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THE KASLO MORNING NEWS.

ADS PAY EVERY DAY IN THE DAILY NEWS.

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STILL NO SURE REPORT FROM DEWEY

Various Dispatches of Yesterday Denied at Length.

Especial Denial of Sensational Stories From San Francisco.

SAID 200 WERE KILLED

This Report Is Denounced as Cruel and False.

Continued Rioting and Other Disturbances in Spain.

Sagasta Says That the Suspense Owing to Lack of News is Disquieting.

No Word From Dewey.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Washington, May 5.—Concerning the expected dispatch from Dewey via Hong Kong, there were no important advices at the White House up to 11 o'clock p. m.

San Francisco Reports Denied.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Washington, D. C., May 5.—Navy department officials are highly indignant at San Francisco stories concerning the terrible loss of life of sailors on board American warships at Manilla. The officials says that these dispatches were cruel and senseless and inflicted great misery on the wives, mothers and daughters and other relatives of the brave sailors of the fleet.

The officials have about concluded that there is little prospect of receiving news from Commodore Dewey during the day. They figure that presuming the dispatch boat sailed at the earliest moment after the bombardment Monday evening, and allowing three days for passage, the ship is not due at Hon Kong or Mirs Bay until tonight. It is already tonight by our time in either place and it is possible that the McCulloch or some other dispatch boat is just entering the harbor. Other delays would occur before the receipt of the cable here through many relay stations, so it is thought that there is little chance of official news coming in during daylight hours.

Secretary long states in a most positive manner that he will make the people acquainted with the news from Dewey as soon as it is received.

Denial From Admiral Kirkland.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Vallejo, Cal., near Mare Island Navy Yard, May 5.—Admiral Kirkland denies the published statement that he received information that 200 men were killed on the Baltimore at Manilla.

U. S. Officials Say, "No Word from Dewey"

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Washington, May 5.—Up to 9:30 p. m. no word has been received at state or naval departments from Dewey.

Dewey's Message Denied in London.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

London, May 5.—Officials of the Eastern Telegraph Co., when questioned today, said that "Neither President McKinly nor any one else have received any message from Commodore Dewey. Such message must necessarily have been transmitted over the lines of the Eastern Co., either from Manilla or Hong Kong. The company knows of no communication emanating from Manilla since the cable was cut."

[Following are the two dispatches that are denied in the foregoing dispatches.—Eds.]

First Word From Dewey.

Washington, May 5.—It is said that Commodore Dewey reported a loss of 50 killed and 100 wounded, and asked for 2,000 soldiers and a hospital ship.

Second Account of Dewey's Message.

San Francisco, May 5.—Reports from the Mare Island navy yard from good authority, says that Admiral Kirkland, commandant of the yard, received a cypher message from the navy department saying that Commodore Dewey had sent a brief cable from Hong Kong giving losses in the Manilla fight of 50 killed and 100 wounded. He also says that the concord and Petrel were badly damaged, especially in their upper works.

Commodore Dewey asked for a hospital ship and for a force of 2,000 men with supplies for three months.

American's Still Holding Manilla.

Singapore, May 5.—Private telegraphic advices received here confirm the news of the American victory.

The Americans are holding Manilla and exercising powers of government. The insurgent leader Aejandrino has landed with arms for the rebels.

Continued Disturbances in Spain.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Madrid, May 5—Disturbances caused by the high price and scarcity of food continues in the provinces. There have been frequent conflicts between rioters and guards, and looting and shooting are reported from various points.

Spain Worried by Lack of News.

London, May 5.—The absence of actual news as to war operations is causing great anxiety, especially at Madrid, where Senor Sagnsta, the premier, in an interview, declared "The absence of news the most disquieting feature of the situation."

GIVING RAILWAY SUBSIDIES.

Lavish Expenditures for Aid of C. P. R. Extensions.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Victoria, B. C., May 5—The government today introduced a railway aid bill which provided $4,000 per mile for the following railways:

From Penticton to Boundary Creek, 100 miles; Robson to Bonndary Creek, 80 miles; Pacific coast to Penticton, 230 miles; Bute Inlet to Quesnelle, 230 miles; Teslin lake to a British Columbia seaport, not exceeding 400 miles.

