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Full Moon, 2nd day, 2h. 47.2m., a. m.  
Last Quarter 9th day, 7h. 18.0m., a. m.  
New Moon 17th day, 9a. 17.0m., a. m.  
First Quarter, 25th day, 9a. 8.7m., a. m.  
New Moon, 1st Jan., 18.5.

DAY OF WEEK	Sun	Moon	High	Days	
M	rises	sets	rises	water	
1 Monday	7 38	4 10	3 47	9 23	8 49
2 Tuesday	30	10	4 39	10 12	40
3 Wednesday	31	9	5 39	10 58	39
4 Thursday	32	9	6 40	11 44	37
5 Friday	33	9	7 56	12 29	36
6 Saturday	34	9	9 6	1 14	24
7 Sunday	35	8	10 17	2 1	33
8 Monday	36	8	11 24	2 52	32
9 Tuesday	37	8	12 28	3 50	31
10 Wednesday	38	8	0 29	4 59	30
11 Thursday	49	8	1 27	6 2	29
12 Friday	40	8	2 34	7 16	28
13 Saturday	41	8	3 34	8 10	27
14 Sunday	42	8	4 33	8 54	26
15 Monday	43	9	5 31	9 34	26
16 Tuesday	44	9	6 25	10 13	25
17 Wednesday	44	9	7 16	10 47	25
18 Thursday	45	10	8 7	11 25	25
19 Friday	45	10	8 45	11 57	24
20 Saturday	47	10	9 22	12 24	24
21 Sunday	47	11	9 56	0 31	24
22 Monday	47	11	10 27	1 6	24
23 Tuesday	47	11	10 56	1 44	24
24 Wednesday	47	12	11 23	2 26	25
25 Thursday	48	13	11 53	3 15	25
26 Friday	49	14	12 23	4 19	25
27 Saturday	49	15	0 58	5 37	26
28 Sunday	49	15	1 37	6 57	26
29 Monday	49	16	2 22	8 7	27
30 Tuesday	49	17	3 17	9 4	27
31 Wednesday	7 30	4 19	4 19	9 58	8 28

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## ADAM BEDE.

### CHAPTER XIV.

(Continued.)

The fact was, Hetty had really forgotten  
the difference of the clocks when she told  
Captain Donnithorne that she set out at  
eight, and this, with her lingering pace,  
had made her nearly half an hour later than  
usual. But here her aunt's attention was  
diverted from the tender subject by Totty,  
who, perceiving at length that the arrival  
of her cousins was not likely to bring any  
thing satisfactory to her in particular,  
began to cry, 'Munny, munny,' in an ex-  
plosive manner.

'Well, then, my pet, mother's got her,  
mother won't leave her; Totty be a good  
dilling, and go to sleep now,' said Mrs.  
Poyser, leaning back and rocking the chair,  
while she tried to make Totty nestle  
against her. But Totty only cried louder  
and said, 'don't yock!' So the mother,  
with that wondrous patience which loves  
gives to the quickest temperament, sat up  
again, and pressed her cheek against the  
linen night-cap and kissed it and forgot to  
scold Hetty any longer.

'Come, Hetty,' said Martin Poyser, in a  
conciliatory tone, 'go and get your supper  
' the pantry, as the things are all put  
away; an' then you can come an' take the  
little un while your aunt undresses herself,  
for she won't lie down in bed without her  
mother. An' I reckon you could eat a bit,  
Dinah, for they don't keep much of a house  
down there.'

'No, thank you, uncle,' said Dinah; 'I  
ate a good meal before I came away, for  
Mrs. Bede would make a kettle-cake for  
me.'

'I don't want any supper,' said Hetty,  
taking off her hat. 'I can hold Totty now,  
if aunt wants me.'

'Why, what nonsense that is to talk,'  
said Mrs. Poyser. 'Do you think you can  
live wi'out eatin', an' nourish your inside  
wi' stickin' red ribbons on your head? Go  
an' get your supper this minute, child;  
there's a nice bit o' cold puddin' i' the safe  
—yust what you're fond on.'

Hetty complied silently by going toward  
the pantry, and Mrs. Poyser went on,  
speaking to Dinah.

'Sit down, my dear, an' look as if you  
knewed what it was to make yourself a bit  
comfortable i' the world. I warrant the  
old woman was glad to see you, since you  
stayed so long.'

