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STATE OF MINNESOTA
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PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the week of May 7 to May 14, 1944, will mark the observance of the Twenty-first annual NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK throughout the nation, and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Minnesota have long maintained a position of leadership in musical attainments with their distinguished orchestras, bands, choruses and artists, and

WHEREAS, the development of a greater appreciation of music is the paramount purpose of music week, and the stimulation of musical activities in our communities also contributes to unity and morale,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWARD J. THYE, Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby designate and proclaim the period from

May 7 to May 14, 1944,

as

MINNESOTA MUSIC WEEK

and urge that the people of Minnesota through their civic, educational and musical groups lend their support to this splendid national program.

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 1st day of May, 1944.

Edward J. Thye
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

W. H. K. John
SECRETARY OF STATE

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1. The first of these is the fact that the Government has not been able to secure the necessary funds to carry out its policy of maintaining the value of the pound at its present level. This has been due to a variety of factors, including the fact that the Government has not been able to secure the necessary foreign exchange to finance its policy.