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GREEN IS THE NOMINEE

Report of the Independent Convention at Sandon.

No Platform Adopted---Nominations Made Behind Closed Doors---An Odd Complimentary Vote to Mr. Hunter.

The convention, called at Sandon, Thursday evening, for the purpose of nominating an independent candidate for the legislature, was attended by 29 delegates from Kaslo, Sandon, Rosebery, Silverton and Slocan City. New Denver, Three Forks, Whitewater, Pilot Bay and other points were unrepresented.

M. L. Grimmett of Sandon was chosen chairman and R. O. Matheson of Silverton, secretary. The early part of the meeting was open to the general public, but when the time for nominations came, the convention went into executive session behind closed doors, and all but delegates were excluded. It is reported that Messrs. Atherton and Sandilands, of the Sandon delegation, were excluded by the committee on credentials as being suspected of having too strong government leanings.

Editor Cliffe of the Sandon Mining Review, who was understood to be an aspirant for nomination, objected to this and said that he thought that the various candidates should be placed in nomination and be called upon to address the convention before balloting. He also charged the Kaslo delegation with having come with their candidate in their pocket. He was, however, ruled out of order and left.

No resolutions of belief nor platform of principles were adopted, it being deemed best to leave these until later developments in the campaign.

Nominations being called for, Wm. Hunter of Silverton and Robert F. Green of Kaslo were placed in nomination. The ballot resulted 15 to 12 in favor of Mr. Hunter. Two ballots, said to be Hunter ballots, were thrown out for informality. Mr. Hunter then said that he desired to have this ballot considered as a purely complimentary one to himself and retired in favor of Mr. Green who was thereupon chosen without any dissenting votes.

Messrs. Hunter and Carney were appointed a committee to wait upon Mr. Green and inform him of his nomination. Mr. Green appeared and made a brief speech in which he said that he would not enter upon any political discussion at present. He pledged himself to make a thorough personal acquaintance with the needs of the riding, and if elected, to represent all interests fairly. He would be willing to give to the government a fair support in anything that would be for the good of the riding or the province in general, but would insist on maintaining an independent attitude. On the other hand he would support the Opposition whenever in his judgment it would be for the best. He returned thanks to the convention for the honor in behalf of Kaslo as well as for himself.

After further addresses by Messrs. Grimmett and Carney the convention adjourned.

ALL CABLE COMMUNICATION WITH CUBA IS CUT OFF

The Cruisers Marblehead, St. Louis and Yankee Forced an Entrance Yesterday to Guantanamo.

Mr. Balfour on Intervention---Hobson's Exchange Is Frustrated for Time Being---Wolseley May Be Our Governor General

The Lardo-Duncan Meeting Mapped Out the Expenditure of the $10,000 Now Available---A Challenge---Kick on Nelson Prizes.

Port au Prince, June 10.—Cable communication with Santiago de Cuba is interrupted and no war news is obtainable.

Off Santiago, June 10.—The United States cruiser Marblehead and the auxiliary cruisers Yankee and St. Louis were successful in cutting the cable at Guantanamo yesterday after firing on a Spanish gunboat and old fashioned fortifications there. Cuba is thus cut off from all communication with the outside world. The army of invasion is eagerly waited and everything is ready for its reception.

Mr. Balfour on Intervention.

London, June 10.—In the House of Commons today, replying to a question, Mr. A. J. Balfour said:

"Her Majesty's government would gladly take any favorable opportunity for promoting a cessation of hostilities and negotiations of peace between the United States and Spain. But any such action can only be undertaken if both parties are agreeable to such proposals, and unfortunately there is not sufficient ground for believing that this condition exists."

Hobson's Exchange Frustrated.

Santiago de Cuba, June 10.—Lieut Hobson and his heroic companions have been turned over to the military authorities and thus Admiral Sampson's plan of exchange submitted to Admiral Cervera is temporarily frustrated. The blockade has been uneventful since Monday.

