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MOON'S CHANGES.

Last Quarter 7th day, 10h., 58.3m., p. m., N.

W. (below horizon.)

New Moon 14th day, 3h., 9.0m., p. m., West.

First Quarter 22nd day, 2h., 47.7m., a. m., N.W. (be'ow horizon.)

Full Moon 30th day, 4h., 1.8m., a. m., S.W.

DAY OF WEEK

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We intend to make extensive alterations in our premises next spring, and a change in our business, and to do this must clear out our entire stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Carpets, &c., &c

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Ch'town, Nov. 14, 1887.—eod & wky

## THE PIRATE.

By Sir Walter Scott.

CHAPTER XXI.

(Continued.)

Norna returned no answer whatever to his repeated invitations, and the company began to look upon each other with some surprise, when the Udaller, raising the skin which covered the entrance to the tent, discovered that the interior was empty. The wonder was now general, and not unmingled with fear; for it seemed impossible that Norna could have, in any manner, escaped from the tabernacle in which she was enclosed, without having been discovered by the company. Gone, however, she was, and the Udaller, after a moment's consideration, dropt the skin-curtain again over the entrance of the tent.

"My friends," he said, with a cheerful countenance, "we have long known my kinswoman, and that her ways are not like the ordinary folks of this world. But she means well by Hialland, and hath the love of a sister for me, and for my house; and no guest of mine needs either to fear evil, or to take offence, at her hand. I have little doubt she will be with us at dinner-time."

"Now, Heaven forbid!" said Mrs. Baby Yellowley—"for, my gude Liddy Glowvrum, to tell your leddyship the truth, I likens cummers that can come and gae like a glance of the sun, or the whirk of a whirlwind."

"Speak lower, speak lower," said the Lady Glowvrum, "and be thankful that you earlin' hams have played warse pranks, and so has she herself, unless she is the sairer lied on."

Similar murmurs ran through the rest of the company, until the Udaller uplifted his stentorian and imperative voice to put them to silence, and invited, or rather commanded, the attendance of his guests to behold the boats set off for the haaf or deep-sea fishing.

"The wind has been right since sunrise," he said, "and has kept the boats in the bay; but now it is favorable, and they would sail immediately."

This sudden alteration of the weather occasioned sundry nods and winks amongst the guests, who were not indisposed to connect it with Norna's sudden disappearance; but without giving vent to observations which could not but be disagreeable to their host, they followed his stately step to the shore, as the herd of deer follows the leading stag, with all manner of respectful observance.

CHAPTER XXII.

There was a laughing devil in his sneer. That raised emotions both of rage and fear; And where his frown of hatred darkly fell, Hope withering fled—and Mercy'sic' far away.

The Corsair, Canto I.

The ling or white fishery is the principal employment of the natives of Zetland, and was formerly that upon which the gentry chiefly depended for their income, and the poor of their subsistence. The fishing season is therefore, like the harvest of an agricultural country, the busiest and most important, as well as the most animating, period of the year.

The fishermen of each district assemble at particular stations, with their boats and crews, and erect upon the shore small huts, composed of shingle, and covered with turf, for their temporary lodging, and skeos, or drying houses for the fish; so that the lonely beach at once assumes the appearance of an Indian town. The banks to which they repair for the haaf fishing, are often many miles distant from the station where the fish is dried; so that they are always twenty or thirty hours absent, frequently longer; and under unfavorable circumstances of wind and tide they remain at sea with a very small stock of provisions, and in a boat of a construction which seems extremely slender, for two or three days, and are sometimes heard of no more. The departure of the fishers, therefore, on this occupation, has in it a character of danger and of suffering, which renders it dignified, and the anxiety of the females who remain on the beach watching the departure of the lessening boat, or anxiously looking out for its return, gives pathos to the scene.

The scene, therefore, was in busy and anxious animation when the Udaller and his friends appeared on the beach. The various crews of about thirty boats, amounting each to from three to five or six men, were taking leave of their wives and female relatives, and jumping on board their long Norway skiffs, where their lines and tackle lay ready stored. Magnus was not an idle spectator of the scene; he went from one place to another, inquiring into the state of their provisions for the voyage, and their preparations for the fishing; and then, with a rough Dutch or Norse oath, abusing them for blockheads, for going to sea with their boats indifferently found, but always ending by ordering from his own stores a gallon of gin, a hie pound of meal, or some similar essential addition to their accoutrements. The hardy sailors, on receiving such favors, expressed their thanks in the brief gruff manner which their landlord best approved; but the women were more clamorous in their gratitude, which Magnus was often obliged to silence by cursing all female tongues from Eve's downward.

At length all were on board and ready, the sails were hoisted, the signal for departure given, the rowers began to pull, and all started from the shore, in strong emulation to get first to the fishing ground, and to have their lines set before the rest; an exploit to which no little consequence was attached by the boat's crew who should be happy enough to perform it.

