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Judge Tourgee: May I be allowed to answer that question.

It is a ~~most~~ remarkable <sup>fact</sup> thing to my mind that there is in this country only one publication of ~~exactly that character~~ <sup>what is termed a "high grade"</sup> in which

you will find the word "Negro" spelled with a capital "N", <sup>except those</sup> ~~published by colored men.~~ <sup>The</sup>

~~only magazine that spells the Negro with a capital "N".~~ <sup>This is a</sup> ~~Magazine of considerable~~ <sup>publication of decided</sup> literary and artistic merit. ~~colored man is~~ <sup>In this, the</sup> ~~him treated in that with a dignity which is lacking in all of our~~ <sup>consideration and respect which is almost</sup> ~~literature, of that sort that I know anything about.~~ <sup>You will find</sup> ~~It may be a surprise~~ <sup>to say</sup> to the Conference that this is a Roman Catholic ~~publication~~ <sup>magazine</sup>

~~the St. George Advocate of Baltimore.~~ <sup>published at</sup> ~~It represents that during~~ <sup>the past year the Negroes of</sup> ~~the past year the Negroes of~~ <sup>It is especially de-</sup>

~~noted the the work of that Church among~~ <sup>It is especially de-</sup> ~~the Negroes of the South and occupies the same~~ <sup>noted the the work of that Church among</sup> ~~position upon the color question as that recently~~ <sup>the Negroes of the South and occupies the same</sup> ~~expressed by Archbishop Ireland. It claims not~~ <sup>position upon the color question as that recently</sup> ~~only a larger percentage of gain but an actually~~ <sup>expressed by Archbishop Ireland. It claims not</sup> ~~larger increase of membership among the colored people~~ <sup>only a larger percentage of gain but an actually</sup> ~~during the past decade than any other church. Both~~ <sup>larger increase of membership among the colored people</sup> ~~the New York Times and the Boston Herald~~ <sup>during the past decade than any other church. Both</sup> ~~Roman Catholic work among the Negroes, will~~ <sup>the New York Times and the Boston Herald</sup>

~~add the figures that you gave me~~ <sup>add the figures that you gave me</sup> ~~I am sure interest and perhaps stir the~~ <sup>I am sure interest and perhaps stir the</sup> ~~reference to church membership~~ <sup>reference to church membership</sup> ~~of the Conference as it did me.~~ <sup>of the Conference as it did me.</sup> ~~among the Catholic negroes~~ <sup>among the Catholic negroes</sup>

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