

## SMILES AND SUCH

HUMOROUS GLEANINGS  
FROM VARIOUS SOURCES

## A CUTE SCOTCHMAN



A SCOTCHMAN had contracted a debt. When it became due he had no means with which to meet it. He worried a great deal, but no feasible plan of raising the money to meet the obligation presented itself.

At last he decided that he would get a pistol, go out on the highway, hold up the first traveler that came along, take his money from him, and with it pay his debt. So Sandy got a gun and went out on the highway, and when the first traveler came along he pointed the gun at him, and said: "Gie me your money, or I'll blow your brains out." The traveler saw that Sandy was green at the business, and began to parley and bargain with him.

"My good man," he said, "I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll give you all the money I have in my possession with the exception of five pounds, and I will give you that if you will give me the pistol."

"I'll do it," said Sandy. "It's a