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THE KASLO MORNING NEWS.

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HAWAIIAN ANNEXATION IS A RIDER

The War Revenue Bill So Incumbered in the Senate.

The War Department Has Chartered Two New Vessels as Transports.

Three Naval Officers Return From Dewey's Squadron Invalided --McKinley Is Undecided.

Washington, May 27.—The Hawaiian annexation which has been the subject of no little concern in the senate for the past few days, assumed definite shape in the senate today, when senators Lodge and Morgan offered an amendment to the war revenue bill bearing directly upon the subject. Senator Lodge's amendment was in the words of the Newland's resolution and provides in direct terms for the annexation of the islands.

Senator Lodge was seen immediately after he had his amendment on the desk, and announced it to be his purpose to press the ammendment to the end. "Henceforth," said he, "the two measures must travel together. Both are equally important, and it would be foolhardy for us to forego our advantages in Hawaii."

They express the opinion that the amendment in the end will be acceptable, but admit that in all probability, it will result in delaying the passage of the revenue bill.

New Ships for the Philippines.

Washington, May 27.—The war department today chartered the steamers China and Colon, of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., which, with the Centennial, Zealandia and Ohio, comprise the next expedition to the Philippines, leaving some time next week. They will carry 5,000 men.

General News From Manilla.

Hong Kong, May 27.—The United States auxiliary gunboat Zafiro, formerly a British merchant steamer, but now commissioned, mounting four guns and in charge of a lieutenant-commander of the United States navy, has just arrived here from Manilla, having on board the captain of the first-class cruiser Olympia, the flagship of Rear Admiral Dewey, and two officers who have been invalided.

The situation at Manilla is unchanged, and the insurgents are quiet. Beef costs $2.50 per pound at Manilla.

The report that the commander of the Spanish gunboat Callao was tried by court martial and shot for not firing on the American ship which captured her, is untrue.

The Zafiro will return to Manilla on Monday next.

McKinley as Usual Undecided.

New York, May 27.—A Washington special says General Schofield is strongly advising the president that Porto Rico is the Key of the West Indian situation and must be taken before Cuba falls. Secretary Alger is opposed to this scheme, and it is said the president is undecided.

Attack a Sergeant at Key West.

Key West, May 27.—Seargeant C.W. Richards of battery B, 1st artillery, on duty near Fort Taylor, was fired upon this morning by three unknown men whom he says he knows to be Spaniards. The fire was promptly returned but the men escaped.

Explosion Rumor Groundless.

London, May 27.—The stories circulated at Madrid and elsewhere regarding the blowing up of the Baltimore are evidently groundless. The dispatch received at the Spanish capital from Manilla apparently referred to the alleged disablement of the Baltimore during the battle of Manilla when a Spanish shell struck her and exploded some ammunition, slightly injuring eight men on board.

Fears Second Manilla at Santiago.

New York, May 27.—A cable special from Madrid says:

"A repetition of the Manilla disaster at Santiago de Cuba is feared, as the Spaniards acknowledge nothing but defeat awaits Cervera if left to face the American squadron alone. The newspapers are claiming for his getting out quickly and making for Havana or those American ports which are least fortified."

Another Powder Works Explosion.

Hazardville, Conn., May 27.—An explosion occurred at the works of Hazardville Powder Co. shortly after 9 o'clock this morning. Two men were reported killed.

Read Kaslo's only daily.

Will Open Up His Properties.

S. K. Green came up from Spokane the other day, and yesterday morning left for Sandon, where he has numerous interests. Mr. Green was one of the first to show his faith in the Slocan district, coming to this region and investing as far back as 1891. Among other claims he is interested in the rich Mollie Gibson, at the head of Kokanee creek, which is now in litigation. Mr. Green expects to start work on some of his other properties as soon as he can get at them.

Kootenay's Dailies.

Daily newspapers are now published at Kaslo, Revelstoke and Nelson While the approaching elections and public interest in the outcome of the war between the United States and Spain may be to some extent responsible for this, we believe that the steady development of the mineral resources of the Kootenays is largely responsible for this commendable display of enterprise.—Rossland Miner.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL MENTION.

Gus Lofstedt's condition is steadily improving.

Buchanan's saw mill recently cut 40,000 feet of timbers in a day.

Sandon's citizens are preparing to have a celebration on the 4th of July.

Many new mines will ship from the Slocan this year, if preparations being made count for anything.

The second night of the Mackenzie-Glover Concert Co. was largely attended and highly appreciated.

