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

W H E R E A S, the Salvage Division of the War Production Board recently announced that Saturday July 14 has been designated as "Mid-summer Salvage Day" throughout Minnesota, and

W H E R E A S, a mid-summer drive is essential in order that we may offset the slump in tin, waste paper and other salvage material collections that normally occurs during the school vacation period, and

W H E R E A S, the Government stock pile of tin is now at its lowest point since Pearl Harbor, and the latest Minnesota report reveals that tin can collections in the state are running at less than fifty percent of our quota, and

W H E R E A S, it is apparent that a vigorous state-wide salvage campaign will result in gathering a large amount of material that is adaptable for use in the war effort, and

W H E R E A S, rural and city school children, Boy Scouts, salvage committees and all patriotic citizens will aid in saving and accumulating these vitally needed salvage materials and actively assist in their collection on July 14,

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

Saturday, July 14, 1945

as

"MID-SUMMER SALVAGE DAY"

in Minnesota and I strongly urge that every community in the state give their usual whole-hearted support and cooperation to this worthy program which, if carried on successfully, will materially assist in shortening the number of weary days that lie ahead of our fighting men and women in the Pacific.

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 8th day of June, 1945.

ATTEST:

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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Edward J. Thye
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