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A lady should never have more than one glass of champagne. Numerous individuals and stores manufactured and sold dolls, games, fireworks, and other items designed to entertain and delight children.

The Upper Class

College sports, including football, began as intramural activities but by the end of the century came under faculty control and supervision. College sports, especially those played on the campuses of Harvard, Yale, and similar universities, reflected the social stratification inherent in American sports at that time. Afternoon tea after a stroll around the garden or a game of cards, music and talking followed by supper at night made the home a site of diverse interests where women's crafts were always on display.

Leisure in the 18th Century

Gold-rush Melbourne saw the licensing of numerous hotels, from Mac's Hotel in Franklin Street to Johnson's on the corner of Swanston and Flinders streets, the expansion of theatre and entertainment in Bourke Street for example, the Theatre Royal, opened 1856 , and the development of Stephen later Exhibition Street as a recognised brothel area.

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Leisure and the Irish in the Nineteenth Century

Old orthodoxies of restraint fell before increasing opportunities to recognise and gratify sensory pleasures. Leisure became increasingly separate from work, rather than intertwined with it.

A History of Leisure in the 19th Century

The indoor equivalent was the highly-popular music hall.

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