

STATE OF MINNESOTA
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT
ST. PAUL

PROCLAMATION

A tree is a valuable asset to any landscape. Not only does it provide beauty and shade, save the moisture in the soil and purify the air which we breathe, but it gives a home for the birds which seek its shelter. Birds in turn protect the human race from the ravages of insects. The relation and importance of birds and trees to the common welfare, and especially to agricultural interests, is a subject deserving of more general recognition.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Theodore Christianson, Governor of Minnesota, do hereby designate

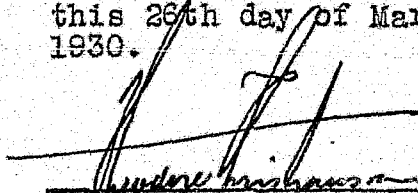
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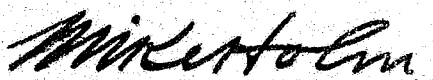
ARBOR AND BIRD DAY.

I urge that everywhere throughout the State it be fittingly observed. Let there be appropriate exercises in the schools. Let civic organizations lead in planting trees and fostering love for God's out-of-doors. Let all join in the joyful task of making Minnesota a more beautiful State, the better fitting it for the home of a happy and progressive people.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereto affixed this 26th day of March, A. D. 1930.


Governor of Minnesota

Attest:


Secretary of State

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