STATE OF MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT ST. PAUL

PROCLAMATION.

Funeral services over the last shipment of bodies from overseas of those American soldiers, sailors and marines who paid the supreme sacrifice in the World War will be held in Brooklyn at three o'clock, eastern standard time, on the afternoon of Sunday, April second,

As it is intended that the service shall commemorate not only the fifteen hundred whose bodies are now en route, but also these forty-four thousand of their comrades who came before and whose bodies now lie in the soil of the beloved country, it would be most fitting that the people of this state give some recognition to this event.

NOW THEREFORE, I, J. A. O. Preus, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby request that this memorial hour be appropriately observed. Memorial exercises in honor of our fallen heroes should be held in our churches and by patriotic organizations. Church bells should be tolled at 2 P. M., central time. Those who are unable to attend any memorial exercises can show their respect for the men who served their country, by pausing and paying silent tribute to those who died in the service.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed hereto this twenty-third day of March, 1922.

Governor of Minnesotas

Secretary of State.

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