STATE OF MINNESOTA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT SAINT PAUL PROCLANATION

WHEREAS, the week of November lat to 7th inclusive has been designated by the Minnesota Congress of Parents and Teachers as encollment week for this State, and

WHEREAS, at the present time the attention of our people is focused upon social and economic problems, the solution of which depends, in part, upon our schools and the extent to which we care for the youth of the land, the citizens of tomorrow, and

WHEREAS, the effectiveness of the schools will depend in a large part not only upon a fearless, intelligent, public-spirited group of men and women in education but also upon the courageous and intelligent support of the schools and education by all the citizens of this country, and

WHEREAS, the Parent-Teachers organization of this country provide an instrument through which the support of people for the schools may be articulated and brought to bear upon the problem of the schools,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Elmer A. Benson, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the week of

NOVEMBER 1st to 7th, 1938

as

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and request its observance by all of our people during that period, in which attention shall be given to mobilizing support for the efforts of the Parent-Teacher organizations which have done such unselfish work in promoting the physical, mental, social and spiritual welfare of our school children.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at St. Faul, this 12th day of October, 1938.

Governor of Minnesotà

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Secretary of State.