

STATE OF MINNESOTA  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT

PROCLAMATION!

Armistice day, November eleventh, has properly been designated a legal holiday by act of the Legislature. It is most fitting that we pause once a year to celebrate the anniversary of the ending of the World War, the most terrible war known in history.

Armistice day is a proper time to give some thought to the welfare of those who fought for America in the World War, especially those who still suffer from wounds and diseases contracted in the service. Let us at this time take steps to provide for their needs and comforts, as well as that of their dependents. Let us also honor in befitting manner those who gave their lives in this struggle.

Armistice day is an appropriate time also to re-dedicate ourselves to service to our country, to remind ourselves that peace as well as war demands sacrifice on the part of patriotic citizens, and to remember that eternal vigilance is necessary for the preservation of our best institutions and our sacred liberty.

NOW THEREFORE, I, J. A. O. Preus, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby call upon all citizens to observe Armistice day in an appropriate manner. The law requires the suspension of public business, but I respectfully urge that private business also be suspended, all day where practical, but in all cases long enough to permit the people to assemble to pay due tribute to our Nation's heroes and to consider the privileges and the obligations of citizenship in the United States of America.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed this eighth day of November, A. D. 1922.

*Miss Helen*  
Secretary of State.

*J. A. O. Preus*  
Governor.  
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