WASHINGTON

June 13, 1841

On the Death of President Harrison.

President Tyler to Mrs. Harrison.

Dear Madam:

The accompanying resolutions adopted by the Senate & House of Representatives of the United States will convey to you the deep sympathy felt by the Representatives of the States and of the people, in the sad bereavement which yourself and the country have sustained in the death of your illustrious husband. It may now justly be considered that the public archives constitute this enduring monument on which are engraved in characters not to be effaced the proudest evidences of public gratitude for services...
rendered and public sorrow for his death. A great and united people shed their tears over the loss of a devoted patriot and public benefactor.

In conveying to you, my dear Madam, the profound respect of the two Houses of Congress for your person and character, and their sincere condolence on the late afflictive dispensation of Providence, permit me to mingle my feelings with theirs and to tender you my sincere wishes for your health, happiness and long life.

John Tyler

Mrs. Harrison