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P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the 17th day of September was the birth date of General Friedrich Von Steuben, who was of great assistance to George Washington at Valley Forge and in the succeeding important months of the birth of our nation, and

WHEREAS, his effective and heroic assistance serves to emphasize the fact that sons and daughters of all nations took a part in establishing and building up these United States with its precious heritage of freedom and democracy.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Harold E. Stassen, Governor of the State of Minnesota do hereby proclaim that the 17th day of September, 1941 shall be an occasion on which the people of the State of Minnesota are invited to observe the memory of General Friedrich Von Steuben.

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 in St. Paul, this 13th day of September, 1941.

SEAL

*Harold E. Stassen*  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST

*Wm. H. ...*  
SECRETARY OF STATE

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*W. H. Johnson*  
Secretary of State.