

Elizabeth Hulburd-Hine-Alderson

Volunteer Activities

Compiled by son Ted Hine – November, 2004

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Introduction

Betty Hulburd-Hine-Alderson was involved in volunteer activities her entire adult life. Found after her death among her effects was a file folder containing letters, awards, and certificates she had accumulated from 1937 to 1985. Some of these appear below.

Ted Hine
November 8, 2004
Louisville, Colorado



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December 1, 1937

Miss Betty Hulburd
78 Vandeventer Place
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Miss Hulburd:

Confirming Mrs. Goodall's telephone call, there will be a meeting of the volunteers who will serve in the Barnes Hospital Library on Friday morning, December 3, 1937 at 10:30 a.m. at Barnes Hospital. The meeting will be held in the Trustee's Room, which is on the first floor to the left of the main entrance.

We are so glad that you will be able to work in the library this year, and are looking forward to having you with us on Friday morning.

Sincerely yours,

Isabel A. Baer
Mrs. Howard F. Baer, Chairman
Health and Hospital Committee
Department of Volunteer Service

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1937 To 1939 First Aid Cards

THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS



THIS CERTIFIES THAT

_____ BETTY SEWARD HULBURD _____

HAS COMPLETED THE STANDARD _____ COURSE

OF INSTRUCTION IN FIRST AID TO THE INJURED UNDER THE

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10/29/37 _____

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DIRECTOR, FIRST AID AND LIFE SAVING

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This Certifies That BETTY S. HULBURD _____

whose signature appears on the reverse side, is an Instructor

of the American Red Cross First Aid Service, and is authorized to

conduct Junior, Standard and Advanced First Aid Courses in the

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI _____ Chapter, for the

period APRIL 12, 1938 to JANUARY 1, 1939 _____

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July 31, 1939

Miss Betty Hulburd
78 Vandeventer Place
Saint Louis, Missouri

Dear Miss Hulburd:

Enclosed is a little statement of the volunteer work that you have done through this Department. A formal statement like this can not possibly express the appreciation we have felt for the fine service you have given.

If you would like me to reword it in any way, or to add something else, please do not hesitate to ask.

I wish you all success in making a connection in the east, and know that whatever you undertake you will do well.

Yours sincerely,

(Mrs.) Frances Goodall
Placement Secretary
Department of Volunteer Service

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July 31, 1939

To whom it may concern:

The following statement relates to the work done by Miss Betty Hulburd as a volunteer in the social agencies in St. Louis.

I interviewed Miss Hulburd in January, 1937, as a prospective volunteer, and she impressed me as an unusually intelligent and capable young woman. I placed her in the Social Service Department of the Washington University Clinics, 507 South Euclid Avenue, where she served as a clinic aide in the surgical clinic three mornings a week. She handled this position quite capably for almost a year.

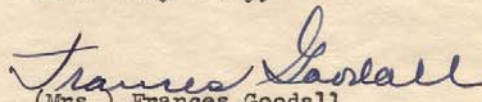
I placed her, also, in the library service at Barnes Hospital where she served regularly one afternoon a week, distributing books to patients, and assisting with the clerical work. This work also was handled very capably.

The following year I placed Miss Hulburd in a Public Health Center maintained by the Municipal Visiting Nurses of St. Louis, where she served for six months as a clinic aide, making quite satisfactory contacts with patients, and handling the clerical routine very satisfactorily.

Miss Hulburd has been quite helpful in several other instances, in performing such services as taking patients to clinics, and doing emergency clerical work.

In the fall of 1937 Miss Hulburd attended a training course for volunteers in social work given by this Department. She took an intelligent interest in the course, and was faithful in attendance.

Yours very truly,


(Mrs.) Frances Goodall
Placement Secretary
Department of Volunteer Service

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1939 Red Cross

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November 16, 1939

Miss Betty Seward Hulburt
 140 East 46th Street
 New York, N. Y.

My dear Miss Hulburt:

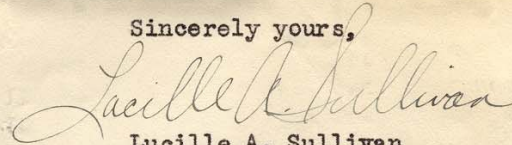
I was so happy to hear from you and to know that you have such an interesting position. It seems that the future in that field of work might be very promising. I am sure it is grand for your mother and you to have your little brother so close by and in such a good school.

I am writing to our National Organization advising them that you are now living in New York and would like very much to have your lay instructor's authorization transferred there. They will handle it from there on and I am sure they will be prompt about it.