Troop Transport Convoy of 16 Warships

Washington, D. C., June 10.—Another formidable American fleet of 16 vessels headed by the battleship Indiana, will serve as a convoy for the transports to Cuba.

Bombardment of Baiquar.

Havana, June 10, 8:30 p. m.—Several American warships today bombarded Baiquar, some distance east of Aquadores and near the railway line to Santiago.

Official advices from Santiago say that the bombardment caused no damage. Baiqnar is a mining locality and some of the mines are under American control.

At the palace it is denied that there has been any bombardment of the Santiago fortifications.

Santiago Bombarded Again Yesterday.

NewYork, June 10.—The Ticker service sends the following despatch:

The American fleet bombarded Santiago again today. The engagement lasted from 8 to 11. No details have been received.

Japan Protests Against War Tax on Tea.

Washington, D. C., June 10.—Japan has entered a strong protest against the proposed duty on tea. The protest is based on the ground that a uniform duty of ten cents per pound on all teas, cheap or dear, would have the effect of ruining the Japanese tea trade with the United States.

Wolsely May Be Our Governor General.

London, June 10.—Lord Wolseley is considering the expediency of accepting the position of governor-general of Canada which has been offered him.

THE LARDO-DUNCAN MEETING.

Estimates Voted for the Expenditure of $10,000 Now Available.

The meeting of the Lardo-Duncan association last evening was well attended. President G. O. Buchanan was in the chair and D. W. King acted as secretary. The following estimates were voted as recommendations to the Provincial government for the expenditure of the $10,000 appropriated for the improvement of that region.

Repairs on old trail from Argenta to Duncan lake	$ 750
New trunk trail from head of navigation on Duncan river, near Bear creek, to head of Hall creek, about 14 miles at $450 per mile	6,350
New trail from mouth of Hall creek to mouth of West Fork, 7 miles at $200	1,400
Improving old government Trout lake trail from Mosquito landing to Poplar crk. and widening it to a wagon road along the meadows	1,500
Total	$10,000

If there should be any surplus from the amount recommended for the trail from Bear creek to Hall creek, it was the sense of the meeting to expend it on a new trail up West Fork towards Silver Tip creek.

It was the opinion of some members that the recommendation of $450 per mile for the new Duncan river trunk trail was in excess of the requirements, in which case more would be left for other work.

A CHALLENGE.

A. J. Dill of Kaslo Will Race Campbell or Thompson of Nelson.

I hereby challenge John Campbell or Jos. Thompson of Nelson to run a series of races at Nelson on July 1st, for the following distances: 100, 150 and 200 yards for a purse of $100 for each race. Fifty dollars is deposited with the Kaslo Morning News as a guarantee. The challenged parties are requested to cover the guarantee with a like amount in the same hands before June 16th if they accept the challenge and mean business. Balance of purse to be posted on or before June 27th.

(Signed) A. J. DILL, Kaslo.

A KICK ON NELSON PRIZES.

Kaslo and Sandon Boys May Go To Slocan City Instead.

The publication of the list of Dominion Day prizes at Nelson in yesterday's News, was read with much interest. Kaslo's athletes are quite outspoken against what they consider the unfair distribution of the amounts of the awards. As far as heard from, Sandon feels the same way, and expressions are quite general that these two towns feel that they are apt to get better treatment at the Slocan City celebration than at Nelson.

The list of prizes as published was adopted at a public meeting at Nelson, and the sports are arranged for two days, Friday and Saturday, July 1st and 2nd.

One of Kaslo's leading athletes said yesterday:

"I am told the prizes foot up a high figure, but the distribution is poor as far as we are concerned. Kaslo cannot stand any show of going down there and coming back even. We have few if any horses to compete for the $500 worth of racing prizes. The $325 for a rock drilling contest appeals to but few of our local men. The hose reel races will doubtless be held on two different days to keep the crowd there, one being a wet race and the other being hub and hub. Unless they should win two prizes our boys wouldn't more than get expenses out of the trip. I understand that we have not yet received the rules of the contest. A hose reel contest involves 18 men to a team, 16 besides chief and captain. These would compete in two contests, with $100 for first money and $50 for second in each case. How far would these prizes go toward paying two days' expenses for such a crowd?