(To be continued.)

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain; and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhoea, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other kind. mar17 eod & wky

FOR SALE.—A few gallons of Gasoline (highest grade).—Mark Wright & Co.

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

A Public Library.

Sir,—Many improvements have been introduced of late years into our town, and looking back over the last decade, we may fairly congratulate ourselves upon a reasonable amount of progress. Still there is one very important requisite to the well being of any community which has not, nor does not, receive from us the consideration due to it: that of a Public Library.

In this age of intellectual development, if we would at all keep pace with our fellows, we cannot afford to neglect any means of strengthening our mental powers. As education is becoming general, the standard of requirements is ever advancing. Year by year the amount of knowledge demanded of all classes is perceptibly increasing. Mind is becoming a more and more important factor in the struggle for existence.

So far as capacity goes, we may assume that we do not fall below the average of our fellow countrymen; but we must recognize the fact that we, especially our young men, have not advantages equal to those enjoyed by the citizens of the cities of the continent. These are the men with whom we will have to enter into competition. They are ever pushing forward, and if we are not prepared to fall back out of the race, it becomes our duty to see that we do not neglect a day longer than necessary to add to the means that we already possess, perhaps the most important of all educational agencies—a good library.

The mind to grow must have food and exercise; and easy access to the writings of the world's great thinkers can provide for this, as can nothing else.

A library we ought to have, and we can have, if we but honestly try for it. Many are already alive to the importance of this matter; but very many more have not deemed it worthy of thought. The direct advantages to be derived from it must be more or less apparent to all of your readers; and I cannot, within the limits of this letter, attempt to particularize them. But besides these, the indirect ones would be of incalculable benefit to the community; and in this last connection a few remarks of Dr. Holmes are so appropos, especially in view of the interest the temperance question is at present exciting, that I will ask leave to insert them:

"Empty heads, heads without ideas in wholesome variety, and sufficient number to furnish food for the mental clock-work, ill-regulated heads whose faculties are not under control of the will—these are the ones that hold the brains which their owners are so apt to tamper with by introducing the appliances we have been talking about (alcoholic stimulants.) I think you will find it true that before any vice can fasten on a man's body, mind or moral nature must be debilitated. The mosses and fungi gather on sickly trees, not thriving ones, and the odious parasites which fasten on the human frame choose that which is already enfeebled. Whenever the wandering demon of drunkenness finds a ship adrift, no steady wind in its sails, no thoughtful pilot directing its course, he steps on board, takes the helm and steers straight for the mast-strom."

The executive of the Y. M. C. A. have expressed their willingness to undertake the management of a Public Library in connection with the reading room, and have also announced their intention of soon bringing the matter definitely before the public. Let it meet with a hearty support. The formation of a good library will necessarily take time; but that should the more urge us to make a commencement at once. Fairly started, it will be its own best advocate for having experienced some of the benefits to be derived therefrom, not only will we be disinclined to forego them, but will also be encouraged to attempt still further advances.

M. S. M. A.

### Local Notices.

CALL early and pick out your Watches, Jewelry, Silverware, &c. that you want engraved with name, initials or motto which will be done without extra charge at G. H. Taylor's, North Side Queen Square.

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SOMETHING new in ladies' rubber gossamers received at Beer Bros. Special values at \$1.30, \$1.00, \$2.50, \$4.30, \$5, and \$6.50.

A LARGE stock of Boys' and Girls' Sleighs offered during the holidays at cost.—Mark Wright & Co.

WHY is it the people go to W. P. Colwill's from all parts of the country to get crockery when they come to the city? Because they see, by reading the papers, where to get the best and the cheapest. It is always at the Cheap Crockery Store. dec10 eod wky 4w

SAVE your rubbers and overshoes from wearing out at the heels by getting a pair of heel plates put on at R. K. Jost's, shoe store North Side, Market Square.

HANDSOME Marble Clocks, Figures and Plaques received Saturday.—E. W. TAYLOR.

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May 18, 1887.

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THE leading Dry Goods firms of the City  
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(see advts.) Perhaps their profits warrant  
the reductions in price; perhaps not.  
Anyway, it's a good thing for the purchasers.

OUR ADVICE.

Don't buy any more Dry Goods than you  
need because they are cheap. Buy just what  
you would have bought if no reductions had  
been made. Then you will find that you have  
a good many dollars on hand that you did not  
expect to have. Now, bring those dollars  
over to our store and lay in a stock of

GOOD THINGS TO EAT.

(You can't live on Dry Goods.) Get a box of  
Raisins, a few pounds of Currants, 5 or 10 lbs.  
of Tea (or a half chest if you have a large  
family), a good supply of Sugar, Rice, Spices,  
a tin of Kerosene Oil, and such other Goods  
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