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The Man with the Smile.

SOME NOTABLE CHARAC-TERISTICS OF PRESI-DENT TAFT.

The President of the United States, who is called by his familiar name throughout the country, is assured of popularity. Very few Presidents have been so house Jackson, "Abe" Lincoln, "Teddy" Roosevelt, and now comes "Bill"

Rossevell, and now comes "Bill Tark.

"Big Bill," some call him, and he is big in brain as well as body. That he is going to be one of the most popular Chief Executives. America has had nobody doubts. He was born to be popular. From the time he graduated from Yahe University, in 1878, when he was twenty-one years old, and was elected class orator, until the present day, he has been called "the man with the winning smile."

A man who is a member of a

smile."

A man who is a member of a multi-millionaire family, and whe, after his university days starts right in to work, reporting for a newspaper, as did Mr. Teft. has in him the kind of stuff that Americans like. Such a man does not have to play to the galleries to become popular, and Mr. Taft never has done mything intentionally to attract attention to himself.

tentionally to attract attention to himself.

He is one of the few American public men who can tear an opponent's arguments into tatters and yet leave no reseatment behind. Everything he does is accompanied by his winning soile, and if the blows he delivers hurt, the smile act as a salve.

His smile, though, does not make him a mollycoddle. He has as strong a character as Presidens. Roosevelt, but his method of work is the autitless of the man's whom he has succeeded in the White House.

NO RESENTMENT.

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Mr. Taff never thinks a victory is complete if any resentment remains. He sauts to convince by persuasion, and he has a marvellous faculty for putting his thoughts into pure English, logical as a proposition in Euclid. Though he is as firm as a rock when his principles are concurred, he is ready always to recognise that the other side has principles, too. The totally different characters of President Rosevelt and President Taft probably caused the two men to be so drawn to each other that in Washing on they are called Damon and Pythias.

they are called Damon and Pythias.
When Mr. Roosevelt became President, Mr. Taft was in Manila, as head of the Philippine Commission. He had been sent there by President McKinley a year before. Mr. McKinley found Mr. Taft wasting his great executive abilities teaching law in the University of Cincinnatti. The post of Dean of the University after having been an assistant prosecuting county attorney, a collector of internal revenue, and assessment of the post of the president had reached the post of the president had reached the post of Dean of the University after having been an assistant prosecuting county attorney, a collector of internal revenue, and as stant county solicitor, a judge of the president of the

Taft has related how he talked the matter over with her when President McKinley offered him the Manilla post. He was reluc-tant to go, but Mrs. Taft persuad-ed him to accept the position be-cause the salary attached to it was larger than the one he then was drawing, and it would allow them to educate their children properly. Mr. Taft had no idea of financial assistance of his millionaire fami-ly

SKILFUL DIPLOMAT.

In the first year of his Presidential term Mr. Roosevelt found that the man way out in Manila was looming up as the strongest official of his Administration. "Big Bill', was handling the extremely delicate situation in the Philippices with consummate skill, and his smile, in Manila, was doing more to make the Filipinos contented under American rule than all the soldiers in the Archipelago could do. President Rooseveltheard of the smile, and believed it could be used advantageously on the Pope at Rome, where therewas a deadlock over the sale of certain ecclesiastical lands in the Philippines, which the natives wanted to become national property. Mr. Taft smiled in Rome, and the land question was settled. Then he returned to Manila, but Mr. Roosevelt found he must positively have the man with the smile nearer him. So, in 1944 Mr. Taft was recalled to Washington to become Secretary for War. At Washington Mr. Taft was almost as much President as was Mr. Roosevelt himself. His diplomatic accomplishments are regord-breaking for an American. In 1966 trouble broke out in Cuba, and it looked as if there were to be a repetition of Haytian anaechy in the island. In hot haste, Mr. Roosevelt ordered "Bill" to Havana. "Bill" went met the antagonistic forces, and told them they were bad boys who were running their chances of living under an independent Government. Then he smiled and suggested that it might be a good scheme if America should take charge of things for a while, and a few thousand troups to the island to mistain order, and gonerally straighten the tangle. The

island to maintain order, and generally straighten the tangle. The Cabans were hyporlised by the Taft smile, and tany agreed to allow the Americans to come in for a few years, with all the grace of a Spanish don. The troop were sent, an American was appointed temporary Governor, and the Cubans renembering "Bill's" amile, threw down their at as and took lessons in the science of practical government.