"A rock drilling contest involves two men to a team, and yet they hang up $325 for that also. We cannot well import baseball players, like Nelson has done, and we have no regularly organized lacrosse team.

"Now when we come down to the minor sports, like football, vaulting and jumping, where Kaslo is known to shine, what do we find? Five or six little events, with first prizes ranging from $2.50 to $10. Why, our list of Caledonian sports on the Queen's Birthday numbered 14 events, with $114 first prizes and $43 second prizes; as against $34 first prizes and $7.50 second prizes now offered by Nelson. The lowest first prize that we gave, even to boys, was $5. If the Nelson committee doesn't rearrange its list of prizes, I don't see much use of our going."

Fire at the Whitewater Deep.

D. F. Strobeck of Ainsworth, who came down from Whitewater last evening, reports that Thursday afternoon a brush fire got so near tothe new boarding house and bunk houses, etc., being constructed and nearly completed near the mouth of the Whitewater Deep mine, that they caught fire through loose shavings and were completely destroyed. The company will immediately rebuild. The loss is supposed to be in the neighborhood of $1,000.

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THE SANDON CONVENTION.

The Kaslo Morning News has awaited the action of the Sandon Independent convention to learn if any good reason existed, why it should change the general policy it has followed of supporting the present government. We have not been so attached to the present government that we would support it blindly, but have seen good in it in the main. When we thought it wrong, however, we have not hesitated to say so plainly.

We have a high respect for Mr. Green, the nominee, but are disappointed that the convention that brought him out did not frame a platform of principles upon which he could stand. Could it be that the convention was so heterogeneous that it dared not discuss principles for fear of disruption? The so-called complimentary vote for Mr. Hunter, a strong Oppositionist, showed the drift of the convention and many profess to believe that Mr. Hunter was regularly nominated. If the convention was really an Opposition one as alleged, it violated its principles by nominating an Independent with Government leanings. But as long as it is without any chart of principles to back its candidate up, we prefer to stand by the well defined principles of the present Government.

Accordingly, in the present campaign, the Kaslo Morning News will support the government candidate. If that candidate is to be Mr. Retallack, he will have our hearty support. If some other is chosen by Government convention or by requisition with Government endorsement, he will find the Kaslo Morning News ready to help advance his and the Government's interests.

EDITORIAL OUTCROPPINGS

Read the Kaslo Morning News.

The Turner Government has shown a wise regard for the interests of this part of Kootenay in the appropriation of $10,000 for the improvement of the Lardo-Duncan region, for the expenditure of which, estimates were voted last night by the local Improvement Association. The country to be improved is most valuable. It is also directly and exclusively tributary to Kaslo.

Read the Kaslo Morning News.

MINING RECORDS.

TRANSFERS.

[When no consideration is mentioned the nominal sum of $1 is understood.]

June 10—1-6 Gold Bug, Sister Mollie, Rachel Gordon, Lizzie Fuller, Eagle Bird, Marsden, Lovell, near Kemp's Springs; 1-4 Walsh's Luck, S. B., on Lyle creek; 1-8 Eclipse, 1-6 Kitty Burke, near Sproules; 1-4 Yubadam, Silver Queen, Susie B., near Bear lake; 1-6 You Bet and Jackpot, near same; 1-6 Hoop Up, Slide Out, Stand Off, on Sheep creek, M. J. Walsh to Norman McLeod.

LOCATIONS.

June 10.—Maine, Crawford creek, by E. J. Scovil.

Davy, Crawford creek, by Edward Dedolph.

Sun Beam, near Argenta trail, by A McLeod and N. McLeod.

Scotch Thistle, Wild Rose, Three Friends, near Argenta trail, by A. Looby and A. and N. McLeod.

CERTIFICATES.

June 10.—Mogul, by C. W. Greenlee.

Standard by D. F. Strobeck.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

New York, June 10.—Silver, 57⅞c.