'She seemed to like having me there at  
last; but her sons say she doesn't like young  
women about her, commonly; and I  
thought just at first she was almost angry  
at me for going.'

'Oh! it's a poor lookout when th' old  
folks doensn like the young 'uns,' said old  
Martin, bending his head down lower, and  
seeming to trace the pattern of the quarries  
with his eye.

'Ay, it's ill livin' in a hen roost for them  
as doesn't like fleas,' said Mrs. Poyser.  
'We've all had our turn at bein' young, I  
reckon, be't good luck or ill.'

'But she must learn to 'commode her-  
self to young women,' said Mr. Poyser,  
'for it isn't to be counted on as Adam and  
Seth 'll keep bachelors for the next ten  
year to please their mother. That 'ud be  
onreasonable. It isn't right for old nor  
young naythur to make a bargain all their  
own side. What's good for one's good all  
round, i' the long run. I'm no friend to  
young fellows a-marrying afore they know  
the difference tw'een a crab an' apple; but  
they may wait o'er long.'

'To be sure,' said Mrs. Poyser; 'if you go  
past your dinner-time there'll be little re-  
lish o' your meat. You turn it o'er an'  
o'er wi' your fork and don't eat it after all  
you find fault wi' your meat, an' the fault's  
all i' your own stomach.'

Hetty now came back from the pantry,  
and said, 'I can take Totty, now, aunt, if  
you like.'

'Come, Rachel,' said Mr. Poyser, as his  
wife seemed to hesitate, seeing that Totty  
was at last nestling quietly, 'hee'd bet-  
ter let Hetty carry her upstairs, while thee  
tak'st thy things off. Thee's tired. It's  
time thee wast in bed. Thee's bring on the  
pain in thy side again.'

'Well, she may hold her if the child 'll  
go to her,' said Mrs. Poyser.

Hetty went close to the rocking chair,  
and stood without her usual smile, and  
without any attempt to entice Totty, simply  
waiting for her aunt to give the child into  
her hands.'

'Wilt go to Cousin Hetty, my dilling,  
while mother gets ready to go to bed? I  
Then Totty shall go into mother's bed, and  
sleep there all night.'

Before her mother had done speaking,  
Totty had given her answer in an unmis-  
takable manner, by knitting her brow, set-  
ting her tiny teeth against her under lip,  
and leaning forward to slap Hetty on the  
arm with her utmost force. Then, without  
speaking, she nestled to her mother again.

'Hey! hey!' said Mr. Poyser, while  
Hetty stood without moving, 'not go to  
Cousin Hetty! That's like a baby; Totty's  
a little woman, an' not a baby.'

'It's no use trying to persuade her,' said  
Mrs. Poyser. 'She allays takes against  
Hetty when she isn't well. Happen she'll  
go to Dinah.'

Dinah, having taken off her bonnet and  
shawl, had hitherto kept quietly seated in  
the background, not liking to thrust her-  
self between Hetty and what was consider-  
ed Hetty's proper work. But now she  
came forward, and putting out her arms,  
said, 'Come, Totty, come and let Dinah  
carry her upstairs along with mother; poor,  
poor mother! she's so tired—she wants to  
go to bed.'

Totty turned her face toward Dinah, and  
looked at her an instant, then lifted herself  
up, put out her little arms, and let Dinah  
lift her from her mother's lap. Hetty  
turned away without any sign of ill humor,  
and taking her hat from the table, stood  
waiting with an air of indifference, to see  
if she should be told to do anything else.

'You may make the door fast now,

Poyser; Alick's been come in this long  
while,' said Mrs. Poyser, rising with an  
appearance of relief from her low chair.

'Get me the mites down Hetty, for I  
must have the rushlight burning i' my  
room. Come father.'

The heavy wooden bolts began to roll in  
the house doors, and old Martin prepared  
to move, by gathering up his bright knotted  
walnut-tree stick from the corner. Mrs.  
Poyser then led the way out of the kitchen,  
followed by the grandfather, and Dinah  
with Totty in her arms—all going to bed at  
twilight, like the birds. Mrs. Poyser, on  
her way, peeped into the room where her  
two boys lay, just to see th' ruddy round  
cheeks on the pillow, and to hear for a  
moment their light, regular breathing.

