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Bennington must have had an awful thirst, and what will happen now that the visible supply of the where-with to quench it has disappeared? Montpelier Argus.

We don't just know, this being our first experience with "surprise parties." What do you usually do in Montpelier after one of these visitations?

We are told that there are over one million American soldiers in France at the present time. But do we get a very comprehensive idea of how large a body of men that is? Try thinking of that number passing us in a parade. If they marched ten abreast down Main street, at the rate of three miles an hour, each rank being six feet behind the preceding one, it would take thirty-eight hours lacking a few minutes, for them all to pass a given point. But while marching in such procession the rear rank would be more than one hundred thirteen miles back of the front rank. If the soldiers were all drawn up in line facing in and touching elbows, they would form a line about three hundred eighty miles in length. Yes it is quite an army already, and it is growing fast.

### The Bennington Raid.

The claim that has been made for years that in licensed communities the licensees are a great factor in selling the illicit sale of liquor is suppressed is hardly substantiated now that the curtain has been raised and the real conditions in Bennington are revealed. With several clubs selling liquor, probably not only to members but to their guests, it would seem that the business of the saloons would have been cut to such an extent that the men who paid large sums for the privilege of selling liquor openly and legally would have complained about the clubs' business.

All kinds of explanations and arguments may be made, but here is the situation in a nutshell:

Bennington is different, in respect to the liquor business, from every other large community in Vermont. It is peculiar to itself, as the advertisements used to say about the patent medicines.

The town is located almost in the corner of the state with run holes within easy reach both in New York and Massachusetts, particularly New York. Back in the old prohibitory days, previous to 1903, liquor was sold more openly in Bennington than in any other town in the state. Officials who prosecuted sellers found that their action was not popular. Just as Philadelphia has been corrupt and contented in municipal affairs Bennington fell into a way of more than tolerating the sale of liquor. Bennington has been a licensed town every year but one under local option, the town being carried by the non-license voters by a majority of two at one March meeting. We persuade the people of Bennington will explain the situation by saying that the condi-

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The village concert was in progress and, although all the local talent was mustered, little Johnny, the squire's son and heir, was bored, badly bored.

His mother grew quite anxious about him, but when a small girl started piping "The Minstrel Boy" and reached the line: "His father's sword he has girded on," Johnny fairly pricked up his ears in excitement.

"You like this, Johnny?" said his fond mother. "It is—"

"Be quiet, mother, do," said Johnny impatiently. "I want to hear what happens when his father gets to know!"

An Editor's Error. Jane Willis—So Madge broke off her engagement to that magazine editor. What was the trouble?

Marie Gilles—She sent him some love letters and he returned them with a rejection slip stating that while he was always glad to see such things and they undoubtedly possessed merit, he was greatly overstocked with other contributions of a similar nature.—Town Topics.

Home Still Safe. "Drink and tobacco have wrecked homes." "They haven't wrecked mine," protested Mr. Meekton, indignantly. "Are you addicted to drink and tobacco?"

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Should a man go to college after fifty? "Well, he might pass muster at tennis, but a man can't expect to do much in baseball or football at that age."

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