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ST. PAUL, MINN.

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

W H E R E A S , the natural resources of Minnesota are providing many raw materials for the sinews of war whose strength is being exerted along the world's battlefronts, and

W H E R E A S , it behooves every citizen to make certain that both our renewable and non-renewable resources are utilized intelligently and without waste, and

W H E R E A S , our natural resources will be called upon to play an important role in the rehabilitation period that will follow the war, and

W H E R E A S , education in all aspects of conservation and cooperation in conservation practices has never been more important than in this present time of war,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWARD J. THYE, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby designate the week of

May 1st to 7th, 1944

as

MINNESOTA CONSERVATION WEEK

and

Friday, May 5th

as

ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

and urge all schools and other interested public agencies and all organizations and groups concerned with conservation to observe the week with appropriate ceremonies and the day by planting trees and encouraging appreciation of birds.

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 15th day of March, 1944.

ATTEST:

Mike Holm
SECRETARY OF STATE

Edward J. Thye
GOVERNOR

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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MAR 15 1944
Walter P. Reuther
Secretary of State

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