Lead—Steady; brokers' price, $3.60, exchange $3.75@3.85.

ORE SHIPMENTS.

From Jan. 1, 1898, to date the leading mines of the Slocan region have shipped over the Kaslo & Slocan Railway for water transportation from Kaslo, as follows:

Mine.	Tons.	Mine.	Tons.
Payne	2660	Eureka	52
Ruth	2032	Fidelity	15
Whitewater	1567	Sovereign	20
Reco	850	Queen Bess	170
Slocan Star*	428	Jackson	48
Rambler-Cariboo	386	Gibson	16
Lucky Jim	900	Montezuma*	578
Last Chance	880	Charleston	50
Goodenough	20	Antoine	135
Dardanelles	67	Ajax	49
Silver Bell	62	Bismarck	53

* Concentrates.

The following is a partial statement of ore shipments over the C. P. R. from Slocan and Lardeau points since January 1st, not included in the foregoing:

Mine.	Tons.	Mine.	Tons.
Vancouver	40	Silver Cup	440
†Slocan Star	260	Waverley	60
Payne	1980	Idaho	1000
Enterprise	40	Queen Bess	610

†Concentrates.

Of the foregoing, the following have paid dividends as follows:

Payne	$1,800,000	Noble Five	40,000
Slocan Star	400,000	Goodenough	32,500
Ruth	300,000	Washington	20,000
Reco	287,500	Jackson	20,000
Rambler-Cari.	40,000	Surprise	20,000

Besides the foregoing, other mines, unstocked, have paid dividends as follows:

Idaho	$ 240,000	Last Chance	87,000
Whitewater	194,000	Antoine	35,000
Slocan Boy	25,000	Monitor	15,000

Following is a comparative statement of ore shipped from parts of the Slocan and Ainsworth mining districts, passing through the custom house at Kaslo to foreign smelters for the five recorded months of 1895, all of 1896 and 1897:

Year.	Gross Weight of Ore in Lbs.	Gross Value of Ore in Dollars
1895 (5 months)	2,202,890	$ 114,541
1896 (12 months)	23,344,524	1,114,116
1897 (12 months)	73,596,390	3,099,836
Totals	99,143,804	$4,328,49

STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Following is a table of the leading stocked mining companies of the Slocan and Ainsworth mining divisions:

Companies.	No. of Shares	Par Value	Market Value
Payne	1,000,000	$2.50	§
Slocan Star	1,000,000	.50	$2.00
Ruth	120,000	£1	§
Reco	1,000,000	$1.00	1.60
Noble Five	1,200,000	1.00	.18
Washington	1,000,000	1.00	.25
Rambler-Cariboo	1,000,000	1.00	.22
Surprise	225,000	1.00	§
Charleston	150,000	1.00	§
Goodenough	800,000	1.00	.25
Great Western	800,000	1.00	.30
Jackson(North'nBell)	1,000,000	1.00	.25
American Boy	1,000,000	1.00	.15
Kaslo-Montezuma	1,350,000	1.00	.25
Dardanelles	1,000,000	1.00	.09
Gibson	650,000	1.00	.17½
Wonderful	1,000,000	1.00	.02½
St. Keverne	1,000,000	1.00	.04
Idler	1,000,000	1.00	.15
London Hill	600,000	.25	
Black Diamond	1,200,000	.50	.25
Dellie	750,000	1.00	.11
Ellen	1,000,000	1.00	.07½
McLeod	1,000,000	1.00	§
Twin	1,000,000	1.00	.15

§No stock on the market

CHANGES IN MINING LAWS.

The following changes in the British Columbia mining laws should be carefully studied by those interested in mining in this Province:

First of these refers to the location of fractions. In all fractions surveyed from now on, whether staked correctly or not, the surveyor may adopt the boundary lines of the surrounding claims, provided no side exceeds 1500 feet in length. In other words, the locator is entitled to the vacant ground that he claims, even if he does not stake it in such a manner as to include it all, which he seldom does.

