

# 57 ARE MADE CITIZENS IN FIRST DAY'S "EXAMS"

## One Applicant, When Asked What Is United States Constitution, Replies That It Is "Healthy."

The voting population of Douglas county was increased 57 as the result of the hearing of applications for citizenship before circuit court yesterday.

Eighty applications were passed upon by the court. In 13 cases the applicants failed to appear. In nine cases the application remained posted until the next hearing, Aug. 26, by order of the court. In one instance the applicant had met death.

Two judges heard the applications. Judge Frank Ross, presiding over the first court session he has attended since his stroke two years ago, had charge of the morning session and also during a part of the afternoon. Judge Risjord of Ashland, arrived in time to assist with the work during the latter part of the day.

United States Examiner R. K. Doe was the examining attorney for the day and put the applicants through a rigorous quiz.

### Some of the Answers.

A resume of some of the answers might be like this:

"Who was the last president of the United States?"

"Jack Johnson."

"Who is president now?"

"Jesse Willard."

"Is New York larger than Superior?"

"Twice as large."

"What is the Constitution of the United States?"

"Healthy."

"Who elects the president of the United States?"

"Tammany Hall."

"What is the population of Wisconsin?"

"One million, two hundred thousand and fifty eight and 1,125,282 women."

"Where is Duluth?"

"On the outskirts of Superior."

"Who is the police chief of Superior?"

"Mayor Konkell."

An applicant registered two answers which, while not incorrect, failed to impart any information.

"What is the Fourth of July?"

"A holiday."

"Who is your mother?"

"My father's wife."

Former sons of Norway made the best showing in the examinations as 18 were given citizenship papers, and only three failed to meet the requirement. Men of Swedish descent came a close second as citizenship was conferred upon 17 men who came from that country. Russia and Belgium each were the former homes of six new citizens. Four of the successful applicants came from Canada, and one each from England, Ireland, Austria, Finland and Hungary. Two of the kaiser's former subjects are among the new citizens.

New York city retains its reputation as the great immigration port, as 34 of the applicants entered this country at that harbor. Others came through Sault Ste. Marie, Boston, and Port Huron.

Of the unsuccessful candidates three came from Canada, Austria, Russia and Norway. The only son of Holland who applied for citizenship failed to receive papers.

After the hearing of the applications Jude Risjord left for Ashland.

Following are the men to whom citizenship papers were granted:

John Waccom Henry Johnson, John Svenson, Zygmunt Orłowski, Matt Kolland, John Sladsky, Anthony Zukortin, Carl Anderson, Peter Cap, Edward Shears, Arthur DeClerck, Bertram Blackstad, Colwan Lee, Louis Borgen, Andrew Anderson, Gordon Barber, Henry Bowron, Ole Danrelson, Ivar Hanger, Michael Tjomsland, Anders Gustafson, Carl Swanson, George Cain, Olaf Romming, John Lukoelk, Peter Jackson, Isaac Jaffo, Louis Gagnon, Otto Olsen, Ole Jonland, Andrew Statvig, Ole A. Johnson, Carl Christiansen, Hayman Berkowitz, Herman Harper, Eric Carlson, Hans Carlson, Ole Hjulstad, Nels Nelson, Ole Holt, Henry Prigge, Ole Karlgaard, Edward Bubley, Ernst Dahlskog, Carl Johnson, Einar Engstrom, Anders Anderson, Wilhelm O. Johnson, Gustaf Engstrom, Lars Edquist, Olof Hagen, Carl Carlson, Nodest De Cock, Josef Pauvels, Casper Janicki, Victor Ankallo.