

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "Veterans of Foreign Wars" Week

WHEREAS, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is an organization of honorably discharged combat veterans which has served as a great force for good over the fifty-six years of its existence; and

WHEREAS, the State of Minnesota boasts 58,000 members of this great organization in over 600 posts and auxiliaries throughout the state; and

WHEREAS, these posts and auxiliaries have performed many services to their communities and the citizens of Minnesota;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of January 22 - 28, 1953 as V.F.W. week, to be known as

"VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WEEK"

and ask that the people of Minnesota join the members of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in observing this occasion.

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 the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six and of the State, the ninety-eighth on this twentieth day of January.

ATTEST:

Orville L. Freeman
GOVERNOR

Joseph L. Anderson
SECRETARY OF STATE

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