By a recent decision of the courts a prospector lost a claim because of inability to secure the post necessary to mark the location. The amendment provides that in cases where claims are staked above the timber line, or the prospector can not secure the necessary posts, he may erect monuments of earth or stone.

In staking an extension the posts are often planted so as to form a wedge-shape fraction between two ends of the two claims. These fractions have often incurred great expense, not only in recording and surveying, but in cases where they carry the lead, and thus become of such value as to promote litigation. The amended act authorizes the surveyor to include such fraction, provided it does not cover more than 51.65 acres, the area of a full claim, and provided further that two location posts are together.

By failure to record assessment work within the required period of one year, either through oversight or the misunderstanding of partnership interests, valuable claims have been lost. Now, if a prospector fails to record the work within a year, he has 30 days' additional time in which to make the record by payment of an extra $10.

Another change regarding the assessment work is in that particular which called for work to the amount of $100 each year. Now, a miner can do and record as many assessments as he pleases in a year by paying the recording fee for each assessment done to the extent of $100.

In case anybody should adverse an application for a certificate of improvement and crown grant, the contestant must have his claim surveyed immediately and file a plan made and signed by an authorized provincial land surveyor with the writ.

To obtain a crown grant in 1896 it was necessary to do assessment work to the amount of $500 and to have the claim surveyed, which meant another $100. In 1897 the act was amended so as to provide that up to May 1, 1898, the cost of such survey should count as work done on the claim, not to exceed $100. In plain English, it counted as an assessment and as work toward the crown grant. A survey generally costs $100. The last legislature extends the time to May 1, 1899.

Hereafter, in adverse proceedings in connection with the title to mineral claims, before any court, each party to the proceedings shall give affirmative evidence of title. Heretofore the burden of proof was on the contestant.

The fee for recording assessment work has been reduced from $2.75 to $2.50. Heretofore the fee for recording assessments has been 25 cents higher than other fees.

Anybody who pulls down a legal post erected to mark a boundary or location of a mineral claim, or any writing by law required to be thereon, is liable to imprisonment for six months or a fine of $250, or both. This is supposed to be directed particularly toward preventing the use of old posts by people who restake a claim and sometimes destroy evidences of a prior location.

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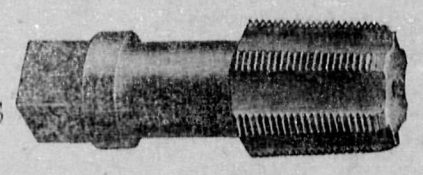

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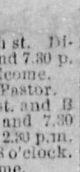

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LOCAL AND GENERAL MENTION.

Items of Interest to the Citizens of Kaslo, Occurring Here and There.

It is currently reported that the Sky Line mine, seven miles from Ainsworth, will begin operations shortly. As this rich silver property has been idle upwards of two years, this news, if it proves true, will be welcomed by the people of Hot Springs camp.

Rossland is talking of buying out the city light and water system.

The best private boxes in town at the Queen Restaurant. Open day and night. *

W. J. Twiss has returned from a trip to Spokane and the British Columbia coast cities.

McKenzie & Mann have bought the Big Patch, at Ymir, a free gold proposition, the price being $45,000.

Try the table at the Davis House. See adv. *

The fire brigade at Nelson is practicing to take the $300 prize which will be competed for in that city on Dominion Day. Sandon and Kaslo teams will make them look to their laurels.

Nelson's example of closing business houses early in the evening is being followed in Vernon. What's the matter with Kaslo falling in line?

For best rooms with or without board try the Davis House. See adv. *

H. L. Goodwin has a force of nine men at work on his C. P. R. pile contract. Operations are being carried on near the mouth of Fry creek, ten miles above the city.

Wednesday, June 22d, is the last day on which nominations for the provincial legislature can be filed.

For a first class cup of coffee go to the Queen Restaurant. I now have private boxes for ladies. F. I. Bradford, proprietor. *

F. Riffle, manager of the Whitewater Deep, has returned from Spokane, where he met R. E. L. Brown, owner of the mine, who has just got back from London. Mr. Riffle and E. J. Bolce, of Spokane, went up to the property yesterday.