Mr. Taft is imbued with the essence of the Rossevelt doctrine, but instead of wielding the "big stick" he swings the "big smile," His admirers pretict he will accomplish more with the smile than Mr. Rossevelt was able to do with the stock.

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MAN BEATEN AND THEN CARRIED TO CUARTEL.

Mr. L. Brock, a clerk at the Northern Railroad Company was roughly haudled by a man named Francis, who it is alleged is a constable and report has it is a member of the black art college. From information gathered it appeared that on Sunlay night east Mr. Brock was sitting at a leutre table in his room is: ding and suddenly without a mon earls

notice Francis ran into his room with a stick and assaulted him. He then cornored Brock and the two men wrestled to the places, from which place Brock fell on the side walk, Francis immediately covering him with his body.

When Mr. Brock got the first blow he fell to the ground and yelled out for murder, which caused many persons to reach the scene just in time to see two policemen taking Mr. Brock and the notable Francis to the cuartel. The assault and wrestling it is alleged was the outcome of a peculiarly suspicious matter that we believe when properly sifted some one will be made to pay the piper, and this is almost certain to be to a large extent.

It was said that he was Feeder

a farge extent.

It was said that the man Francis took a bottle of kerosene oil to the Government and told them that Mr. Brock had given it to him, with the promise, that he would give him eith the promise, that he would give him either to Mr. Jack Williams' house, which is situated at the corner of Fourth Street and Avenue 5.

We are informed that this man Francis was sent to apprehend Mr. Brock. At 9.30 on Sunday night the man went to a house opposite the young gentleman's, and after keeping a close watch for some time entered the house and took the young man unaware.

The young man is still in the currel where he awaits the decision of the higher authorities. Application was made for builbul was refused.

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Current Items.

Up to the time of going to press Mr. Brock had not been lib-erated from the cuartel, although repeated appeals have been made.

Mr. H. L.-Mignot, Elder and Chief of the Seventh Day Adven-tists here, left in the Prinz Au-gust Wilhelm yesterday for Ea-

Mr. Harold Smith, was a passenger on board the Prinz Wilhelm for England where he will remain till after the Coronation of King George V. We wish the young gentleman a pleasant trip

Conductor Schulenburg was taken on board the "Prinz Au-gust Wilhelm" on a. stretcher suffering from paralysis. The man was a patient in the U. F. Company's hospital for three weeks. Dr. Echeverria accompa-nied him on board and remained a good time with him in his berth. The near man when seen by our reporter appeared to be very ill.

To be Deported.

The man Francis who reported that he was bribed to set fire to Mr. Jack Williams' house, was 'apprehended yesterday by order of the Government to await further order.

Important Notice.

We learn on good authority that a petition num-rously signal by the most influential residents of this community requesting the deportment of the man Francis who apprehended and assaulted Mr. Brock, and who it is stated is prepared to swear that he was briefed to set fire to Jack Williand South. It is ran no resident this man Francis has an one visuable record and is a dangerous character to any coan unity. The petition is signed by Mesers, E. E. Mullings, J. H. Burke, Z. Baulla, Van Seriber, S. C. Nation, Monge Reyes, Jas. Stibbel, Dr. S. J. Steggal, A. Lasker, J. C. Webb, A. R. Mendas, McGregor and over one hundred names.

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GREENLAND.

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Polar expelition, asserted that
Cal. They love Rosewelt plans to
go to Greenland next summer. It
is possible, according to this, that
the Colonel may be at the North
Pole when the Republican presideathid convention of 1912 nominates a successor to Mr. Taft.
Capt. Bartlett insists he has
Col. Rosewelt mailed to the most
on the Greenland trip. "Next
year," it is said the Colonel replied
to Bartlett, when the latter invited the Colonel to join Harry
Whitiney's expedition this summer to the polar bear regions.

Battleships go to Baltic Sea.

Outbreak in Hayti.

TROOPS SENT OUT.

The City of Port-an-Prince in

Taft Poses in Masonic Apron.

A schutzton, -President Taft posed i his Masonic aprox for a physograph. The picture is to be given to the Alexand Lodge of Mysons. The Jolge has a fa-mos portrait of Googe. We shington a wanted one of Mr. Taft to put by its sid-

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