

874 Young Men Sign In County Registration Day

Cascade registered for conscription 100 per cent. At least according to the totals handed in at the end of the day here. In all, 667 young men left vital information concerning themselves at the desks of the registrars in the courthouse.

But the strange part is that 667 persons is just about all the men, women, and children that Cascade could muster on short notice. And when that many young men came rushing in the registrars were just about overwhelmed.

Of course, the population of Cascade is not composed entirely of young men. The large total came from the lumber camps, mining camps and farms in this vicinity where most of the youths declared a short holiday to sign up for Uncle Sam.

In Valley county 874 men entered the polling places to offer their services. Such a large percentage was a surprise to registration officials who were kept busy all day taking down names, addresses, birth dates and so forth.

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WILLKIE TO BROADCAST TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22

People who wish to hear the cast of Presidential Candidate Willkie will have two opportunities to do so next week.

His first address will be on October 21 from 8 to 8:30 (county time) over the blue net of N.B.C. This address will be at Minneapolis and his remarks be directed especially to young republicans.

On the following evening, Tuesday, October 22 over the red network N.B.C., Mr. Willkie can be heard from 8:30 to 9:00 p.m. (MST). This will be a series of question and answer broadcasts.

More Candidates Make Announcements For Fall Campaign

New political announcements appearing in this paper this week are those of Bob Helferty for State Senator, Blair C. Armstrong for Commissioner of the third district, Randall Wallis for Prosecuting Attorney, and A. Campbell for Judge. All are republicans.

Bob Helferty is an experienced legislator and one of the real timers of this section. He located the town of Donnelly, locating a farm there 31 years ago.

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Although there were no open demonstrations during the day and nobody refused to register, it was with a great deal of apprehension that many of the signers left the registrars desk. The general consensus was that while they had registered without complaint, they still felt that they had plenty of reasons to object. However, the idea of doing time behind bars or parting with the family funds for refusal to register overruled any objections they could make. A few were in favor of the practice but an army officer who was passing through town complained of a slight chill while in the presence of small groups of registrants.

However, the chances of any but a very small portion of the registrants being conscripted this year, barring an unforeseen entry into war, was small, according to officials, who stated that only 800,000 men would be trained this year out of some 16,000,000 persons registered. Idaho's quota is extremely small due to the large number in the national guard and many voluntary enlistments.

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The national lottery week, in which all who registered will take an active part, will not take place for two more weeks. With the small percentage required from the nearly 100,000 registered in Idaho, those who signed in Valley county can figure they have just about as much chance of being called on the first drawing as they have in knocking over the jackpot on the beer parlor slot machine.

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