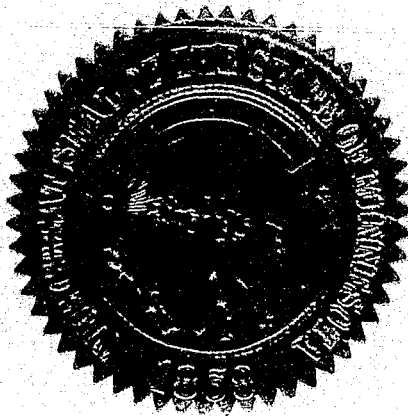


I, EDWARD J. THYE, as Governor of the State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that under and pursuant to the laws of said state providing therefor, the following named persons were duly elected as presidential electors of said state at the general election held in said state on November 7, 1944, viz:

James Landy
Patrick Novino,
Frank Osborn
Richard Walsh
Mrs. A. G. Dunn
Miss Emily Knabuhl

Julius Peterson
Frank Boyd
Norman Arneson
Vernor Nelson
Morris Greenberg

I further certify that the results of said election was as ascertained by the State Canvassing Board on November 21, 1944, pursuant to the laws of said state and that the number of votes given or cast for each person for whose appointment as an elector any and all votes were cast at said election, is fully and truly set forth in the following schedule hereto attached and hereby made a part hereof.



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 24th day of November, 1944.

Edward J. Thye
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Maria Holm
SECRETARY OF STATE

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C E R T I F I C A T E
OF THE VOTE OF PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS
STATE OF MINNESOTA

We, the undersigned, electors of President and Vice President of the United States of America, for the respective terms beginning on the Twentieth day of January, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-five, being electors duly and legally elected, appointed and qualified by and for the State of Minnesota, as appears by the annexed list of electors, made, certified and delivered to us by the Governor of the State of Minnesota, having met and convened at the Capitol in the City of St. Paul in the State of Minnesota, and in conformity with the laws and the constitution of the United States, on the first Monday after the second Wednesday in December next following our appointment, being the Eighteenth day of December, A. D. 1944,

DO HEREBY CERTIFY, That, being so assembled and duly organized, we proceeded to vote by ballot, and balloted first for President and then for Vice President, by distinct ballots;

AND WE FURTHER CERTIFY, That the following are two distinct lists: one, of the votes for President; and the other, of the votes for Vice President; so cast as aforesaid:

LIST OF ALL PERSONS VOTED UPON FOR PRESIDENT, WITH THE NUMBER OF VOTES FOR EACH:

<u>Names of persons voted for</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
<i>Franklin D. Roosevelt</i>	<u>11</u>

LIST OF ALL PERSONS VOTED UPON FOR VICE PRESIDENT, WITH THE NUMBER OF VOTES FOR EACH:

<u>Names of persons voted for</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
<i>Harry Truman</i>	<u>11</u>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands.

Done at the Capitol in St. Paul in the State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the second Wednesday, being the Eighteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-four.

Patrick Nevins

Emily Kneubuhl

Mrs. A. P. Dunn

Robert Nelson

Frank Boyd

Norman Arneson

J. R. Landy

W. H. Kieckhefer

Richard B. Walsh

Julius Peterson

Frank Osborne

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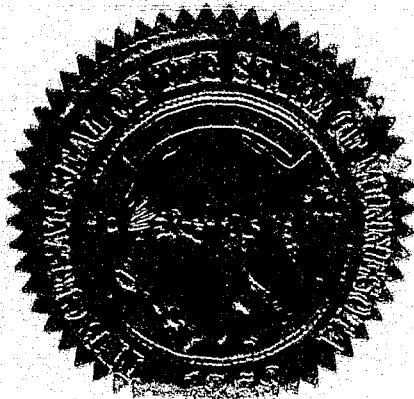
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EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT) SS

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Richard Walsh
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I further certify that the result of said election was so ascertained by the State Canvassing Board on November 21, 1944, pursuant to the laws of said state and that the number of votes given or cast for each person for whose appointment as an elector any and all votes were cast at said election, is fully and truly set forth in the following schedule hereto attached and hereby made a part hereof.



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Edward J. Thye
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

M. J. Holm
SECRETARY OF STATE

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<u>Franklin D. Roosevelt</u>	<u>11</u>

LIST OF ALL PERSONS VOTED UPON FOR VICE PRESIDENT, WITH THE NUMBER OF VOTES FOR EACH:

<u>Names of persons voted for</u>	<u>Number of votes</u>
<u>Henry S. Truman</u>	<u>11</u>

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We have hereunto set our hands.

Done at the Capitol in St. Paul in the State of Minnesota, on the first Monday after the second Wednesday, being the eighteenth day of December, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-four.