In addition to Kaslo, largely attended celebrations of the Queen's birthday were held at Rossland, Ymir and Silverton.

Contractor Carlson's gang of men working on the Fifth avenue cut and fill down to the new bridge across the creek, will probably finish in the course of a week.

Charles F. Caldwell goes up Woodbury creek today to examine mining properties near the Tecumseh, where the big strike was recently made.

Rev. J. A. Wood, the new Methodist minister for Kaslo, writes that he will not be able to reach here in time to officiate next Sunday, but expects to be on hand for the first Sunday in June.

A. O. Moores, the well known mining man, arrived from the Crawford bay district, on the Kokanee last evening, bringing some of the finest samples of copper ore from his group of claims ever brought into Kaslo.

President G. O. Buchanan of the Kaslo Board of Trade, returned last night on the steamer International from his trip to Ottawa, where he went to aid in securing an import duty on lead. As has been previously stated in dispatches, his mission was not successful.

CIRCUIT COURT'S AWARD OF PRIZES

Two Vessels and Cargoes are Condemned and Forfeited.

Imparcial Says Spanish Fleet Is at Santiago---Mail and Express Says Not.

A London Times Correspondent in a Cabanas Fortress---Lord Courtney Passed Away.

Key West, May 27.---In the United States circuit court today Judge Locke rendered decisions in the cases of the six Spanish steamers seized during the first days of the Cuban blockade. These included the most valuable prizes taken since the war began. The Catalina and Miguel Joves were released. Both vessels and cargoes of the Pedro and Guido were condemned and forfeited. The Buena Ventura and Panama were condemned and forfeited. The cargo of the Bueno Ventura being neutral the property is to be restored to its owners. The question of the Panama's cargo was taken under advisement. Appeals were filed in last four cases.

Imparcial Says He's There.

Madrid, May 27.—The imparcial today reiterates that Admiral Cervera is at Santiago de Cuba, which port it says possesses advantages over Cienfuegos.

Mail and Express Says He Isn't There.

New York, May 27.—The Key West correspondent of the Mail and Express hears "on the best authority", that Cervera's fleet is no longer at Santiago de Cuba. It left Saturday. The belief here is that he is preparing to descend on the Atlantic coast. One of the U. S. fleets is watching for such a move. The Spanish may reach Porto Rico, but cannot reach Cuban ports because of the blockade.

Is in Cabanas Fortress.

Key West, May 27.—E. P. Knight, the correspondent of the London Times, who on Sunday night, when seven miles off Havana, was lowered over the bow of a dispatch boat and rowed ashore in a ten foot skiff, was heard from today.

He has been thrown into prison and is now in the Cabanas fortress. The British consul at Havana has instituted proceeding for his release.

Lord Courtney Passed Away.

London, May 27.—Lord Courtney (Henry Regnald Courtney), eldest son of the 13th earl of Devon, is dead. He was born in 1836 and was formerly inspector of the local government board.

Bancroft Chasing a Spanish Cruiser.

Key West, May 27.—A Spanish ship, thought to be an auxiliary cruiser was sighted by the U. S. warships Wilmington and Bancroft 15 miles off Key West last night and at last accounts was being hotly pursued by the Bancroft.

Five Were Killed.

Oakdale, Tenn., May 27.—An engine collided with the Oakdale accomodation today at Graysville, north of Chattanooga, on the Cincinnati Southern Ry. The crew on the engine, composed of Conductor Simpson, Engineer Hudson, Fireman Edwards and two brakemen, Mathews and Monson, were all instantly killed except Simpson, who is not expected to live.

Wm. Braden on Lead Smelters.

Wm. Braden, of Braden Brothers, is quoted by the Rossland Miner as saying that he believed nothing would be done in the matter of aid to smelters by parliament this session, beyond, perhaps, the granting of a bonus for the operation of lead smelters in Canada. This is far from satisfactory, but will be better than nothing, and it is just possible that some lead smelting will be done in Kootenay on the strength of it.

Mr. Braden desires to operate the Pilot Bay smelter at the earliest possible date, but cannot say definitely when the works will start up. However, as soon as they are in operation he will give employment to at least 500 men at the smelter and at the several mines owned by the syndicate. At present, owing to the heavy duties that have to be paid on lead bullion and lead ore imported into the United States, the mines and smelter remain idle, although some development work will be done on some of the properties this summer.

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REQUIESCAT IN PACE.

Died, May 23d, of inanition, the daily midnight Kootenaian, aged 20 days.

