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### THE GAP IS NOW FAST CLOSING UP

Lawton and MacArthur's Commands Will Soon Meet Each Other.

### THE RAINS ARE INCESSANT

Insurgents Reported to Be Sending Their American Prisoners Across the Mountains.

MANILA, Nov. 17, 9:20 a. m.—General MacArthur and Lawton's commands are now near each other. General MacArthur is getting supplied in Tarlac over the railroad from Bamban with an engine which was raised from the river by the Ninth Infantry.

Colonel Howes, who occupied Victoria with six troops of the Third cavalry, has advanced to Rosales. A letter was found at Victoria from Private Desmond, of the signal corps, one of the 21 American prisoners held there. These prisoners, the latter said, were expecting to be taken to the mountains before the army arrived.

Two thousand insurgents are reported to be massing at Gerona above Tarlac and General Mascardo is said to be in the mountains west of Angeles with a thousand men, proposing to make a raid. Rain has been falling throughout the month and for the past week there has been a heavy downpour. The whole country is in as bad condition as at any time this season.

### COLLISION TOP.

New Master of a Three-Fourths Interest in the Southern Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—The Examiner says:

Collis P. Huntington is today in full control of three-fourths of the property of the Southern Pacific Company and its allied corporations, the Pacific Improvement Company. With the help of banking syndicates headed by the Speyers, of New York and London, he has bought out the Crocker and Stanford interests, each amounting to about one-

fourth of the stock. With his own fourth, that gives him three-fourths of the stock. The remaining one-fourth interests belongs to the Hopkins-Searles estate. The Speyers hold in their possession the Crocker and Stanford securities for the present, Huntington having an iron clad option for their final transfer to him.

### POSTPONED FOR ANOTHER YEAR

ASTRONOMERS MISCALCULATE Like the End of the World, It Is Coming, the Only Question Is "When?"

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—A special dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Washington, says:

The shower of Leonids will not occur this season. The brilliant spectacle has been announced one year too soon.

This announcement has just been made by Dr. L. J. See, one of the most advanced astronomers in the government service.

"Astronomical calculations have not erred as to the periodicity of the Leonids," said Dr. See to the Journal, "but the generally accepted conclusion as to the time it takes the Leonids to pass the earth's orbit has been wrong. After the most careful observations made with the best instruments in the service of the government, and after the most unerring calculations in strict conformity to astronomical laws, I am thoroughly convinced that the period of passage is two years, instead of one year, as heretofore believed.

The Leonids have been within the earth's orbit 12 months. The meteoric showers has not been as heavy this time as there was good scientific reason for believing it would be. That is because we have not yet struck the thick part of the trail.

"By calculations, this collision will occur in the middle of November, 1900. Then the resultant display of burning meteors will be as brilliant as the one observed by Humboldt in Venezuela in 1799. "The present visitation is a coun-

terpart of that in 1862. At that time they were displayed in two years, that of 1862 being about as feeble as the present has been, and that of the succeeding year being nearly as striking as that recorded by Humboldt."

### GIVE UP NOTHING.

San Francisco Chamber of Commerce Wants Government to Hold all Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17.—The chamber of commerce of this city has adopted and sent to Secretary of State Hay, the following resolution referring to the Alaskan boundary question: "We earnestly request that the present boundary line as established be maintained and that no territory now lying on the American side thereof be yielded up or granted to the Dominion of Canada."

### TELEGRAPH COMBINE MAKING PROGRESS

### STILL AFTER BELL PEOPLE

After Forcing Them In Line the Big Scheme Will Go On to the Final Absorption of All Companies

NEW YORK, Nov. 17.—The World says:

At the meeting of the Telephone, Telegraph & Cable Company, the recently organized rival of the Bell Telephone Company, several directors were chosen, but the full board of 21 was not filled. Among the directors chosen are: John Jacob Astor, Thomas Dolan, W. L. Elkins, Charles R. Flint, Francis M. Jenks, W. H. Gelsboken, Martin Maloney, Emerson McMillin, Frank Telford, F. A. B. Widener, Charles F. Adams, Oakes Aimes, J. T. Holbrook of Boston, and W. H. Crocker, of San Francisco.

The company, it is said, has an option on all but one of the independent com-

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panies in the east. In this city it controls the Knickerbocker Telephone Company, of which W. H. Eckert is president.

No effort has been made to obtain control of the Peoples Telephone Company, of which Darwin R. James is president.

Judge James M. Thomas, president of the Independent Telephone Association, and H. B. Critchfield, of the advisory board are in the city. They are fighting the Bell Telephone Company, in the Boston courts, claiming that its patents expired in 1894. Speaking of the Telephone, Telegraph & Cable Company's plan to absorb 2,300 independent concerns, Judge Thomas said: "Such a consolidation would benefit subscribers. Tolls would be cut. Subscribers would be more than doubled. I cannot say what will take place, but the plan, although gigantic is practicable."

The Peoples Telephone Company expects to put \$9,750,000 of their stock on the market next week.



"What Shall I Give?" The solemn question comes home to almost every man at some period in his career. "What will you give in exchange for your life?" It is like that other solemn question about the soul. Just as an honest man feels that nothing of earthly value can be weighed against his soul so a man who has one friend to love him knows that life is too precious to be bartered away for ambition, or money, or pride.

But men are slow to believe that overwork sometimes kills; a man hates to admit that his health ever needs any particular care. He feels miserable and "out of sorts," but tries to "bluff off" until he gets flat on his back, unable to do a stroke of work. He becomes obliged to spend no end of money for doctors and even at that can hardly save his life.

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