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PROCLAMATION

STATE OF MINNESOTA
AT THE STATE CAPITOL
AT ST. PAUL

WHEREAS, the vital role played by our natural resources in the prosecution of this war everybody seemed more apparent, and

WHEREAS, conservation of those resources is not solely the responsibility of governmental agencies but is also the concern of every citizen who thinks of the future welfare of his state and nation, and

WHEREAS, the position and prestige of the United States in the post-war world will in no small measure depend upon the intelligent utilization of our forest, mineral, wildlife, soil and water resources, and

WHEREAS, education of the public in all phases of conservation is necessary if a long range conservation program is to succeed,

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

May 7th to 13th, 1945

as

MINNESOTA CONSERVATION WEEK

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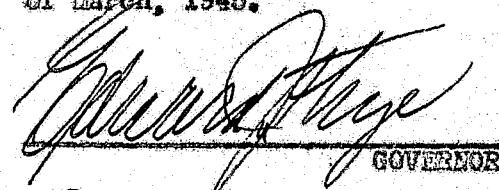
Friday, May 11th

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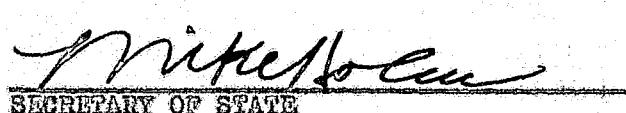
ARBOR AND BIRD DAY

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, 1945.


EDWARD J. Teye
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:


M. F. Johnson
SECRETARY OF STATE

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