

TIROSH

TIROSH, translated "NEW WINE," means WINE IN THE CLUSTER and WINE IN THE VAT.

Proof texts:—Isa. lxx. 8; Micah vi. 15; Prov. iii. 10; Joel ii. 24. It occurs **38** times, is never intoxicating, and is always spoken of as a BLESSING.

YAYIN

YAYIN, translated "WINE," is a *generic term* for *all kinds of wine—fermented and unfermented*. It occurs **141** times. Its character known *only by the context*.

Proof texts:—(1). *Fermented*—Gen. ix. 24; 1 Sam. xxv. 37; Prov. xx. 1; Isa. v. 11. (2). *Unfermented*—Jer. xlviii. 33; Isa. xvi. 10; Jer. xl. 10; Gen. xlix. 11; Deut. xxviii. 39.

SHECHAR

SHECHAR, usually translated "STRONG DRINK," is highly intoxicating as a rule, occurs **23** times, is always spoken of with *warning* and *woe*, except Deut. xiv. 26, where it probably signifies DATES, for it is to be *eaten*; and Num. xxviii. 7, where it is "used for *yayin*," according to Fürst.