

STATE OF MINNESOTA

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

A Proclamation for "American Education Week"

- WHEREAS, education is an essential element in the maintenance and extension of democratic government and social and economic progress, and in the development of a fuller, happier and more useful life for individuals; and
- WHEREAS, education has contributed immeasurably to the happiness and progress of our state and our nation in the past; and
- WHEREAS, the problems facing education today are greater than ever before, at a time when the need for an effective solution to those problems has become more critically imperative for our future; and
- WHEREAS, such a solution can be reached only by means of a thorough understanding and deep concern on the part of the public for these educational problems, and a public determination to meet them courageously and wisely;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Orville L. Freeman, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby join with the governors of other states and the President of the United States in proclaiming the week of November 11 - 17, 1956, as

"AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK"

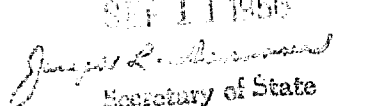
and earnestly request all citizens of Minnesota and all organizations interested in education and in the future of our society to give special attention, during this 36th annual nationwide observance of this occasion, to the programs, needs and problems of our schools and to a search for the best possible solutions for these problems.

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 this seventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-six and of the State, the ninety-ninth.

ATTEST:


GOVERNOR


SECRETARY OF STATE

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