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THE KASLO MORNING NEWS.

ADS PAY EVERY DAY IN THE DAILY NEWS.

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SPANISH FLEET OFF MARTINIQUE

French Island 600 Miles Southeast of San Juan de Porto Rico.

Commodore Schley's Flying Squadron and Admiral Sampson's Fleet to Meet Them.

SPANISH PRESS TALK

Elated at Cardenas Victory but Fearful of Future.

Admit That Big American Squadron is Vastly Superior.

[The Island of Martinique is a French possession in the chain known as the Lesser Antilles and is located about 600 miles south east of San Juan, capital of Porto Rico.—Eds.]

St. Pierre, Martinique, May 13.—The Spanish torpedoboat destroyer Furor arrived at this port Wednesday but immediately put to sea and Thursday the Spanish destroyer Terror arrived. The Spanish war vessels are in sight and northward, apparently in the direction of Cuba. They are the Spanish Cape Verde fleet.

Confirmed by Lloyd's Agent.

London May 13.—Lloyd's agent at Martinique confirms the earlier advices to the effect that the Spanish fleet is at Fort de France.

Will Leave Martinique Soon.

Madrid, May 13.—It is said that the Spanish fleet is to leave Martinique soon for an unknown destination.

Conceded at Washington

Washington, D. C., May 13.—While the navy department does not officially admit the fact, there are strong intimations that the Cape Verde fleet is west of Martinique.

Schley's Squadron Ordered to Sea

Washington, D.C. May 13.—Secretary has received special advices this evening from Martinique, that the Spanish squadron had been sighted to the westward of that island, 600 miles from where Admiral Sampson is supposed to be. Upon receipt of this information orders were issued to the flying squadron at Hampton Roads to put to sea. It will sail today, destination unknown.

Attack as Planned in Washington, D. C.

Washington, D. C., May 13. — The cabinet meeting of today was the shortest one in years, only occupying 35 minutes. The news that the Spanish fleet had been sighted off Martinique is regarded as authentic; and now that the enemy's whereabouts are known the government's line of action will be no longer clouded in uncertainty.

No one doubts Admiral Sampson's ability to destroy the Spanish fleet and the test of naval strength is awaited with perfect confidence. It is believed that it is the purpose of the government to order Schley's flying squadron to close up Havana and the troops meanwhile will be kept in readiness for a forward movement. The troops destined for the Philippines will not be delayed a moment longer than is necessary.

Flying Squadron Is Off.

Newport-News, May 13.—The flying squadron weighed anchor at 3:40 p. m. and moved out to sea, the flagship Brooklyn in the lead.

Spanish Press on the Situation.

Madrid, May 13.—The entire press greets the success of the Spaniards at Cardenas and Cienfuegos as being a good augury of the future and hope is also revived on the subject of Manilla. The belief is being expressed that the port may be recovered on account of the time which must elapse in preparing the reinforcement for Admiral Dewey, which fact will give time for the Spanish relief expedition to arrive at the Philippines. A majority of the newspapers express satisfaction at the arrival of the Spanish squadron at the Island of Martinique, while others question the wisdom of exposing Spanish ships to an engagement with Rear Admiral Sampson's fleet, which is admitted to be superior to the Spanish fleet. Naval and military men of this city say they would have preferred to have Admiral Cavera steer direct for the coast of United States and bombard American ports.

Death of an Episcopal Bishop of Iowa.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Dubuque, Iowa, May 13.—William Stevens Perry, the Episcopal bishop of the diocese of Iowa, died here today. Bishop Perry was stricken by paralysis last Wednesday. He was born in Providence, R. I., in 1832 and was one of the best known prelates in America.

Bringing in His Family.

L. A. Rickers, of the Kaslo Grocery, returned Thursday evening from Robson with his family, whom he met there en route from Vancouver. He has furnished a home on the hill and from now on will live in comfort.

READY FOR THE 24TH.

Here's Your List of Games and Prizes for the Queen's Birthday.

D. J. Young, of the executive committee on celebration for the Queen's birthday, 24th inst., hands the News the following list of games and prizes for the day. There is no doubt but that there will be plenty of fun for all that day. Read and see.

10 a. m., Caledonian Sports.

	1st Pze.	2nd Pze.
50-yard boot race	$ 5	$2
75-yard egg and spoon race	5	2
100-yard race, buys under 15	5	2
75-yard three-legged race	5	2
100-yard, open, foot race	10	5
220-yard " "	15	5
440-yard " "	15	5
Running broad jump	5	2
" hop, step and jump	5	2
" high jump	5	2
Standing high jump	5	2
Vaulting with pole	8	4
Tossing the caber	8	4
Putting the stone	8	4

Scotch dancing, Highland fling, 1st prize a gold medal, 2nd prize a silver medal. Music for this and other sports by Prof. Beaton on the bagpipes.

3 p. m.—Baseball match for purse of $50.

5 p.m.—Hose reel race for purse of $150.

6:30 p. m.—Horse race for purse of $50.

8:30 p. m.—Grand ball.

10 p. m.—Display of fire works.

