"You seem to have a good deal of suicides. And 60,000 men and faith," said Charlie.

"I do have; and I don't give peo- graves. ple up until my five senses are con- Our population numbers about and don't take things exactly as you | forget it." see them. Probe to the bottom."

land and sea."

can trust her," said Will.

"But these letters,-how do you oath as to divine production. explain them? They are in her handwriting."

link is not quite so sure. I have proud of this Mormon Bible. sent a telegram to Paddie. He'll Heretofore we have been comuntil you know she's false."

dence. I don't believe you'll change so truly American. it much. Paddie is pretty smart, but he is not magician enough to write these.

penmanship."

the same person," said Paddie; but translated by the gift and power of by Blanche?"

"Yes," said Charlie.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

The Licensed Preacher.

"BY OLD MORTALITY." My Little Ones—

In America we have 143 different styles of religion. In order to keep these various religions constantly before the people it requires 113,000 preachers. The various nations of the world have 1000 forms of religion and many thousand odd and senseless dogmas.

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This is called a Christian country yet our jails, prisons and houses of correction are filled to the walls with law breakers.

In 1896 there were 10,652 murders. There were also 6020 women went down to drunkards'

vinced. I don't assume everybody 73,000,000, so you see that not oneto be a liar, much less a woman like third of our vast legions are church Blanche, from whose eyes nothing members, yet notwithstanding but virtue shines. Remember Mad- this fact we pat ourselves on the eline. Was she not most faithful, back, and tell our heathen neighmost loving, even unto death, though bors that "we uns" are out of the you were convinced, perhaps on bet- slough of despond, and on board ter evidence than this, that she was the ark of safety because we are a false? Come, do have some faith, christian nation, and "don't you

Little ones maybe you are not "Would I could believe in her!" particularly interested in this part said Charlie. "IfI could but keep of my discourse so I will change the my trust, I would follow her over subject and tell you something about the book of Mormon, which, by the "Take my word for it that you way, is the only one of the 27 different bibles that men have made

And as God in his great wisdom and sagacity selected Americans to "There's where you jump. The edit the book, I feel somewhat

be here in a minute, and then we'll pelled to depend solely upon our study it up. But give me your foreign neighbors for our bibles and hand that you won't whistle her off our religion. By the way, it is said that the A. P. A.'s will read "Here it is. I'll stick to the evi- no other bible, because this one is

IN COURT.

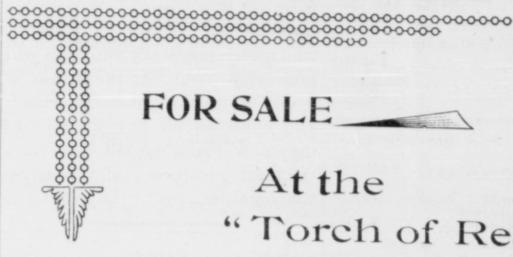
Testimony of three witnesses: convince me that Blanche didn't Be it known unto all nations, kinderds, tongues and peoples, unto "Possibly she did. I admit the whom this work shall come, that resemblance. But now for the iden- we through the grace of God the tity. Paddie, here's a question for father, and our Lord Jesus Christ you. Set your wits to work. have seen the plates which contain Your are an expert, I believe, in this record which is a record of the Nephi and also of the Briefly, Will told the story to Lamanites, their brethren and also Paddie, as the latter came hurrying of the people of Jared, who came from the tower of which hath been "I should say all were written by spoken and we know hath been I must study deeper. These notes God-for his voice hath declared it and letters you know were written unto us, wherefore we know of a surety that the work is true. And we also testify that we have seen "And this you received to-night, the engravings which are upon the and this is the one sent to the house- plates, and they have been shown us by the power of God, and not of

And we declare with words of soberness that the angels of God came down from heaven and he brought and laid before our eyes, that we beheld and saw the plates, and the engravings therein, and we know that it is by the grace of God the father and our Lord Jesus Christ, that we beheld and bear record that these things are true and it is marvellous in our eyes. Nevertheless the voice of the Lord commanded us that we should bear record of it. Wherefore, to be obedient unto the commandments of God, we bear testimony of these things.

faithful in Christ, we shall rid our garments of the blood of all men and be found spotless before the judgement seat of Christ and dwell with him eternally in the heavens, and the honor be to the father, and

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