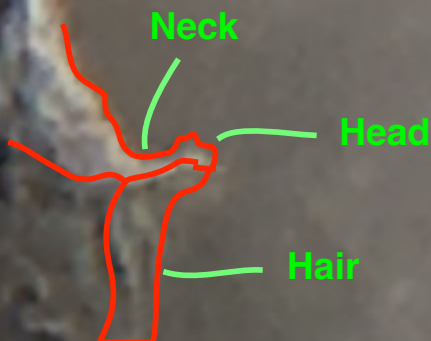




# Clair– obscure on the moon



## The Maiden on the Moon



The “*Maiden on the Moon*” has been an unusual observing destination since it was first described by Giovanni Cassini in the late 1600s. What geographical feature on the lunar surface does the Maiden represent?

- A. Vallis Alpes
- B. Mons Pico
- C. Promontorium Herclides

The Maiden is best viewed under less than ideal seeing conditions – such as when a slight haze is present.

Observe this intriguing feature in the evening (late evening for East Coast viewers) on December 23.

Record your observations  
with a sketch!

