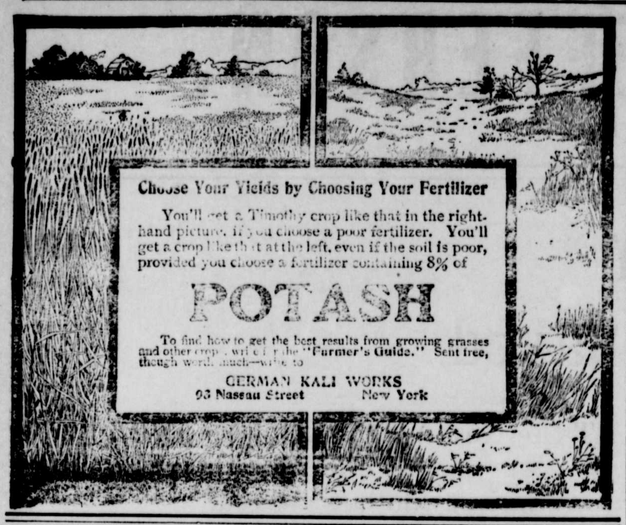



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"The next morning I presented myself before the manager of the grocery house. 'As I told you,' said he, 'I have no place open at present,' and walked away. 'But,' said I, 'didn't you tell me you would find a hole for me?' 'I did,' he answered back. 'Ain't you in it?' He then added, 'Mr. R., the superintendent of the firm you have been working for is my brother.' I have worked since then with my hands in my pockets, and the lesson took a good deal of the freshness out of me. It taught me to look before I leaped."—New York Press.

## WEIGHT FLUCTUATIONS.

**A Man May Gain and Lose Five Pounds In the Day.**

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"Thus, day by day, gaining nearly five pounds, our weight remains uniform. If we ate but a half or a third what we do, it is logical to suppose that our organs, digestive and so on, would have but half as much work to do and that our brains in consequence would be able to do twice as much. That is the logical supposition, and no doubt it is the correct one, but man is still too nearly animal to eat only what he needs. He insists upon eating till he can hold no more."

**Saved by the Apostles' Creed.**

The value of a religious education was once experienced by the skeptic Hume. He fell off a temporary bridge connecting old and new Edinburgh and sank in a bog. After many cries for assistance an old woman drew near and began to make preparations for saving him. But as soon as she saw who it was she would save she desisted and bade him stay where he was. "I am no atheist," protested Hume. "I assure you, good woman, you are mistaken." "Well, then, if you are not an atheist," she cried, "you can say your belief, and if you cannot do that I will be no aid to save an infidel." Hume accordingly, embogged in the swamp—de profundis—recited the Apostles' Creed and, having made no mistake in the recital, was duly saved by this severe Samaritan. If he had failed—

**Exhibits In Law Cases.**

What are known as "exhibits" in law cases range from sheets of paper to boilers and other large articles. At various times an omnibus, a motor car and a cab have been on view in the private roadway by the side of the London law courts, and as they could not be brought into the witness box the judge and jury have had to go out and inspect them in the open. One of the most ponderous "exhibits" of this kind was a large ship's boiler furnace, which was conveyed from Swansea for inspection.—London Standard.

**Cool and Thoughtful.**

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"You don't say!" exclaimed the visitor.

"Yes; he left behind him a note to the governor of the state beginning, 'I hope you will pardon me for the liberty I'm taking.'"—Catholic Standard and Times.

**The Intention Was Good.**

Governess—You're a naughty little girl, Christabel, to kick your cousin like that. Christabel—I didn't kick her. Governess—Oh, hush, dear! I saw you kick her several times. Christabel—I didn't. I missed her every time.—Punch.

**Jumping at Conclusions.**

"I see that the 'human ostrich' is no more. He's the chap who swallowed nails, needles and hatpins. And he chewed glass too."

"I see. He chewed so much glass that he got a pain."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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## MAN AND HIS BELIEFS.

**The Seven Great Religious Bodies of the World.**

The population of the earth at the death of the Emperor Augustus was estimated at 50,000,000. Today it is calculated that this globe has a population of 1,603,150,000. Out of this vast number of more than a billion and a half of human beings it is asserted that all but an infinitesimal fraction of 1 per cent believe in and worship in some degree a supreme ruler of the universe.

There are seven great religions in the world. The Christian religion has the greatest number of adherents, 568,000,000. Of this number 350,000,000 are Catholics and 218,000,000 Protestants. These two great divisions are subdivided into innumerable sects differing from one another on some point of dogma or church government. Next in importance comes the worship of ancestors and Confucianism, whose followers are 283,000,000 in number. This belief is confined almost exclusively to the Chinese and Japanese. In India there are 223,000,000 Brahmans. This form of religion has decreased somewhat during recent years, owing perhaps to the continual ravages of plague and famine in that country. But it still holds the third place among the seven great religions. Brahmanism is hard pressed, however, by the faith of Islam. There are 222,000,000 of these followers of the doctrines of Mohammed. The fifth on the list are the Polytheists, the believers in many gods, who number 130,000,000. The devotees of Buddha come next, 107,000,000 strong. These, too, have their stronghold in India. The smallest of the seven great religions of the world is Taoism, with 44,000,000 adherents in the Chinese empire and in Tibet.

The next greatest religion, in point of numbers, to Taoism is the belief of Japan, Shintoism. This has but 18,000,000 believers. The Jewish faith now counts but half that number of adherents. But, unlike the other great religions, the followers of the teachings of Moses are not centered in any particular country, but are scattered all about the world. Compared with the foregoing, the religions of the Parsees, while one of the most beautiful theoretically, has about the smallest following of any distinct belief in the world, 150,000. This sect has its home in India and is best known to the outside world by its curious burial customs, the famed "towers of silence."—Exchange.

**Some Odd Wills.**

One of the oddest documents of the will kind known was that of Queen Austrigilda, consort of King Goutram of Burgundy. The dying princess enjoined upon her husband to slay and bury in the same grave with her the physicians who had attended her. Another will was that of a husband who forbade his wife's marrying on pain of his returning to haunt her. This is quite different from that of a woman who instructed her executors to seek out "some nice, good, pretty girl" who would make an affectionate second wife to her spouse. It is a fact interesting in this connection that the first Napoleon actually bequeathed 10,000 francs to a fellow named Cantillon, who had been tried for attempting the assassination of the Duke of Wellington.


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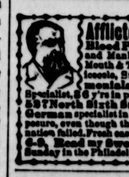
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