God save the Queen.

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Railway Time Card Changed.

Attention is called to the change of time card of the Spokane Falls & Northern and Nelson & Fort Sheppard lines. Trains now leave Nelson for Spokane three hours earlier than formerly or at 6:20 a. m. in order to make closer connections with through lines to the west from Spokane. Several other minor changes are made.

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DETAILS OF SAN JUAN BOMBARDMENT

American Fleet's Attack on Porto Rico--Spanish Loss 4, American 2.

The Earl of Silborne Is Likely to Be Canada's New Governor-General.

A Hot Three-Hour Fight.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

On Board ship Iowa off San Juan, May 13.—The bombardment lasted from 5:15 to 8:15 a.m.. Two men were killed and seven injured. The Iowa poured starboard broadsides on the coast. Meanwhile the Indiana, the New York and other ships repeated the dose from the rear. The Iowa turned and came back to the Wampatucks boat and again lead the column, the forts replying fiercely and concentrating on the Detroit, which was about 700 yards away from all the batteries on the eastward arm of the harbor. Thrice the column passed from the entrance to the harbor to the extreme eastward battery. The wounded were quickly attended to, the blood was washed away and everything proceeded like target practice. At 7:45 a. m. Admiral Sampson signalled "cease firing." "Retire" was sounded on the Iowa and she headed from the shore. The Terror was the last ship in the line and failing to see the signal banged away alone for about half an hour. The concert of shore guns roaring at her and the water flying high around her from the exploded shells. But she possessed a charmed life and reluctantly retired at 8:15 a.m. As at Matanzas the unsatisfactory condition, on account of the smoke and distance, prevented any important conclusions being drawn. San Juan must have suffered although protected by the hills as the high shots must have reached it. No traces of the bombardment were discernible on the fort except small fires which were apparently extinguished before the fleet left.

The Spanish Account.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Madrid, May 13.—Another official dispatch says the bombardment caused only slight damage to the barracks. Four soldiers were killed and several wounded. The squadron retired having received severe injuries. One big warship had to be towed.

Mr. Gladstone Becoming Weaker.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Hawarden, May 13.—Mr. Gladstone's condition this evening is comparatively painless but there is evidence of increasing weakness and failure of circulation.

GLADSTONE WEAKER

House of Lords on Interruption to Commerce by War.

Joe Goddard Knocks Out Peter Maher in First Round.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

London, May 13.—It is officially announced that the Queen has accepted the resignation of the Earl of Aberdeen as governor-general of Canada, to which office he was appointed in 1893. Two persons most prominently mentioned recently, who are likely to succeed the Earl of Aberdeen, are the Earl of Silborne, the under secretary of state for the colonies, and the Earl of Hopetoun, the paymaster general. It has been said that the former can have the governor-generalship if he wants it.

House of Lords on War Commerce.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

London, May 13.—In the House of Lords today Baron Muskerry asked if measures could be taken to prevent Spanish and American vessels from obtaining provisional certificates of British registry with power to fly the British flag, which power, he asserted, was only intended for war purposes. Marquis of Salisbury in reply said the government is in communication with the board of trade relative to precautions which could be adopted to prevent merely colorable transfer ownership without creating any undue difficulties in the way of ordinary commerce. The matter, however, was an extremely difficult one to handle.

Maher a Back Number.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

San Francisco, May 13.—Peter Maher was knocked out by Joe Goddard in the first round at the Arena to-night.

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WANTS TO MAKE A RIGHT OUT OF TWO WRONGS.

A voice from far Winnipeg comes to the News, protesting against an editorial in our issue of April 15th, headed, "A Vicious Measure Against American Miners." The editorial condemned the proposed measure before the British Columbia legislature by which American miners and others were to be excluded hereafter from the benefits of miners' rights in this province. As the legislature took the advice of the News and killed the measure, its further discussion may not be very timely. But the principle of retaliation per se, which may always be considered a live subject, is again brought to the front by our correspondent.

The writer of the communication, T. C. Keenleyside, wrote some things which, on account of their rancorous personalities, should cut no figure in a published communication, that is supposed to discuss questions of principle. From among them, however, the following is culled:

"It would be interesting to know your opinion of the mining laws of the State of Washington, as far as they relate to aliens holding mining claims in that state. You no doubt are aware that no Canadian can hold a claim there, while United States people have the same rights in Canada that we Canadians have in mining matters."

The questions thus brought forward are: Is the Province of British Columbia justified in retarding its own development by adopting retaliatory measures, because the State of Washington, comprising one out of some 45 states, has been foolish enough to hamper itself with a constitution that has unwise provisions in regard to aliens? Should British Columbia, to "get even," retaliate against all the states that are unlike Washington, and, indeed, against the whole non-British world, in order to try to force Washington to reform its constitution? For it must be remembered that Washington's anti-alien regulation is not an ordinary law, passed or repealed at pleasure by its legislature, but is a fundamental provision of its constitution. To change it would require a roundabout method, with fathoms of red tape, which has not yet been under taken, although a majority of its people would undoubtedly vote for such a constitutional amendment.

