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# WARM RECEPTION FOR MR. CRAWFORD IN MONCTON

His Meeting for a Discussion of the Irish Question was Broken Up by Returned Soldiers—A List of Questions Submitted—An Outburst of Patriotic Songs Broke Up the Meeting—Crawford Compelled to Kiss the Union Jack.

Moncton, Dec. 6.—Lindsay Crawford was in Moncton tonight to address a public meeting in the city building on the Irish question. Mr. Crawford did not speak. Long before 8 o'clock the hall was filled to overflowing and there were hundreds of people at the city hall entrance and in Main street in front of the building who were unable to obtain admission. Returned men, through advertisement were asked to be on hand early in the evening in the city building. They occupied seats in a body on one side of the hall.

About 7.30 John Doherty chairman, rose and introduced Mr. Crawford. At this stage Thomas Doige a local returned soldier came forward with a written list of questions.

"Before you speak," said Mr. Doige "on the subject arranged for you this evening by the local branch of the Self-Determination for Ireland League will you kindly answer the following questions which are requested of you by representative citizens of the City of Moncton:

"First—Are you a true British subject?" Mr. Crawford asked that the questions be all read and laid on the table and he would discuss them.

There were insistent demands from persons in the audience to take up the questions one by one and answer yes or no.

The audience heard only one question read. There was no further speaking.

Mr. Doige said he was submitting simple questions. "They are not very hard questions for a man to answer," he added. It was difficult to hear what anybody was saying. There were several patriotic songs.

The crowd outside hearing the music and cheers began surging in. At 7.45 a rush was made, seats being swept aside. People were standing in the aisles and on chairs clinging to every available foot of space.

"We'll never let the old flag fall," was sung and then "O Canada."

Hats were thrown in the air and "The Maple Leaf for Ever" was started vigorously by the returned soldiers.

"Pack up Your Troubles," "Keep the Home Fires Burning", and other songs were sung.

Doige went to the platform and talked briefly with the chairman. Then one or two others engaged with him in a conversation, but the audience could not hear what was said amid the confusion.

### Furniture Broken

Shortly after 8 o'clock the pressure from outside became so great that the police officers were no longer able to keep back the crowd. The crowd poured in amid intense excitement. For a time it looked as if the furniture would be badly smashed and persons injured in the rear of the hall. Then Chief of Police Hutchinson advanced to the platform. There were shouts of "Listen to the chief."

The excitement subsided somewhat for a moment and the chief said that as furniture was being broken by the pouring crowd they should go out quietly at the back of the hall. The meeting was closed with the national anthem at 8.05 o'clock.

Several returned men went to the platform hoisting the flag and marched out of the hall holding a demonstration outside. A large crowd followed Crawford along Main Street and gathered at the railway station and at a local hotel where it was said he decided to remain for the night.

Mr. Doige when seen after the meeting in city hall gave out the following as the list of additional questions that were proposed for Mr. Crawford:

1. Are you in favor of separation of Ireland from the British empire?
2. Are you or the Canadian division of the Self-Determination for Ireland League, under whose auspices you have been speaking, in any way affiliated with or associated with the person known as De Valera, lately in the United States and who styles himself president of the Irish Republic?
3. Did you state in Chatham at your meeting there a few nights ago that Canada would never be a country worth anything as long as she remained under the British flag or words to that effect.

### Had Lively Time

Moncton, N. B., Dec. 7.—Lindsay Crawford was not only prevented from speaking here last night in the city

hall, but after he was safely escorted from the hall by his friends, was mobbed by a crowd of citizens hostile to the holding of the meeting. The hall in which the meeting was held could not accommodate the crowd by more than 2000. The hall was packed to suffocation when the meeting opened. Crawford was so informed. Then Mr. Doige sent at once and he would answer

ject." This was not satisfactory to those behind the questions and Mr. Crawford was so informed. Then Mr. Doige stating that this was a very easy question for Mr. Crawford to answer, asked: "Are you a true British subject?"

Crawford said "Submit all your questions and I will answer them."

The crowd then demanded that he answer them one at a time. As Mr. Crawford made no effort to reply to the question or to speak, the audience began singing patriotic songs while all the while the crowd outside the hall was surging to get in and doing some damage to the building.

### Meeting Stopped by Police

Finally after about half an hour after the meeting opened and it was evident that Crawford could not get a hearing without answering the questions that were put to him, Chief of Police Hutchinson went upon the platform and asked the people to disperse quietly as there would be no meeting.

The audience then began to leave the hall and shortly after Crawford was escorted out by his friends. Upon reaching the street Crawford was jostled by the crowd and had to seek protection in a store. The proprietor of the store hustled Crawford and his friends out after the mob became threatening and he then wended his way towards the C. N. R. depot. Before he reached the depot Crawford sought protection in another store but eventually reached his destination. It was said he purposed leaving the city on the Maritime express which leaves here at 10.05. On the way to the depot he was hit with missiles of ice and snow thrown by the crowd which followed him. In the depot Crawford said he had been injured and called for medical attention which was forthcoming. In the depot Crawford was compelled to kiss the flag which he said he was willing to do as a British subject.

The crowd insisted on Crawford getting out of town on the first train but finally on the request of the chief of police Crawford was allowed to go to the Hotel Brunswick where he was stopping. After he was escorted to the hotel by the chief of police, Crawford retired to his room and from there the statement was given out that Mr. Crawford was not able to travel but would leave the city tomorrow.

Between 12 and 1 o'clock this morning the crowd which had been waiting around the hotel dispersed.

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### WANTS TO KNOW AUTHORITY

Ald. Neill Asks if School Board Can Grant Pensions.

Ald. Neill of the city council has taken exception to the Fredericton School Board granting pensions to teachers and its secretary upon retirement and has asked that the right of that body so to do be investigated. The School Board will be asked by the city to state its authority. Ald. Neill takes the ground that the school assessment now is at an extreme limit and with the creation of School Board pensions in addition to those given by the province will have to be increased to even a larger total.

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