of 1804, 1-191-
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(Please give all dates by numerals, month first, and given names in full)
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\* Wife in every instance in this paper means legal and lawful wife.

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Resolution adopted by the Twenty-fourth Continental Congress:

Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.

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Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is not less than eighteen years of age, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unfailing loyalty to the cause of American Independence, served as a sailor, or as a soldier or civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or in the United Colonies or States, or as a recognized patriot, or rendered material aid thereto; provided the applicant is personally acceptable to the Society.

Official proof of service must be furnished with the application; also references to authorities quoted, to show line of descent. Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records, the applicant must file duplicate certified copies of same.

### ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

John Seward served as Capt. 2nd Reg. Sussex Co., K.J. Lt. Col.Feb.23,1777 adm Colonel of same Regiment. He was at the battles of Fort Washington-White Plains-Princeton Flatbush- was so obnoxious to the British that a price was put on his hoad.

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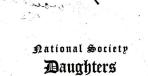
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#### National Society Daughters of the American Revolution

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Mrs. Joseph H. M. Murphy REGISTRAR, JEFFERSON CHAPTER 63 CHAFFORD WOODS ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63144

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May 4, 1967

Mrs. Elizabeth S. H. Hine 1112 Terrace Dr., St. Louis, Missouri 63117

My dear Mrs. Hine:

Ann Barton has just called me saying that you have received our invitation to be a member in Jefferson Chapter and are writing your note of acceptance. We are so delighted to know that you will be one of us and are doing everything we can to see that the reinstatement is received in Washington before the National Board Meeting in June.

Enclosed is a card which you are to sign and return to me. With it should be a check for \$10.00, which is for your chapter, state and national dues. Our treasurer will send it right in to Washington. Make check payable to Jefferson Chapter, DARL

It is also necessary that a copy of your papers be in our files. Washington will send us a copy for a fee of \$2.00. Please send me another check payable to Treasurer General, NSDAR. I will request that paper and include your check.

Since you married after you originally joined the Society, I will also need to provide this data for entry on your papers and for the records in Washington. Ann was able to give me some of the data, but I believe it would be best for you to complete the enclosed copy of the section at the bottom of page 3 of the applications, so that I can forward it with my request for the paper. Then return it to me with the card and the checks.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me - see my number at the top of this letter.

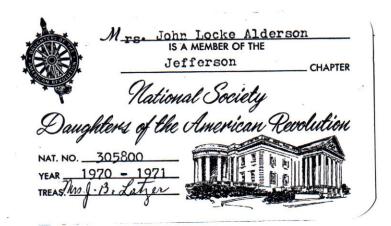
I am looking forward to meeting you soon with so much pleasure and know that we are most fortunate to have you as a member.

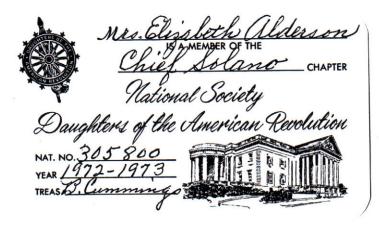
Sincerely,

Mary Q. S. Murphy (Mrs. Joseph E. W.)

Registrar

Encl.





#### MY DAR CREED

by Anne Rogers Minor

WE BELIEVE in a patriotism which loves one's Country as the dearest and best in the world and does not refuse to defend it.

WE BELIEVE in a loyalty to its government which leaves no room for socialism or communism.

WE BELIEVE in a love of peace which leaves no room for the pacifism that ' would buy peace at any price, even at the sacrifice of truth, honor and righteousness.

WE BELIEVE in a living faith in God that leaves no room for atheism.

Such ideals have a vital, spiritual appeal. Linked with memorials to America's past, they seek the perpetuation of the noblest and best for America's present and future.

(These words of Anne Rogers Minor, our Honorary President General, live after her. Mrs. Minor died October, 1947.)