

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "University of Minnesota Week"

WHEREAS, the State of Minnesota was one of the first American commonwealths to establish a public University, provision for which was made in the Territorial Charter one hundred years ago; and

WHEREAS, the people of this State have displayed from the first an enthusiastic interest in the strength, efficiency and high standards of the University of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, Minnesotans, made up overwhelmingly of people traditionally seeking progress, intellectual, technical and spiritual advancement and high standards of citizenship, have shown unwavering interest in and willingness to support higher education; and

WHEREAS, the week February 13 to 19 has been designated

"UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA WEEK"

I, therefore, I, CAROL M. FURNISS, Governor of the State of Minnesota, wishing in every way to encourage and re-inforce the long-existing and statewide enthusiasm for the welfare and advancement of the University of Minnesota, do call on the people of all communities of the State to join during that week in special activities recognizing and honoring the University's services, and to rededicate themselves faithfully to its support.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Minnesota to be affixed at the State Capitol in Saint Paul this eighth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one and of the State, the ninety-first.

Luther W. Youngdahl
Governor

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