

TWO CENTS.

SCRANTON, PA., MONDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 27, 1899.

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ZAMBOANGA HAS SURRENDERED

Revolution on That Island Is Effectually Crushed.

END OF WAR SEEMS NEAR

Admiral Watson Cables That One of the Most Important Provinces of the Philippines Has Unconditionally Submitted to American Sovereignty...

with him, most of the horsemen who started having been compelled to drop out because their horses failed them. The Filipinos took the American prisoners from Victoria to San Carlos...

GERMANY'S KINDLY FEELINGS FOR US

Manifested at a Flag Presentation in Chicago—A Symbol of National Unity.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Dr. von Holleben, German ambassador to the United States, today in the presence of 2,000 Germans, gave of a flag sent by Emperor William to the United States...

On the 21st inst., Admiral Watson cabled the navy department that Commander Very had captured the city of Zamboanga on the 16th. He was aided by friendly natives and Moros...

GUERRILLA METHODS ADOPTED.

Filipinos Hope for a Time to Spread Terror as Cut-throats.

Manila, Nov. 26.—It is reported that the Filipino guerrillas are holding the retreating leaders at Bayambang on Nov. 13 in the house now occupied by General MacArthur...

SILVERITES IN LINE.

Conference of Executive Committee Will Be Held Tuesday.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Senator R. F. Pettigrew, of South Dakota, and ex-congressman Charles A. Towne, of Minnesota, members of the national executive committee of the silver party...

NATIONAL PARK AGITATION.

Ashville, N. C., Nov. 26.—George S. Powell, president of the Appalachian National Park association, has appointed a commission who will go before congress...

Work to Be Resumed at Silver Brook.

Houston, Pa., Nov. 26.—Work at the Silver Brook colliery, where the Italians struck Friday on account of requirement to do certain objectionable work...

TREATY AMONG GREAT POWERS

DEFINING SPHERES OF INFLUENCE IN CHINA.

Negotiations Follow the Frank Request of Secretary Hay That Some Form of Assurance Concerning American Rights in China Be Given—A Successful Outcome of the Present Negotiations Is Expected—Wu Ting Fang Regards the Matter as Preposterous.

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WINGATE ADMINISTERS DEFEAT TO DERVISHES.

Osman Digna Makes His Escape. All the Other Emirs Are Taken. The Chief Surrounded by His Bodyguard Desperately Resists Fierce Charge of British—Khalifa's Two Brothers and Mahdi's Son Among the Slain—Kitchener Praises the Troops.

Cairo, Nov. 26.—Lord Cromer, the British minister here, has received the following dispatch from General Kitchener: "Wingate's force came up with the Khalifa's forces several miles south-east of Ceddi and attacked it. After a sharp fight he took his position. The Khalifa, who was surrounded by a bodyguard of Emirs, was killed, and with the principal Emirs were killed or captured except Osman Digna, who escaped."

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THE NEWS THIS MORNING

Weather Indications Today: FAIR, VARIABLE WINDS.

- 1 General—Zamboanga Surrenders to the Americans. General Joubert Retires Toward Ladysmith. Spheres of Influence in China. Dervishes Defeated in the Sudan. 2 General—Northwestern Pennsylvania. Financial and Commercial. 3 Local—Scranton by Rev. A. J. Van Cleft. Court Proceedings. 4 Editorial. 5 Local—Mention of Some Men of the Hour. Scranton's Star Foot Ball Material. 6 Local—West Scranton and Suburban. 7 Round About the County. 8 General—Live Industrial News. Saturday's Foot Ball News.

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