

After all, it may be confessed that the happiest period in life is one bereft of bread and butter days. People may deprecate as they please upon the pleasures of after life; but all feel that they were blithest and most joyous of spirit in their school-boy days.

Never since have they felt that triphurphant sense of life, that exulting triumph of soul, in which they trocked and "scoted" when they first vaulted from their swaddling clothes into short coats. Few, then, were the ingredients necessary to their cup of happiness—they could "carve felicity from a bit of pine wood, or fish for it successfully in a mill pond."

Reader have all the games, sports and recreations of your melancholy manhood yielded you all the delight you once derived from kite-flying, marbles, playing ball and leap-frog? Have the gorgeous and enchanting spectacles you have beheld at theatres or elsewhere, filled your soul with a sense of ecstasy?

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CARLISLE, PA. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 1855.

The Consul-Takers will soon commence operations, and every facility extended to them in the shape of information will make their tables so much the more valuable, as authentic and reliable statistics of the population, resources and productions of the country.

Illness of Mr. Clay. Monday's papers brought a report of the sudden illness of the Hon. Henry Clay, while attending church in Washington, on Sunday.

Declination of Mr. Ball. Mr. Ball, our late State Treasurer, has been much spoken of as a candidate for public office at the next election, but he positively declines as will be seen by the following letter.

African Colonization. A friend hands us for publication the following note from the Secretary of the Pennsylvania Colonization Society.

The Bribery Business. The Volunteer in speaking of the bribery transactions at Williamsport, says, "how many were bribed of course is not known."

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U. S. Congress.

Monday, June 3. SENATE.—Mr. Webster brought in a bill of his own to regulate the recolonization of fugitive slaves. Mr. Rusk submitted a bill for reducing the rates of postage.

Tuesday, June 4. SENATE.—Under consideration, Mr. Bradbury's resolution of inquiry relative to the cause of removal from office by the President. Mr. Webster made a speech against the resolution.

Wednesday, June 5. SENATE.—Mr. Yule made a motion to proceed to the consideration of the President's Message relative to the recent Cuba movement, but objections were made, and the motion was laid on the table.

Thursday, June 6. SENATE.—The question pending was upon Mr. Walker's amendment—again amended by Mr. Dayton—to abolish penance.

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gether in favor of the independent admission of California. The Senator from Kentucky had left him, as he had a right to do, and he had refused to follow, as he had a right to refuse; but Mr. Clay had no right to call upon those who chose otherwise to follow the path which he had taken.

Why should the friends of California be compelled to vote against her admission, or to take with and vote for measures which they honestly believed to be injurious, and which they cannot, therefore, vote for and fulfill the obligations which they had assumed.

He proceeded to consider the several bills reported by the Compromise Committee, exposing their various objections and incongruities. He dealt at length upon that portion of the California bill, proposing to define the boundaries of Texas and New Mexico, describing the geography of the country, and contending that the boundaries suggested are unnatural and inexpedient.

Having disposed of this branch of the subject, he proceeded, at great length, with a general examination of the scheme presented as a compromise, convulsing the chamber with laughter at his droll analogies, and illustrations, and attacking the matter in a strain of biting sarcasm and irresistible irony, which he applied with no measured terms to the originators of the scheme, its advocates and supporters.

In conclusion, he observed that it was time to end this comedy of errors—California was suffering for admission—and the territories for protection. With a view to that end, he had made the motion to postpone.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. SALT IN SHORE. 140 SACKS Liverpool Ground Alum Salt, in store and for sale very low.

WARMS SPRINGS, PERRY COUNTY, PA. THE undersigned begs leave to inform the public, that he has recently purchased the WARM SPRINGS, in Perry County, Pennsylvania, and has improved and refurnished the buildings for the entertainment of visitors.

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