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MR. HOWLAND AND THE MAYOR

In Speech in Ayres' Hall He Declares It Will Not Be a Ladylike Campaign.

ALSO TELLS A STORY OF A KNIFE ARGUES THAT MR. MACLEAN IS KILLING HIM BECAUSE HE OPPOSES THE MAYOR.

Ayres' Hall, at the corner of Parliament and Winchester-streets, was comfortably filled with representatives of No. 2 Ward, last evening, on the occasion of a meeting in the interest of Mayor Howland's candidature. While the remarks of the speakers were listened to attentively, there was no great outward evidence of enthusiasm. Mayor Howland was present, and was somewhat bitter and abusive in his remarks. In this regard, the Mayor reports that Mr. Howland has opened the Mayor's campaign with personal abuse, and argues that, because Mr. Maclean opposes him, he is killing him. Mr. Howland, in some way, appears to believe that he has no right to be opposed, or that no one should have a platform opposed to his. The Mayor's argument, in a nutshell, is, "The man who opposes me is killing me."

Mr. W. Caldwell acted as chairman, and among those on the platform were: J. J. Foy, Lieut.-Col. Paterson, K. C. T. Dixon, Craig, ex-M. P.; F. W. Ellis, T. L. Church, E. M. Dumas, C. C. Robinson, W. E. Lincoln, Hunter, F. V. Gearing, A. H. McConeil, Joseph Rogers, J. M. Reiss, K. C.; A. J. M. Snow, Thomas Galt, Robert Cooper.

DEPARTURE OF EXTRA QUOTA

Thirty Men for Second Mounted Rifles Left Without a Huzzah.

The departure of Toronto's second quota of the 2nd Mounted Rifles for service in South Africa was unmarked by any demonstration. The boys who have volunteered for them were accepted last night, making the full quota of thirty men.

LOOKED FOR ANOTHER GOT BROOKLYN THIEF

Montreal Detectives Arrested Albert Jerome Ayres Before They Knew He Was Wanted.

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ORANGEVILLE'S MAYOR SUDDENLY SUCCEUMBS

Taken Sick in His Office Yesterday and Expired in Spite of Aid.

Orangeville, Dec. 26.—Mr. William Still, Mayor of Orangeville, died suddenly at his office here this afternoon. The deceased had not been feeling well during the fore part of the day, but remained at his place of business notwithstanding. Between 3 and 4 o'clock he was taken seriously ill, and his son summoned a physician. The doctor and son later left the office, leaving Mr. Still with a friend. The sick man was aided with an acute neuralgia, which he held as he fell forward on a lounge. His friend, being alarmed, placed him in a comfortable position, and immediately despatched a messenger for the physician. When the doctor arrived, he found the man dead, and in a few minutes had expired. His death is attributed to heart failure or the bursting of an inner blood vessel. Coroner Henry Will hold an inquest to-day-night.

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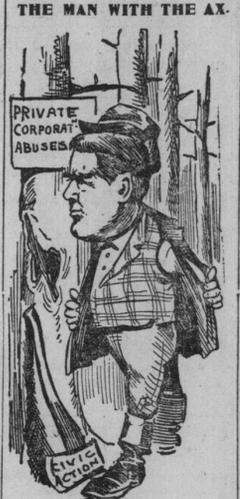
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