THE WHITE HOUSE WASHINGTON

November 16, 1939

My dear Mrs. Butler:

I have heard with very deep regret of the sorrow which has come to you in the loss of your devoted husband. Please accept for yourself and for all who mourn with you an assurance of heartfelt sympathy in which Mrs. Roosevelt joins.

Very sincerely yours,

Franklin D. Roosevelt

Mrs. Pierce Butler, 1229 19th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.