A good sized chunk of that hot weather, reported of late from the States, has struck Kaslo.

Sam Schwander will give a gold ring, worth $20 to any one who can produce a watch that he cannot put in perfect order. He can be found at the Kaslo Drug store. Call and see him. *

Kaslo's gravity railway, in use for a couple of months on the A avenue cut and fill, has been torn up by Contractor Carlson's men, the work having been completed.

Lost—a Forrester's gold badge. The finder will please return to W. J. Hall, Victoria House, and receive reward. *

The author of a certain posted notice about town advertises that not only are the fixtures "for saile," but they are "compleit."

H. A. Jackson, of the Great Northern, came in from Spokane Thursday night. J. E. Jackson, the ore buyer, and wife, also arrived the same evening.

Notice to the Public.

Sprague, Wash., May 31, 1898.

To Whom it may Concern:

All persons are notified that I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Bonita Davies. J. B. DAVIES.

Cordwood Contract.

Tenders will be received at the office of G. Alexander, Kaslo, where all particulars can be obtained, for the cutting of 500 cords of firewood near Sandon, not less than 150 cords per month.

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Provincial Secretary's Office.

EDUCATION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual examination of candidates for certificates of qualification to teach in the public Schools of the Province will be held as follows, commencing on Monday, July 4th, 1898, at 8:45 a. m:—

VICTORIA—
In South Park School Building.
VANCOUVER—
In High School Building.
KAMLOOPS—
In Public School Building.

Each applicant must forward a notice, thirty days before the examination, stating the class and grade of certificate for which he will be a candidate, the optional subjects selected, and at which of the above named places he will attend.

Every notice of intention to be an applicant must be accompanied with satisfactory testimonial of moral character.

Candidates are notified that all of the above requirements must be fulfilled before their applications can be filed.

All candidates for First Class, Grade A, Certificates, including Graduates, must attend in Victoria to take the subjects prescribed for July 13th and 14th instants, and to undergo required oral examination.

S. D. POPE,
Superintendent of Education.

Education Office,
Victoria, May 4th, 1898.

Provincial Secretary's Office.

20th May, 1898.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERnor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned persons to be Collectors of Votes, under the provisions of section 16 of the "Redistribution Act, 1898," namely:

JOHN D. SIBBALD, of Revelstoke, for the Revelstoke Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District.

ALEXANDER LUCAS, of Kaslo, for the Slocan Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District.

RODERICK F. TOLMIE, of Nelson, for the Nelson Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District.

JOHN KIRKUP, of Rossland, for the Rossland Riding, West Kootenay Electoral District.

And his Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the undermentioned person to be Distributing Collector, under the provisions of section 17 of the said Act, namely:—

In the former Electoral District of West Kootenay, GEORGE A. MCFARLAND, of Nelson.

Provincial Secretary's Office.

HIS HONOUR THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERnor has been pleased to make the following appointment:

25th May, 1898.

W. F. ROBERSTON, of the City of Montreal, Esquire, B. A., Sc., to be Provincial Mineralogist vice William A. Carlyle, Esquire, resigned.

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Leave	Spokane Time Schedule	Arrive
5.00 p.m. daily.	FAST MAIL—WallaWalla, Portland, San Francisco, Baker City and the East.	7.45 a. m. daily.
8.00 a.m. daily.	LOCAL MAIL—Coeur d'Alenes, Farmington, Garfield, Colfax, Pullman and Moscow.	6.40 p. m. daily.

For through tickets and further information, apply to JAMES WAUGH, Agt I. N. & T. Co., Kaslo, B. C.

Or at O. R. & N. Co.'s office, 430 Riverside ave., Spokane, Wash. H. M. ADAMS, General Agt.

Or W. H. HULBURT, G. P. A., Portland, Ore.

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Trains Run on Pacific Standard Time.

TIME CARD.