The question of making a right out of two wrongs is childish, unworthy the consideration of grown men. If the question narrows itself to a struggle for right between two parties, and one of them is being manifestly injured by an invasion of his rights, retaliation becomes necessary and justifiable. But if one party attempts to discriminate against a hundred, and that manifestly to his own detriment, because one of the hundred steps on his toes, he certainly exhibits a childish and narrow spirit.

MEN AND THINGS.

There's a chance for some one to make a five dollar bill almost any of these bright mornings, and with but comparatively little or no expense. The News has had quite a number of complaints of non-receipt of this paper by subscribers, after having been left at residences by carrier. A reward of five dollars will be paid for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any one found stealing copies of the News from the doors of subscribers. An example will be made of the first culprit.

While it is none the less a compliment to the News that there are a few who think so highly of it that they are willing to steal it, the ones who miss it with their breakfasts do not appreciate this method of showing admiration. Hence the above reward, and there is no string tied to it, either.

Its time that every man, woman and child in Kaslo took hold of the Queen's birthday celebration with a will. Most of them have done so, but every one should help. It will be a great day of sport of all kinds, as will be noted by the program published this morning, and will wind up with a ball and fireworks in the evening. Kaslo's friends from all directions will be here. Now, then, all join hands, as of old, and give them a right royal welcome.

THE OBSERVER.

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Provincial Secretary's Office.

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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,
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Education Office,
Victoria, May 4th, 1898.

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A. R. McDonald, who recently sold his three-eighths interest in the Lavina group to Messrs. Viets and Booker has returned from Spokane and proceded last night to Argenta, again, which he will make the base of his operations for several weeks to come. Just stake out a good one for us, Mc, while you're about it.

Acetylene Gas at Revelstoke.

H. A. Brown recently installed his plant for the generation of acetylene gas in the Union hotel with complete success, says the Revelstoke Herald. The plant consists of a tank for the storage of the gas, which communicates with the chamber in which the carbide is placed and kept constantly sprayed with water from an automatic feeder. The carbide is a composition of coal dust and lime dust, fused together by electricity at 600 degrees of heat. The moment water is applied to a piece of it the gas is generated. The plant is simply an arrangement for applying the water regularly and automatically, and for storing the gas when given off. The flame from the gas is very white and cool, and is a powerful illuminant. Its explosive property, if a naked light is brought in contact with the gas escaped from a leak in a pipe or fitting, is about the same as the ordinary coal gas, but it takes six times as long to produce suffocation. The fittings and candelabra put in by Mr. Brown are neat and decorative, and the effect of the new gas in setting off his hotel is excellent.

MINING RECORDS.

TRANSFERS,

May 13—Hidden Treasure and Morning Bell, James S. Smith to Adams Bros.

CERTIFICATES.

May 13—Silver Bell, by Walter Clough; Contention, Convention and Conception, by D. W. Moore; Silver Star and Southern Belle, by Ed Walmsley.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

New York, May 12.—Silver, 56⅞c
Lead—Quiet; brokers' price, $3.50; exchange $3.62½@3.72½.

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	2600	Eureka	42
Ruth	1800	Fidelity	15
Whitewater	1530	Sovereign	20
Reco	360	Queen Bess	170
Slocan Star*	158	Jackson	48
Rambler-Cariboo	386	Gibson	16
Lucky Jim	900	Montezuma*	578
Last Chance	880	Charleston	30
Goodenough	20	Antoine	116
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	108
†Slocan Star	260	Waverley	60
Payne	1980	Idaho	1009
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	37,000
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	$4,328,493

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	.30	.30
Jackson (North'n Bell)	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	.03½
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

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8.00 a.m. daily.	LOCAL MAIL—Coeur d'Alenes, Farmington, Garfield, Colfax, Pullman and Moscow.	6.40 p. m. daily.

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

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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 5.45 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 6.40 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 connect at Bonner's Ferry with Great Northern trains to Spokane, arriving at 2.45 the following day.

For Rossland change at Northport to the Red Mountain Ry., arriving at Rossland at 3.40 p. 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 Creak 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 5.45 a.m., returning, leaves Nelson at 5 p. m., arriving at Kaslo about 8.30 p. m.

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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	120
Nakusp	70	Bossburg	122
Burton City	95	Marcus	180
Lardo	18	Grand Forks	180
Argenta	20	Greenwood	192
Duncan City	34	Anaconda	196
HalcyonHotSprings	85	Boundary	200
Arrowhead	105	Midway	201
Laurie	109	Spokane, 13 hours	232
Thompson's Land'g	113	Kuskonook	45
Trout Lake City	125	Goat River	65
Ferguson	130	Bedlington(Rykerts)	77
Revelstoke, 31 hrs	133	Port Hill	78
Vernon	223	Lucas	108
Penticton	293	Bonner's Ferry, 13 h	140
Kamloops	261	Moyie City	125
Ashcroft	308	Swansea	135
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	596	Windermere	220
Seattle, 28 hours	580	Donald	212
Tacoma, 30 hours	620	Golden	280
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