The brief and fitful career of this precious infant illustrates the vanity of human newspaper ambition. What was to be "a permanent institution", is in less than a month, "a little month", as Hamlet would say, laid away in the journalistic graveyard.

We are again reminded of that little poetical gem that runs,

Since so soon I was to be done for,
I wonder what I was ever begun for?

TRUE ATHLETICS.

Tuesday's events proved that athletic sports are not at all on the wane in British Columbia. As the standard continues to rise, we may look for more and better sports for sports' sake. The true lover of sport cares not for the money that may be won, but for the friendly rivalry that excites to uncommon deeds and the good fellowship and respect that follows the recognition of his own and his rivals' powers, not to mention their improved physical condition. He does not lose his temper when defeated and claim fouls, but carefully examines his methods and compares them with those of his rivals to find weak parts. He knows that any contest in which the contestants are evenly matched will be so close as to make all conjecture on the winner very uncertain, and will therefore pay more heed to methods and less to conjecture.

EDITORIAL OUTCROPPINGS.

Hurrah for silver at 57 7-8! A few more notches upward will send the Kootenay forward with leaps and bounds.

Spain is again hinting that she would like peace. She is like the man who said "Let us have peace, even if we have to fight for it."

The adventure of Wm. Moir, reported in yesterday's News, is one of the most exciting and desperate in the history of the northwest. That he lives to tell the tale while the bear does not, speaks well for Mr. Moir's coolness and bravery.

MINING RECORDS.

TRANSFERS.

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

May 26—George Nowell to H. W. Fergusson Pollock, ½ int. in Piscataqua, near Sanca; John F. Wilson to same, ½ int. in Robbin, near Sanca.

CERTIFICATES.

May 26.—Lavina, Ruthie Bell and Iron Cap, by F. Veits; Antelope, by James McPhail; Pearl, Florence, Mollie, 4th of July, by Ed. Walmsley.

May 27—North Star and Glasgow, by W. L. Henser; Normandy, by J. F. Westby.

LOCATIONS.

May 26—Bobbie Burns, on Goat ck., by Robert Mitchem; Olympia, on Glacier creek, by Thomas B. Johnson.

May 29—Superior, on Woodbury ck., by Duncan McDonell.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

New York, May 27.—Silver, 57⅞c
Lead—Quiet; brokers' price, $3.50; exchange $3.60@3.62.

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	1925	Fidelity	15
Whitewater	1530	Sovereign	20
Reco	360	Queen Bess	170
Slocan Star*	368	Jackson	48
Rambler-Cariboo	386	Gibson	16
Lucky Jim	900	Montezuma*	578
Last Chance	880	Charleston	30
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	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	$4,328,49

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	.30	.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	.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

§No stock on the market

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.

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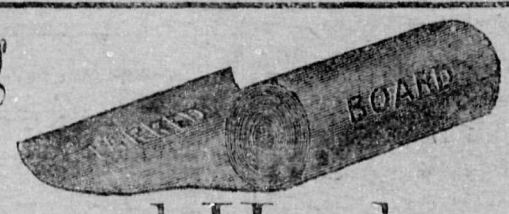

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FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS.

MASONS—Kaslo Lodge No. 25, A. F. & A. M., meets first Monday in every month at Masonic hall over Green Bros'. store. Visiting brothers invited to attend. H. Byers, W. M.
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MASONIC CHAPTER—Kootenay Chapter, R.A. M., holds regular convocations on the second Tuesday of each month in Masonic hall, Kaslo Visiting companions are cordially invited.
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MACCABEES—Slocan Tent No. 6, Knights of the Maccabees, meets second and fourth Mondays of each month at Livingston's hall, Kaslo Visiting Knights cordially invited.
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LOCAL AND GENERAL MENTION.

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

Yesterday the water in Kaslo river rose nearly a foot.

"Persons having normal vision will be able to read this print at a distance of 14 inches from the eyes with ease and comfort; also will be able to read it with each eye separately. If unable to do so your eyes are defective and should have immediate attention. When the eyes become tired from reading or sewing, or if the letters look blurred and run together, it is a sure indication that glasses are needed The lenses sold in the cheap goods are of unequal density and have imperfectly formed surfaces. Continued use of these poorer lenses will result in positive injury from the constant strain upon the muscles of accommodation to supply the defects in the glass."

If your eyes are not working O. K., consult O. Strathern, opposite P. O. *

Third street has been much improved of late by grading and laying new sidewalks.