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Secretary of State
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STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

DISTRICT COURT
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

In the Matter of the Contest of
Election held November 7, 1944,
for the office of State Represen-
tative from the 28th Representative
District of Minnesota.

Joseph M. Connors,

Contestant,

TO MIKE HOLM, SECRETARY
OF STATE

-VS-

Art J. Shasky,

Contestee.

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PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Art J. Shasky, the contestee in the above entitled contest proceedings, has taken all the necessary legal steps to carry the contest in the above entitled matter to the Legislature for final determination as to which of two candidates in said legislative district is entitled to a certificate of election and be seated as Representative from the 28th Legislative District.

That said contestee claims that a certificate of election was erroneously issued by the County Auditor of Hennepin County to the contestant, Joseph M. Connors, and that under Section 3 of Article IV of the Constitution of the State of Minnesota, which provides as follows,

"Each House shall be the judge of the election returns and the eligibility of its own members."

the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota is the sole and final judge of the election returns and as to which of said candidates is entitled to an election certificate.

That the said contestee has served demand upon the Clerk of District Court of Hennepin County, Minnesota to forward all of the proceedings in said election contest to the speaker of the House of Representatives and that the Clerk of District Court

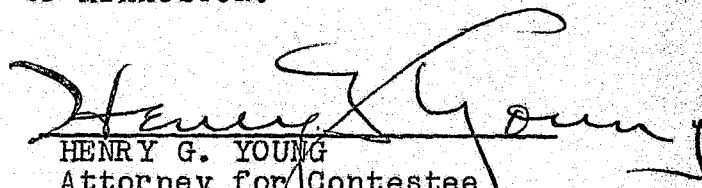
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of Hennepin County has forwarded the same to said presiding officer of the House of Representatives.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that on the 28th day of December, 1944 the District Court of Hennepin County issued an order enjoining and restraining the said Joseph M. Connors from using or attempting to use the outstanding certificate of election in an attempt to be seated as a member of the House of Representatives at the time of the convening of said Legislature on the 2nd day of January, 1945 and is restrained and enjoined from presenting the same to the Secretary of State or the speaker of the House of Representatives on the opening day or until further order of the Court.

That pending the decision of the House of Representatives neither of said candidates should be seated and sworn in as Representative until the matter is decided by the said House of Representatives. That to do so would give the party seated an unfair, unequal and unwarranted advantage over the other in the contest proceedings in the House of Representatives.

That said contestee, Art J. Shasky, hereby demands that you, as Secretary of State of Minnesota, whose duty it is under the law to call to order the duly elected members on the opening day, refrain from seating Joseph M. Connors, who claims to be in possession of a certificate of election as Representative from the 28th Legislative District of Minnesota.


HENRY G. YOUNG
Attorney for Contestee
846 Midland Bank Bldg.
Minneapolis, Minnesota

Dated: December 29, 1944

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

DISTRICT COURT
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Art J. Shasky,
Plaintiff,
-vs-
Joseph M. Connors,
Defendant.

ORDER

The Court having on the 28th day of December, 1944, made its order to show cause and the same having been served upon the defendant on December 29, 1944, and the Court having set said matter for hearing at 2:00 P. M. on December 29, 1944, in chambers and Henry G. Young, Attorney for Plaintiff, having been notified that said matter would be heard at 2:00 P. M. on December 29, 1944,

Now therefore, on motion of Brophey & Brophey, Attorneys for Defendant

IT IS ORDERED that that part of the order to show cause reading as follows: "YOU ARE HEREBY ENJOINED AND RESTRAINED from using or attempting to use the said certificate of election in an effort to be seated as such representative in the House of Representatives on the opening day of the legislature on January 2, 1945, or at any other time, and from exhibiting or presenting the same to the Secretary of State or the speaker of the House of Representatives on said opening day in an attempt to be so seated until the further order of the Court." be and the same is hereby vacated and dissolved.

BY THE COURT:

Dated this 29th day
of December, 1944.

Levi M. Hall
Judge

Upon further study the Court is of the opinion that the restraining order issued was done so through mistake and inadvertence.

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GEN. H. HENNING, CHIEF
Raul B. Allen
Secretary

STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

} ss.

DISTRICT COURT
FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

I, Geo. H. Hemperley, Clerk of the above named Court, do hereby certify that I have compared the paper.....
writing to which this certificate is attached with the original *Order*

in the action therein entitled, as the same appear *Q*.....of record and on file in the said Clerk's office, at the Court House
in said Hennepin County, Minnesota, and find the same to be *a*.....true and correct cop...*y*.....thereof, and of the whole
thereof.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said District Court, at the

City of Minneapolis, in said County, this.....*30th*.....day of

December A. D. 19*44*

Geo. H. Hemperley

Clerk of District Court.

By *Paul D. Olsen*

Deputy