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THE RONALD COMPLAINT.

THE BRUSSELS ENGINE MANUFACTURERS TALK TO THE PEOPLE.

The Pavilion on Saturday Night Holds 112 People Who Listen to the Troubles of Mr Ronald—A Number of Pointed Facts Which Were Overlooked by the Chief Speaker.

If there is one civic by-law that is abused more than another, it is the one that governs the calling of public meetings by the Mayor, upon receipt of a petition bearing a certain number of names.

It cost the ratepayers of Toronto nearly \$40 for printing, printing and binding the petition, and it cost the Mayor to give Mr. J. D. Ronald, Brussels, Canada, an opportunity to air his grievances.

At the meeting was called in the morning by Mr. Ronald, in compliance with a petition circulated by him, it was all one-sided, and the statements made by him, whether borne out by facts or not, were not contradicted.

The Ronald engine, continued the speaker, had won the gold medal at the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, in 1876, the Ronald engine had beaten all others.

Application for British fair play, and that only one side was heard at the meeting, none of the aldermen nor representatives of other companies being present, right here is a good opportunity to throw in a few facts about Mr. Ronald, which he forgot to mention.

At Simcoe, Mr. Ronald, who was looking for British fair play, was accused of attempting to bribe Councilors Curtis and Sheehy with \$100 and \$50 respectively.

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WEEDING OUT GRIM

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Hamilton, Dec 14.—The Hamilton Police Force has been making a list of sending criminals to the Penitentiary and Central Prison.

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