'Come, Hetty, get to bed,' said Mr.  
Poyser, in a soothing tone, as he himself  
turned to go upstairs. 'You didna mean  
to be late, I'll be bound; but your aun's  
been worried to-day. Good night, my  
wench, good night.'

(To be continued.)

### CURRENT NOTES.

A family in Quebec has been poisoned by  
eating diseased pork.

The steamer York City, which sails from  
Halifax on Friday, will take 50,000 bushels  
of peas.

There were about 800 deaths in Halifax  
during the year—or less than two per cent.  
of the population.

Madame H. Roy, of Levis, Quebec, wife  
of the Chief of Police, gave birth on Wed-  
nesday to her seventeenth and eighteenth  
children—a boy and a girl.

The steamer Wandrah, which arrived  
at Halifax from Hamburg on the 29th  
Dec., brought 16,664 bags (1700 tons) of  
beet sugar, of which 6000 bags are for a  
Halifax refinery and the rest for Montreal.

Margaret Munro, relict of the late  
Andrew Munro, died at Scotburn, Pictou  
Co., N. S., on the 21st, at the great age  
of 106 years. She came from Southland-  
shire to Pictou about eighty years ago.

A chicken was killed in Wilkes county,  
Pennsylvania, recently, and three brass  
buttons and the shell of a pistol cartridge  
were found in its gizzard. Now we know  
what has become of the United States  
army.

SCOTT ACT.—An Ottawa despatch says:  
'The opponents of the Scott Act are circula-  
ting a petition to Parliament asking that  
the Act be amended so that a three-fifths  
majority shall be necessary to secure its  
adoption in any country.'

A destructive tidal wave, followed by  
lesser ones, occurred at New Haven, Conn.,  
on the 22nd inst. It appeared to be eight  
feet high as it rolled up the harbor. By it  
two vessels were sunk, another broken  
from her anchors and another stranded.  
The wave was preceded by an earthquake.

Four hotels which were in operation in  
St. John, N. B., last year—the Park, the  
Clarendon, the Waverley and the Inter-  
national—besides three boarding houses,  
are now closed, and yet, says the *Telegraph*,  
the proprietors of the remaining hotels report  
that business has been decidedly dull this  
fall.

The death of Basil Bell, father of A. C.  
Bell, M. P., took place at New Glasgow,  
N. S., on 29th Dec., in the 73rd year of his  
age. He was a native of Edinburgh and a  
graduate of Edinburgh university. He was  
well known throughout the Province of  
Nova Scotia as an educationist and agricul-  
turalist.

Florence Marrayal, who is soon to lecture  
in St. John, N. B., asks: 'What shall we  
women do with our men?' To which the  
*Philadelphia Call* replies: 'Give them  
back their latch keys, kiss them good night  
and tell them to come in when they please,  
as you are going to sleep. They will re-  
form in a week.'

The urgent order of the English govern-  
ment to Portsmouth, on the 27th inst., to  
hold all available men of the southern  
division of the royal artillery in readiness  
to go to Gibraltar, is considered signifi-  
cant. It is regarded as a hint to the continen-  
tal powers that England will be prepared to  
defend her course in Egypt.

The recent case of Hanson vs. Hanson  
illustrates the speed and success of the  
divorce cases in Nova Scotia. The wife  
sued for a divorce and within three months  
from the commencement of the proceedings  
an absolute decree was granted. The hus-  
band's farm was sold for costs (and bought  
in for the wife) and husband driven from  
the Province to escape arrest. The wife is  
now free and successfully running the farm.

F. W. Nickerson & Co., of Boston,  
owners of the Boston, Halifax and P. E.  
Island steamship line, have issued the fol-  
lowing circular: Owing to necessary re-  
pairs, to fit them up for the next season's  
work, the steamships Carrol and Worcester,  
of the Boston, Halifax and P. E.  
Island steamship line, will be sent off  
after January 10th, 1885, on which date the  
Carroll will sail for Halifax. After that  
date there will be no steamer for Halifax  
or beyond for several weeks, until repairs  
are completed, due notice of which will be  
issued to shippers. Also, there will be no  
steamer sailing for Halifax on January 3rd,  
1885, the only sailing from Boston for the  
present being on January 10th next, as  
above stated.

THESE are just two things that is an impos-  
sibility to do on P. E. Island, and that is to  
stop people from drinking brandy, and to  
carry a piece of fine Machinery to Brown's  
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