I would suggest that you drop into the Chapter office and talk to them about the possibility of your teaching a class. Chapters are always happy to have the benefit of such services as you were able to give and it will, of course, be necessary for them to authorize your transfer to their chapter.

With every good wish, I am,

Sincerely yours,



Lucille A. Sullivan
 Director
 Volunteer Service

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P.S. I am forwarding copy of this letter to the office of the National Organization.

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Miss Betty S. Hulburd
 157 East 46th Street
 New York City

My dear Miss Hulburd:-

Mrs. Rothholz has referred your letter to me. I am in great need of First Aid Instructors and would appreciate it very much if you would be so kind as to fill in the enclosed Volunteer application blank and at the same time send us the date of your Instructor Card so that we may send to Washington for a New York Certificate.

Many thanks for your kind offer.

Yours very sincerely,

A Hathaway Weekes

(MISS) A. HATHAWAY WEEKES
 Assistant Director
 First Aid Service

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The American National Red Cross

Volunteer Special Services Certificate

This Certifies that BETTY HINE has completed the prescribed course FOR NURSE'S AIDES conducted by the PASSAIC CHAPTER of The American National Red Cross.

Issued at WASHINGTON, D. C. JULY 1942

S. M. H. Roosevelt
President

Pauline E. Davis
Director, Volunteer Special Services

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Chapter Chairman



The American National Red Cross
to

ELIZABETH HINE

In recognition of meritorious personal service performed in behalf of the nation, her armed forces, and suffering humanity in the Second World War.

Claude Knodler
CHAPTER CHAIRMAN


Harry Truman
PRESIDENT

ISSUED
November 1945

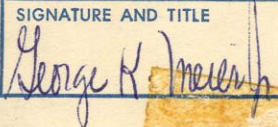
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WEST ESSEX

Basil O'Leary
CHAIRMAN

1958 Red Cross Identification

 **THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS**
IDENTIFICATION - VOLUNTEER

The individual identified on this card and whose signature appears on the back is affiliated with the Red Cross as indicated.

FULL NAME	
Mrs. E. K. Hine	
POSITION AND AFFILIATION	
Nurse's Aide West Essex Chapter Caldwell, N.J.	
DATE ISSUED:	June 1958
SIGNATURE AND TITLE	
	Chapter Chairman

Finch Alumnae Association

60 EAST 78TH STREET
NEW YORK 21, N. Y.

BUTTERFIELD 8-2980

May 14, 1964

Mrs. Hulburd Hine
1112 Terrace Drive
St. Louis, Missouri 63117

Dear Mrs. Hine:

Unfortunately, the Pulitzer Prizes for this year were already decided by the time we received your column of class news, but we want you to know that we liked it very much and we want to thank you for coming to the rescue of the Class of 1937.

Is there any chance that we'd be lucky enough to have you write for us again next year, or would you suggest a classmate who would be interested in serving as Class Secretary for the 1965 magazine.

Set aside some extra time for reading this year's magazine, because we have received more than twice as much news this year as last. And some of the photographs are priceless.

Again thank you for your good work.

Sincerely,

Katherine M. Canaday

Katherine M. Canaday
Executive Secretary

*Finch Alumnae Association*60 EAST 78TH STREET
NEW YORK 21, N. Y.9/16/64
no.

BUTTERFIELD 8-2980

September 10, 1964

Mrs. Hulburd Hine
1112 Terrace Drive
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Mrs. Hine,

Thank you so much for serving as your class secretary for the 1964 Alumnae Magazine. We really appreciate your assistance in making the Class News Section larger and more complete than ever before; and we hope that you were pleased with the magazine when you received it last month.

We are now in the process of making up a list of class secretaries for the 1965 magazine, since we want to give the secretaries more time for gathering news this year than in the past. Will you kindly return the enclosed card to let us know whether or not you can be class secretary again this year? We hope so much that you will say yes. We would appreciate your suggesting a replacement if you are unable to continue as class secretary. If we do not hear from you by October 30 we will assume that you are no longer interested.

Sincerely,

*Stephanie Bookwalter*Stephanie Bookwalter
Assistant Secretary

1964 Red Cross - Letter



THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

WEST ESSEX CHAPTER
14 PARK AVENUE, CALDWELL, NEW JERSEY
CApital 6-0738

November 12, 1964

Dear Betty:

So very good to hear from you again and know you are settled and thinking along R.C. lines. In fact, if I might offer a suggestion, if you really want to get into a fascinating as well as a remunerative occupation, you might consider R.C. Your volunteer experience really is a great background for this type of work. I am finding it invaluable.

