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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

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And the Russians are still wondering how it all happened.

In view of the many attempts to block the Port Arthur harbor someone rises to ask if the Japs have a bottling license.

There are two feet of snow in the streets of Cripple Creek and four feet in the hills thereabouts. Vermont looks doubly attractive just now.

The supporters of C. J. Bell profess not to be frightened by the DeBoer sentiment. Why, no, there isn't any sense in being frightened at the first shot. Only cowards run away.

Speaker Cannon's declination of the offer on the second place on the Republican ticket is sufficiently plain, when he says, "I answer most unequivocally that if the nomination were tendered to me I would not accept it under any circumstances whatever."

Now that Northfield is in the no-license columns some of the people of that town are thinking of doing away with the services of their one policeman. A town of nearly 3,000 inhabitants generally has business enough to keep one bluecoat busy.

With a few more men of equal ability to play ball secured, the Barre-Montpelier team will take no back water from any in the Northern League. The management of the team, both in regard to the players and finances, appears to be in excellent hands, and the people of the two cities may rest assured that the season will not end in a fizzle provided they give the game the support that it merits.

Ex-Mayor C. W. Melcher of this city is favorably considered by the Republican press of the state as a delegate to the Democratic convention at St. Louis. The Democratic press is yet to be heard from on the matter, but it is likely that there will be no opposition. The other men mentioned as delegates are Ellaba May of St. Johnsbury, N. A. Bullard of Burlington and E. J. Tiffany of Bennington. Just what the individual preferences of these men for the presidential nomination are, is uncertain. The St. Johnsbury Caledonian, however, says that this "would make a good strong team for Judge Parker as it is believed that these men favor him."

It may not be out of place to add that the newspapers of Vermont have kept eagerly at that something for fifteen years or more, and, in the opinion of many of them, born of that experience, the good roads question is to be settled by nothing short of the final intervention of the state, the adoption of some broad-gauged plan of general highway building for all Vermont, and the systematic carrying of it out by state money and state direction until the work is finished. Public sentiment favors good roads. Heaven knows! and long has. The next point is to get public sentiment to do anything about it.—St. Albans Messenger.

That is what the Vermont Good Roads Association proposes to do. Public sentiment is all right, but sentiment doesn't build roads. The purpose of the Good Roads Association is to propose the proper legislation and see if Vermont cannot do something to improve her roads.

A GRAND OPPORTUNITY FOR GOOD ROADS EXPERIMENT.

The Times trusts that the delegates to the Good Roads convention at Montpelier will not take a look at the thoroughfare between this city and Montpelier. But if their eyes happen to fall upon this stretch of road, so-called, the good roads movements will receive a considerable impetus therefrom. For no more striking illustration of the need of better thoroughfares could be presented than this strip which connects two of the most progressive cities in the state. It is a standing disgrace to both Barre and Montpelier and the town of Berlin in between that the road is not improved. Where there are not holes and

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pitfalls, there is mud, and where mud does not predominate excessively there are rats. In other places ashes and stone dust have been dumped in heaps to be worn down into elevations and depressions by the passing teams. Altogether the road is in a most wretched condition, such as the most backward towns would scarcely tolerate. And it is a thoroughfare which receives a very large use. Here is an opportunity to test the advantages of the good roads movement.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

Colonel Duntun of Sheldon put eighty swarms of bees into his cellar last fall, and this spring he found that every swarm was dead, the bees not having honey enough to live on.

A petition will be circulated at White River Junction this week requesting the postoffice department to provide increased mail facilities between St. Albans and Springfield, Mass., via White River Junction. Allston has been previously made to the proposed scheme.

The new clothebin industry at Bradford, which is now assured, will begin operations in the sooty swath building on Waits River in the near future. With two new enterprises beginning, it is believed others certainly will follow, and a good business outlook is assured for the town of Bradford.

James C. Cook, known as the oldest practical printer in the United States, died at Milford, Mass., Tuesday in his 87th year. Mr. Cook was the senior proprietor of the Milford Journal at Bellows Falls, his native place. Mr. Cook began learning the printing trade at the age of 13 years. Mr. Cook married Miss Marion E. Robertson of Putney in 1840, and four children were born to them, two of whom survive.

The stockholders of the Bradford National bank met yesterday and elected the following directors, W. H. Gilmore of Fairlee, Dr. Fred Fletcher of Bradford, George H. Moore of Newbury, Robert O. Carr of Oxford, N. H., Lyman M. Roby of Piermont, N. H., B. B. Scribner of Cornish, Fred B. Doe, Warren L. Crafts and J. M. Taylor of Bradford. The directors then unanimously elected W. H. Gilmore as president, and Warren L. Crafts as vice president. The cashier is to be Geo. M. Marshall. The capital stock is \$25,000. This enterprise has been worked up and brought to a successful organization through the efforts of Cashier John D. Annis of the Farmers and Traders National Bank of Colebrook, N. H. The new institution expects to begin business in the course of a few weeks.

JINGLES AND JESTS.

Fly Catching.
 The spider in the baseball game would surely be a winner.
 For catching "flies" he can't be beat.
 The gluttonous old singer.
 —New York Evening Telegram.

Speaking Confidentially.
 Gladys—Don't you think the duke looks careworn?
 Mae—Er—no; sort of shopworn.—Judge.

Willie's Philosophy.
 Mamma—Stop that, Willie! Do you expect me to speak to you every five minutes about that?
 Willie—Oh, no! You'll get tired after a while.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Spring Suit.
 There was a young member of Bute.
 Who bought for himself a spring suit.
 As he tripped down the line
 His appearance was fine.
 All the ladies said, "Isn't he cut?"
 —New York Evening Telegram.

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