The Kemp Mineral Water, a home product, cool and refreshing, always on tap. Call for it at the Bodega. Try it. J. A. Swift. *

Walker Beatty was brought up before Magistrate Lucas yesterday afternoon in the Lofstedt assault case. He was represented by Horace W. Buck, who asked for a continuance till Monday afternoon, which was granted. Neil McKay represented the prosecution.

Milwaukee Beer Hall. Call and see Bob & Tony and get some imported Swiss cheese free with your beer. *

The Public Works Committee of the City Council have called for tenders for the removal of the old city hall to the new site, corner of Fourth street and B avenue. Bids must be in by 6 o'clock this evening.

A fine lot of new material for men's suits has just been received by Walker the tailor. Now is the time to order. *

Gold Commissioner O. G. Dennis has been shaking hands with his old friends in Kaslo this week.

Milwaukee Beer Hall. Bob and Tony will always treat you right. Give them a call. *

The provincial jail at Nelson is now the temporary abiding place of 19 prisoners.

Milwaukee Beer Hall. If you want good miners, mechanics or laborers, they make their headquarters with Bob and Tony. *

Nelson now rejoices in a fully organized gun club.

For indigestion, dyspepsia, kidney trouble, etc., drink Kemp Mineral Water. J. A. Swift, at the Bodega. *

A. W. McCune and A. W. McCune, Jr., of Salt Lake City, leading stockholders in the Payne mine, were at the Kaslo Thursday night and went up the road yesterday morning.

At the Milwaukee Beer Hall, Bob and Tony will serve you the finest schooner of Half and Half and delicate lunch free with them. *

H. M. Adams, of the O. R. & N. Co., and H. A. Jackson, of the Great Northern, both of Spokane, are in town.

The Skylark and Ranger group, near Slocan City, the bond on which was thrown up by the Hall Mines last summer, has been sold to a Rossland syndicate for $25,000.

Milwaukee Beer Hall, Bob and Tony, proprietors. The biggest and sharpest mug of beer in the Slocan country with imported Swiss cheese thrown in. *

A general meeting of the Leviathan Gold Mining and Milling Co. has been called for June 1st at the office of Caldwell & Evans in this city.

A snap in 1847 Rogers Bros'. silver plate 1-2 doz. tablespoons, 1-2 doz. dessert spoons and 1-2 doz. teaspoons, all for $5. O. Strathern. *

Nelson is to have a new and commodious Baptist church, 64x36 feet in size.

Milwaukee Beer Hall. Bob and Tony run it. Open day and night. They serve you the finest free lunch in the Slocan with each schooner of beer. *

The Monte Cristo mine at Rossland is now on the list of steady shippers.

"Who made you that perfect fitting coat? Good stuff too." "Why, Walker the tailor of course." *

The Argo mine shipped a car of ore last week.

The Milwaukee Beer Hall has the best and coolest beer in the city, with imported Swiss cheese, free. *

A force of 25 men is now employed on the Queen Bess.

For Kemp Mineral Water, call on J A. Swift, at the Bodega. *

F. I. Bradford, the old time Kaslo restaurant man, has returned and leased the Queen Restaurant. Give him a call. *

The Indians say that when the snow is all gone from Kaslo mountain, across the lake, the lake will begin to lower. There is considerable of the beautiful there yet, however.

For the best 25 cent meal in the city try the Queen Restaurant. F. I. Bradford. *

General Manager George Alexander of the International Navigation & Trading Co., has returned from his trip to England.

J. H. Gray, land commissioner of the Kaslo & Slocan Railway Co., has returned from a ten day's surveying trip on Goat river.

Wm. Moir, the victim of the grizzly, is resting easily.

John Stulz, of the Edison Electric Company of Spokane, was in town last evening and goes out to Pilot Bay this morning and thence to La France creek to inspect a mineral claim in which he is interested.

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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.

KASLO & SLOCAN R'Y

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
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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

The train that leaves Nelson at 6:20 a. m. makes close connections at Spokane with trains for all . . .

PACIFIC COAST POINTS.

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

INTERNATIONAL
Navigation & Trading Co., Ltd

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 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	120
Nakusp	70	Bossburg	122
Burton City	95	Marcus	130
Lardo	18	Grand Forks	180
Argenta	20	Greenwood	192
Duncan City	24	Anaconda	196
HaleyonHotSprings	85	Boundary	200
Arrowhead	105	Midway	204
Laurie	109	Spokane, 18 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
Asheroft	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	210
Seattle, 28 hours	580	Donald	212
Tacoma, 30 hours	620	Golden	230
Portland, 48 hours	682	Banff	314

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