Going West.	Daily	Going East.
8.00 a. m. Lv.	Kaslo	Ar 3.50 p. m.
8.36 a. m. Lv.	South Fork	Ar 3.15 p. m.
9.36 a. m. Lv.	Sproule's	Ar 2.15 p. m.
9.51 a. m. Lv.	Whitewater	Ar 2.00 p. m.
10.03 a. m. Lv.	Bear Lake	Ar 1.48 p. m.
10.18 a. m. Lv.	McGuigan	Ar 1.33 p. m.
10.38 a. m. Lv.	Cody Junction	Ar 1.12 p. m.
10.50 a. m. Ar.	Sandon	Lv 1.00 p. m.

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For full information, call on or address
ALDER BISHOP,
Freight and Passenger Agent, Kaslo, B. C.
Or to W. F. ANDERSON,
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Write for Map of Kootenay Country.

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TIME CARD.

Leave 6.20 a. m.....Nelson.....Arriv 5.35 p. m
Leave 12.05 a. m...Rossland....Arrive 11.20 p.m.
Leave 8.30 a. m.....Spokane....Arrive 3.10 p. m

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Passengers for Kettle river & Boundary ck. connect at Marcus with stage daily.

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Steamers International and Alberta on Kootenay Lake and River—Summer Time Card in effect 15th March, 1898—Subject to change.

STEAMER INTERNATIONAL—Leaves Kaslo for Nelson and way points, daily except Sunday, 3.30 a. m. Arrive Northport 9.45 a. m.; Rossland, 11.20 a. m. and Spokane, 3.10 p. m.

Leave Nelson for Kaslo and way points, daily except Sunday, 5.00 p.m. Leave Spokane 8.30 a.m.; Rossland, 8.45 a. m.; Northport, 1.35 p. m.

Five Mile Point connection with all passenger trains of N. & F. S. Ry. to and from Northport, Rossland and Spokane. Tickets sold and baggage checked to all United States points.

STEAMER ALBERTA—Leaves Kaslo for Kuskonook and way points and Bonner's Ferry, Ida. Tuesdays and Saturdays at 5.00 p.m., arriving at Kuskonook at 10.30 p.m. and Bonner's Ferry at 8 a.m. next day. Returning lvs. Bonner's Ferry Wed., Fridays and and Sundays at 2 p. m., arv. Kuskonook 8 p. m., Kaslo 1 a. m. following day. Also from May 5th steamer will make same trip leaving Kaslo every Thursday at 6 o'clock a. m. Bonner's Ferry connection with all passenger trains of G. N. Ry., arv. westward at Spokane 3.10 p. m., or lv. Bonner's Ferry for the east at 1.15 p. m. Meals and berths not included.

Passengers on SS. International from Nelson, etc., for points on lake south of Pilot Bay, will connect at that point with the SS. Alberta.

Passengers for Nelson via SS. Alberta, from points south of Pilot Bay, can by arrangement with purser, have stop-over at Pilot Bay or Ainsworth, or connect with International at Kaslo.

Company's steamers connect Kootenay Lake and Slocan points with all points in U. S. and Canada by way of Spokane and Kootenay river.

G. ALEXANDER, General Manager.
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Leaves Kuskonook at 12 o'clock noon, Monday Wednesday and Friday, upon arrival of Steamer Nelson with passengers from Kaslo, Ainsworth, Pilot Bay and Nelson. Arrives Bonner's Ferry 11 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Leaves Bonner's Ferry 2 p.m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, upon arrival of G. N. trains from east and west. Arrives Kuskonook 11 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

E. J. MATHEWS, Manager.

TRAVELER'S GUIDE.

Summary of Railway and Steamer Time Cards From Kaslo.

For Whitewater, Sandon, Cody, etc., K. & S. Railway trains leave Kaslo daily at 8 a. m.; returning, arrive at Kaslo at 3.50 p. m.

For Three Forks, New Denver, Rosebery and Nakusp, take K. & S. Ry. from Kaslo to Sandon, and thence Nakusp & Slocan Railway, leaving Sandon daily at 7.45 a. m.; returning, arrive daily at Sandon at 4.55 p. m.

