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MR. BILL RICKARD, Southport businessman, announces he will run for alderman and act as Small's 'Ambassador in Harleyland'.

MR. BRUCE SMALL will have former Immigration Minister, Mr. Hubert Opperman on his platform when he opens his mayoral campaign next Monday.

A.L.D. NEV MAGIN . . . "I'm fair dinkum. I'll donate \$100 to the Southport Ambulance if I withdraw before the election."

HINZE IS OUT OF MAYORALTY

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Mr. Russ Hinze, MLA, will not run for mayor of the Gold Coast at the April 29 elections. "I am sure the decision I have arrived at is the correct one," he said yesterday.

Mr. Hinze announced his decision soon after returning from a holiday in Tasmania.

In his absence, health committee chairman A.L.D. Nev Magin

In a frank statement in which he refers openly to his political aspirations, Mr. Hinze told me yesterday:

"I have had ample time to give serious consideration to the many requests made to me by

ly touched by the encouragement of so many people who thought I could make some contribution if I were to succeed as a mayoral candidate.

"However, I think they will realise, on second

State Member. This is correct.

"But on examination it will be found that none of these areas even remotely approaches the importance of the Gold Coast and its Hinterland, and the consequent conse-



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