BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS
325 City Hall
Minneapolis, Minnesota

April 28, 1933.

To the -

Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

The Board, having decided to comply with the last re-
quest of Miss Eloise Butler, our late Curator of the Eloise Butler
Wild Flower Garden at Glenwood Park, to spread her ashes in the
garden, and to plant a tree in her memory with appropriate cere-
monies on Arbor Day, I would like to make the following suggestions:

1. That the Board meet at 3:30 P.M. at the offices of the Board
   on Friday, May 5, and proceed to the garden in a body.

2. That a Pin Oak be planted, of which I have secured a very
good specimen, which will be all ready for the ceremonies
when the Board arrives at the location where it is to be
planted close to the office of the curator in the garden.

3. That every member of the Board participate in the planting
   of the tree, and that the President of the Board perform
   the rite of spreading the ashes.

A good many friends of Miss Butler, former students of
her botany classes and nature lovers have suggested that the cere-
mony take place at 4:00 P.M., since they would like to be present
and some of them could not do so if the ceremonies took place earlier
in the day.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE WIRTH,
General Superintendent.