Speaking of West Essex and "My Year" -- some year Shirl took to be away, the Post Office is serious about taking the building; United Fund is amalgamating with Montclair Community Chest and causing many, many meetings and problems. National Red Cross wants the nine chapters of Essex County to consolidate, etc., etc., etc. This paragraph is not for discussion with the citizenry of West Essex but it is good to be able to say it to someone. So you see what fascinating things do come up along with the normal daily things, like more volunteers, training, blood, etc.

Enclosed is your transcript and once you have chosen an affiliation let us know so we can write them and extoll your virtues.

And, if you wish to use my name as a reference, please do so!

Keep us posted on all your activities, the boys, etc. Our youngest, Tom, is a freshman in engineering at University of Vermont; Ted, the elder, graduates from Cornell in June. His engagement will be announced on Thanksgiving Day. Wedding next summer and on to two years in Navy. I do feel old but very excited over all this.

Affectionately,


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Mrs. Hulburd Hine
1112 Terrace Drive
St. Louis
Missouri 63117

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11/23/64

1964 Red Cross – Transfer Record



VOLUNTEER TRANSFER RECORD
(See instructions for use, Form 1919-Y)

NAME OF VOLUNTEER (Include given name.) MR. Mrs. Hulburd Hine (Betty) MRS. MISS		
IF MARRIED GIVE HUSBAND'S FULL NAME AND MILITARY GRADE, IF ANY		
NEW ADDRESS (Street, city, zone & state. If military give complete military address.) 1112 Terrace Drive, St. Louis, Mo. 63117		
CHAPTER OR OVERSEAS INSTALLATION MAKING TRANSFER West Essex		
CHAPTER ADDRESS 14 Park Ave., Caldwell, New Jersey		
SIGNATURE Mrs. J. vonLengerke, Jr.	TITLE Chm. of Volunteers	DATE 11-6-64

A RECORD OF THIS VOLUNTEER'S SERVICE IS ON THE BACK OF THIS CARD.

SERVICE RECORD

DATE	TRAINING RECEIVED	POSITION HELD	KIND OF SERVICE	NO. HRS.
1940-55 -	with other chapters -	no record here		
1942	N.A. trng. rcd. @	Passaic Chapter		
1955-63	@ West Essex		1365 hours	
	R.C. Orientation -	1959		
	N.A. Chairman -	1958-60		
	Board Member -	1958-61		
	Vice Chm., Office of	Volunteers -	1960-62	
	Alt. Rep. EOVAH - RC	Council -	Jan-June 1963	

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1967 Red Cross Letter



THE AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

WEST ESSEX CHAPTER

14 PARK AVENUE, CALDWELL, NEW JERSEY 07006

Telephone: Area Code 201
226-0738

*ans.
5/29/67*

April 28, 1967

Mrs. E. K. Hine
1112 Terrace Drive
St. Louis, Missouri 63117

Dear Betty:

This letter may come as a surprise and I'm sure you are wondering what the purpose.

First let me say on behalf of our board members who remember well the splendid contribution of your talents to Red Cross, that we indeed would welcome your presence in this good old West Essex area. Perhaps this will be our good fortune some time in the not too distant future.

Now, for the purpose of this letter. Ernest Oliver who was chairman of the board during your term of office, is retiring from active business and moving to Maine. He served five years as chairman and gave of himself generously during trying times. We want to pay tribute to his service.

The decision has been made that our feelings be expressed in a testimonial letter, the same to have as many signatures of his Red Cross associates as it will be possible to obtain. There are about seven who, like yourself, are living a distance away. The thought comes to us that you might be willing to "pen" your greeting to him in a letter, this to be sent to our office. These letters will then be presented to him along with the testimonial letter.

We would like to do this before June 1. I hope you feel willing to cooperate in our plan.

We trust very much that you and your family are enjoying a good life in St. Louis.

With sincere and hearty greetings from your Red Cross friends, I am

Sincerely,

Mrs. Dean A. Baldwin
(for the Executive Committee)

KMB:o

1985 Historic Hermann Letter



Historic Hermann

Incorporated

Hermann, Missouri

March 10, 1985

Dear Betty:

When I read your letter of resignation at the Board Meeting, we were all sad. You have been a good worker, and we can understand health problems.

The Board and I sincerely thank you for all the things you have helped with along the way. Thank you very much.

Geneva Kemper will take over the Quilt Show Project at the Maifest. She works for HOME Inc., so I promised I would have workers etc., and things lined up for her ahead of time.

Pat will help me also before the Maifest. Believe you told me you had all the figures etc., or have I that on file?? Art got the insurance that time, I believe. If you can put down all the little things to help make it run smooth, it will be much appreciated.

Best of things to you, Betty.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gennie T".

Gennie Tesson, Pres.