



The Fakirs of India—The man who never stands erect.

"The notion that the mortification of the body is meritorious as a means of salvation from sin or impurity rests upon the soul of India like a pall."



The man who keeps his arms erect.



The man who never sits down.

"Many devotees take a strange attitude and hold it by force of will, until the freedom of the given organs is destroyed."



Mortifying the Body as a means of Salvation.

THE DISAPPEARING FAKIRS OF INDIA.