

Standard American Works.

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No. 27 PARK PLACE,

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Charles Tonzell

Your note is at hand.

Enclosed are the "Tourgee Book" statements
I thought I had sent them the other day.
Britton & Blair have both been reading
& read statements, and we have told
them we are ready to pay the \$42⁰⁰⁰⁰
to whichever is decided to be en-
titled to it, but for both the Judge's
sale & our own we must hold the
proceeds till that is settled beyond
dispute. This is Logan's advice.
It will probably be arranged in a
few days, but Blair is too tricky
for us to pay Britton without full
warrant from both of them.

The Caesar sale is dead.
Print you perhaps because you
have seen a newspaper state-
ment that the book has "gone
to its 10th thousand." That is true
so far as printing is concerned

but the 4th 2500 has not yet
been drawn upon by sales.

Miller & Quinn have been
paid for their paper & seem satis-
fied, know the circumstances
of delay & of campaign distrac-
tions & of price. As the plates
& the most of the advertising have
now been paid for the rest will
be more profitable. It had to
be a hard push to get any
attention from the book buying public.

In hopes of better returns
I remain

Yours sincerely

Albion