

'JUST WEIGHTS'

'Thou shalt not have in thy bag
divers weights, a great
and a small'. Deut 25 v 13

1. Ex_____ and archaeologists who discover ancient c_____ usually just discover a mound in the desert or in some place where a city once stood.
2. When these mounds are carefully sifted through, all kind of ob_____ are found which show what the city was like. The foundations of h_____, bits of broken cr_____, t_____, weapons etc. Often they can tell where the shops were, and the places where the people w_____.
3. Once, a goldsmiths shop was discovered, and two drawers full of little stone weights. When tested, one set was too l_____, and the other set too h_____.
4. What the dishonest goldsmith had done was, when he weighed the gold he was buying, he used the h_____ weights, and so got more; and when he was selling gold, he used the l_____ weights, and so gave away less.



Jeweller's weights



5. Perhaps he thought his sin would never be f_____ out - But it was! The goldsmith was a ch_____, and it never pays to cheat.
6. If we judge anyone, we should judge them fairly. We know that really it is only God who can j_____ someone completely fairly.
7. We must not have two different sets of weights, one to judge our-_____, and one to judge o_____.