

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
A. R. FANCHER, JUDGE OF PROBATE COURT
OF MARTIN COUNTY IN THE STATE OF
MINNESOTA, UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF
THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF MINNESOTA AND
CHAPTER 490, MINNESOTA STATUTES, 1945.

ORDER OF RETIREMENT

Whereas, an application in writing has been duly presented to me by the Honorable A. R. Fancher, Judge of the Probate Court of Martin County, of the State of Minnesota, for retirement from said office under the provisions of the Laws of the State of Minnesota, Chapter 490, Minnesota Statutes 1945, which application sets forth that he has become incapacitated physically and mentally from performing the duties of the office during the remainder of his present term, or thereafter, and which sets forth the nature and extent of such disability, and

Whereas, after due investigation and consideration of said application, it is found that said A. R. Fancher is now duly elected, qualified, and acting Judge of the Probate Court of Martin County of the State of Minnesota, and that he is incapacitated physically and mentally from performing the duties of his said office, which incapacity will continue during the remainder of his present term, and thereafter; and that the public service is suffering, and will continue to suffer by reason of his said disability; and that he is eligible to be retired from his said office under the provisions of the law hereinbefore cited.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Luther W. Youngdahl, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do HEREBY ORDER and direct the retirement of the said A. R. Fancher as Judge of the Probate Court of Martin County of the State of Minnesota, to become effective at the close of the day on the 2nd day of April, 1948.

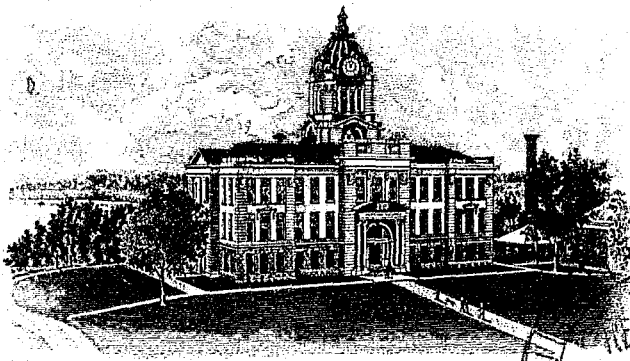
AND I FURTHER ORDER AND DIRECT that he shall receive the compensation allotted to his said office for the remainder of his present term, and to be paid at the time and in the manner provided by law, under and pursuant to the provisions of the 1945 General Statutes of Minnesota, Section 490.

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A. R. FANCHER
JUDGE OF PROBATE

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COUNTY OF MARTIN
FAIRMONT, MINNESOTA

March 19, 1948



Hon. Luther Youngdahl,
Governor of the State of Minnesota
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Governor:

On account of the condition of my health I find myself compelled to resign my position as Judge of Probate of Martin County. I am suffering from a severe heart condition and for the last six months I have not been able to be at the office much of the time and have had to call on Judge Kreger of Jackson to hear my cases.

I am past 78 years of age and have held this office continually since January 1st, 1915. My present term expires January 1st, 1949. It has been my intention to hold on until the people could elect my successor at the coming general election in November but I am growing weak so fast that it does not seem that I can hang on much longer.

I am enclosing herewith a statement from my doctors relative to my physical condition. This resignation can take effect whenever you have satisfied yourself that I should be relieved.

I would like to suggest as my successor to complete the few months remaining of my term of office, my faithful clerk, Miss Mabel N. Hall, who has been with me for the last fifteen years; she is thoroughly familiar with all departments of the office including the Juvenile Court work and I am sure that her appointment would be sanctioned by all of the attorneys of Martin County.

Most sincerely yours,

A.R. Fancher
Probate Judge

A.R. Fancher

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Secretary of State.

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Feb. 20, 1948

Judge A. R. Fancher has been under
our care for the past 6 months.

It is our opinion that he is physically
unable to carry on the work of the
Probate Court.

Drs. R. C. & R. S. Hunt

Roscoe Hunt

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