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ing in persons of advanced age. At sixty years of age there remain but twenty-two bachelors for forty-eight married men, at seventy years eleven bachelors for twenty-seven married men and at eighty years three bachelors for nine married men. These figures seem to indicate that the best thing for a man to do is to get him a wife and shake wearing cares of bachelorhood. We all want to live as long as possible and live happily if we can Some bachelors are reasonably happy. But all of them are not. Get married. That's the proper caper."-New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Michael Augelo's Work.

ate. Of course at that age he soon Michael Angelo relied almost entirely forgot his father and mother, and upon form-the form of the figure and of the draperies. He told Pope Julian gist. Trial bottle free. he was our own child. I was very II., when the latter requested him to fond of him, and my wife, who idolpaint the celling of the Sistine chapel at Rome, that he was not a painter, but a sculptor; yet, after he had shut himself up for four years-from 1508 to 1512-and the scaffold was removed. a result had been achieved which is without parallel in the world. Very wonderful is the work which Michael Angelo spread over this vast area of 10,000 square feet. The fact that there are 343 principal figures, many of colossal size, besides a great number of others introduced for decorn tive effect, and that the creator of this vast scheme was only thirty-three when he began his work-all this is marvelous, prodigious, and yet not sa marvelous as the variety of expression in the figures of which domental is on ly one figure in a shall side arch.-Charles H. Caffin in St. Nicholas.

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for obtaining money fraudulently. He

was an elderly man, through whose

shabby clothes one might see evi-

The judge turned to a young lawyer

present, one who had recently been

The prisoner and his counsel with-

drew, and when they were alone the

latter asked his client for informa-

"The trouble started twenty years

ago," said the accused man. "My wife

was greatly troubled that we had no

child and constantly longed for one,

though it seemed to me that my in-

come was too small for two, to say

nothing of three. However, circum-

stances brought us a boy, two years

old and pretty as a picture, who had

been born of other parents. His fa-

ther and mother, acquaintances of

ours, died within a few days of each

other of pneumonia and left him ab-

solutely uncared for. We took him to

our home and gave him all the atten-

tion he required, intending to bring

him up as our adopted son. He was a

bright little fellow and very affection-

since we took their places he supposed

ized him, spent a great deal of money

dressing him and buying pretty things

scarlet fever, and we watched over

him night and day till he recovered.

This, of course, meant a large doctor's

bill, which neither 1 nor my wife

would have objected to had we the

means to meet it, and even as it was

we were rejoiced because our pet

suffered nothing in consequence of an

aliment which leaves so many chil-

"One day when the child was four

years old he disappeared. Some chil-

dren with whom he was playing at

the time on the sidewalk said that a

man came along who took him by the

hand and led him away, promising

him that he would buy him some can-

dy. We believed that he had been

kidnaped for ransom, but as no ran-

zled. My wife was frantic about her

loss, and I confess I was stunned. We

hired private detectives to trace him.

"After giving up hope, I counted up

my indebtedness, all of which had

been incurred for our dear boy, and

to conceal the matter from my wife,

whose love for the child and her ex-

travagance on his account had partial-

ly caused it. I carried the load secret-

ly for years, robbing Peter to pay

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pay. It occurred to me that if I could get it into the hands of one man I could handle it more easily. So I per sunded a man to buy up the claims. But I found myself only in a worse condition than before. The fellow in-

duced me to sign a paper, the contents of which I did not read carefully. It contained misrepresentations. Thinking he could bleed me through rela-tives (who would not turn a hand to save me), he made a criminal charge." 20 cents. Board and lodging The young lawyer listened to this recital attentively and, when it was finished, without asking for any further details, returned to the court room and asked for a continuance of the case till a subsequent date. This was granted, the prisoner was remanded and the attorney went away. The next day the lawyer drove up in a carriage to the prison and presented a paper directing the discharge of his client. The old man, wondering, step ped out in the light of day, and his counsel bade him enter the carriage, saying that he would drive him home. The newly discharged prisoner obeyed. momentarily expecting an explanation. None came. Then they drove up to a shabby cottage and were met by an old lady who, when the discharged Franteovich & Francisovich man muttered the word "free," fell into his arms and wept. Then when they were in the house the lawyer took the hand of each in his and said: "I am the boy you lost eighteen years ago. Yesterday after hearing your

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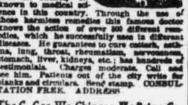
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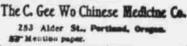
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