

LEAVE IT WITH HIM. Leave it with Him— The hills all die, And they grow in the rain, And they grow in the dew, Yes they grow; They grow in the darkness, and hid in the night, They grow in the sunshine, revealed by the light, Still they grow.

SUNDAY SELECTIONS. Friendship may soon die, but enmity never. A religion that consists only in ideas does not make us any better.

One mounts to eternal life, now—sent in some vague to-morrow, but to-day. Eternal life is a condition, not a period. Live in immortal energies, in noble purposes, in true life of soul; and one lives, at once and here, the immortal life.

THE POINT OF VIEW: Mrs. Chump (loftily)—"Haven't I made you all that you are?" Chump (sadly)—"My dear, have I ever uttered a word of blame?"

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PEACE PROTOCOL MADE PUBLIC.

Main Points and Provisions of the Document Approved and Signed in Washington.

MERRITT TO OCCUPY MANILA. Spain to Relinquish Cuba, Porto Rico, and Other Islands in the West Indies.

WASHINGTON, August 12.—An official statement for press publication, setting out the provisions of the peace protocol, was read and approved at the cabinet session to-day.

1. That Spain will relinquish all claim of sovereignty over and title to Cuba. 2. That Porto Rico and other Spanish islands in the West Indies and an island in the Ladrones to be selected by the United States shall be ceded to the latter.

3. That the United States will occupy and hold the city of bay and harbor of Manila, pending the conclusion of a treaty of peace which shall determine the control, disposition and government of the Philippines.

4. That Cuba, Porto Rico and other Spanish islands in the West Indies shall be immediately evacuated, and the inhabitants, to be appointed within ten days, shall, within thirty days from the signing of the protocol, meet at Havana and San Juan, respectively, to arrange and execute the details of the evacuation.

5. That the United States and Spain will each appoint not more than five commissioners to negotiate and conclude a treaty of peace. The commissioners are to meet at Paris not later than the first of October.

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WAR AND NAVY DEPARTMENT.

Gradual Reduction to be Made of the Army and Navy to a Peace Footing.

THE PEACE COMMISSIONERS. Occupation of Manila Expected in a Few Days—Disposition of Spanish Prisoners—Part of Volunteer Force to be Mustered Out.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The sudden transition from war to peace was reflected to-day in a complete dullness and stagnation through official quarters.

Instead of the bustle and activity which have prevailed for months through the corridors of the War and Navy Departments, there was a calmness not apparent since the mid-summer vacation of last year.

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