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WHEREAS, National Defense is our paramount consideration, and
WHEREAS, our Navy constitutes an important factor in our National
Defense Program,

WE, FRANK FORD, I, Harold E. Stassen, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby proclaim the day of October 27, 1941 as

MAY DAY

in the State of Minnesota and call upon the citizens of our great commonwealth to give special attention to the importance of the Navy as an economic and diplomatic asset in maintaining peace as well as a powerful defense arm in the event of war.

I, THOMAS M. KROPP, 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 23rd day of Sept 1941.

Harold Stassen
GOVERNOR

LETTER

Wm. L. Brown
SECRETARY OF STATE

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