For Revelstoke, Vancouver, Victoria and other main line points on C. P. R., boat from Nakusp to Arrowhead, cars to Revelstoke, thence connect with east and west bound trains.

For Silverton, Slocan City, take Str. Slocan on Slocan lake, connecting with N.& S. at Rosebery.

For Northport, Spokane, Rossland and Grand Forks, take the Str. International from Kaslo daily at 3.30 a. m., except Sunday, making connections at Five Mile Point with the N. & F. S. Ry., thence to Northport. From Northport to Spokane continue the railway, known south of Northport as the Spokane Falls & Northern, arriving at Spokane, Wash., at 3.10 p. m.

Or for Spokane, take I. N. & T. Co.'s Str. Alberta from Kaslo to Bonner's Ferry, Tuesdays and Saturdays at 5 p. m. and Thursdays at 6 a. m., and connect at Bonner's Ferry with Great Northern trains to Spokane, arriving at 3.10 the following day.

For Rossland change at Northport to the Red Mountain Ry., arriving at Rossland at 11.20 a.m. Or, Rossland may be reached from Nelson via C. & K. Ry. to Robson, thence by river steamer to Trail, thence by C. & W. Ry. to Rossland. Or, Rossland may be reached via Nakusp and Trail by strms. down Arrow lakes and Columbia river.

For Grand Forks and Boundary Creek points, take S. F. & N. Ry. from Northport to Bossburg or Marcus, thence by stage across reservation.

For Ainsworth, Pilot Bay, Nelson, etc., I. N. & T. Co.'s Str. International leaves Kaslo daily, except Sunday, at 11.20 a.m., returning, leaves Nelson at 5 p. m., arriving at Kaslo about 8.30 p. m.

C. P. R. Co.'s Str. Kokanee leaves Kaslo daily, except Sunday, at 7.30 a. m., arriving at Nelson at 11 a. m.; returning, leaves Nelson at 4 p. m., arriving at Kaslo at 7.30 p. m.

For Argenta and Lardo, Str. Kokanee makes round trips every Tuesday and Friday, leaving Kaslo at 8.15 p.m.

For Kuskonook, Ft. Steele, etc., take Str. Kokanee Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 a. m., or I. N. & T. Co.'s Str. Alberta Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 5 p. m.; thence by stage to Fort Steele Wednesday and Saturday.

The following is a table of distances from Kaslo to surrounding business points:

West or North.	Miles.	East or South.	Miles.
Whitewater	17	Ainsworth	12
Bear Lake	20	Pilot Bay	20
McGuigan	23	Balfour	23
Sandon, 3 hours	29	Sanca	38
Cody	31	Nelson, 4 hours	42
Three Forks	33	Ymir	60
New Denver	38	Robson	70
Rosebery	41	Trail	90
Silverton	48	Northport, 7 hours	103
Slocan City	66	Rossland, 10 hours	110
Nakusp	70	Bossburg	122
Burton City	95	Marcus	130
Lardo	18	Grand Forks	110
Argenta	20	Greenwood	152
Duncan City	34	Anaconda	168
Halcyon Hot Springs	85	Boundary	210
Arrowhead	105	Midway	204
Laurie	109	Spokane, 13 hours	212
Thompson's Land'g.	113	Kuskonook	45
Trout Lake City	125	Goat River	65
Ferguson	150	Bellington (Rykerts)	77
Revelstoke, 31 hrs.	133	Port Hill	78
Vernon	228	Lucas	118
Penticton	263	Bonner's Ferry, 13 hrs	140
Kamloops	261	Moyie City	125
Ashcroft	308	Swansea	125
Lytton	356	Wardner, B.C.	140
Yale	409	Cranbrook	150
New Westminster	503	Fort Steele	160
Vancouver, 51 hrs.	512	Canal Flats	190
Victoria, 59 hours.	595	Windermere	210
Seattle, 28 hours	580	Donald	212
Tacoma, 30 hours	620	Golden	250
Portland, 48 hours,	682	Banff	314

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