Cuban Deputies Organize.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Havana, May 5.—The recently elected Cuban deputies assembled yesterday for the first time to effect an organization.

Relief for Destitue Cubans.

Washington, May 5.—The senate has just passed a bill authorizing the president to send commanding officers into Cuba and to furnish arms, ammunition stores and supplies, and also to furnish subsistence to the people of Cuba who are destitute and in danger of perishing.

Capt. Sigsbee's New Command.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 5.—An ovation was given Captain Sigsbee and the crew of the big auxiliary cruiser St Paul as she left Cramps' ship yards this morning. The sight was truly magnificent. Crowds cheered themselves hoarse as she majestically sailed down the Delaware. She will do scout duty along the middle Atlantic coast.

European Press Dislikes Alliance.

London, May 5.—The continental press notes with ill concealed aversion the broadening political ambition of the U. S. coupled with the increasing friendship between Great Britain and the United States.

ANTI-SPANISH RIOTS IN PORTO RICO

That Island May be Under Stars and Stripes in 48 Hours.

Return of U. S. Dispatch Boat Leyden From Cuba, With Scouts.

Depew Sorry for McKinley.

Cleveland, Ohio, May 4.—Chauncey M. Depew, who was in Cleveland yesterday attending the annual meeting of the Lake Shore and Nickle Plate Ry., speaking of the war with Spain, gave as his opinion that if President McKinley had been left to himself there would have been no war.

To Enforce Portuguese Neutrality.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Port del Gardo, Azores Islands, May 5.—A Portuguese gunboat arrived here today to enfore the neutrality decree of Portugal.

Considering Hawaiian Annexation

Washington, May 5.—The house committee on foreign affairs met today and considered various bills and resolutions relating to the annexation of Hawaii.

Cruiser Olga Flying Plague Flag.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Aberdeen, May 5.—The third class cruiser Olga passed Peter Head today flying the plague flag.

STRIKE IN THE GIBSON.

A Very Good Looking New Ore Body Uncovered.

Several weeks ago the managers of the Gibson mine on the South Fork uncovered a very good looking ore chute, about 350 feet in on the No. 3 tunnel. They have said little about it, being desirous of conducting the company in as conservative a way as possible. Yesterday, however, one of them on being asked for information, replied that after working about 12 feet into the ore body, they felt satisfied that this is the most encouraging strike yet made of the many good ones heretofore found in the Gibson, and they believe that this one is permanent.

Previous assays run higher in silver than this one, but none so high in lead. This assay gives 79.6 per cent lead and 118.4 oz. silver. The ore is very clean and will not need concentrating. Water is troubling at present in the various drifts, but it is expected that the regular force of men will be increased again soon.

SHE WAS FIRED UPON

Steamer Olivette Leaves Tampa, Fla., For Key West.

General Weyler May Be Made Military Dictator.

The Queen Regent and King Alfonso Retiring Into the Background.

Rumored Uprising in Porto Rico.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

New York, May 5.—A special dispatch from Kingston, Jamaica, asserts that it is learned from official dispatches passing through that city that there has been an anti-Spanish uprising in Porto Rico and a revolutionary movement is well under way.

Porto Rico May Be Seized.

Washington, May 5.—Persons who were with the president today assert that there is a strong likelihood that Porto Rico will be in the hands of the U. S. within 48 hours.

Return of Dispatch Boat Leyden.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Key West, May 5.—The dispatch boat Leyden sent to Cuba by the U. S. government early in the week, returned this morning with four of six Cuban scouts who left here last Monday. Other scouts were landed with the insergent forces under General Pedro Delgod.

The Leyden was twice fired upon.

She has shot marks on her smoke stacks.

The Spaniards, who opened fire on the dispatch boat, were driven back by the insurgents.

It is officially reported that no Americans or Cubans of the expedition were killed or wounded.

New York, May 5.—The correspond-

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EDITORIAL OUTCROPPINGS.

One ounce of whisky, to be taken before breakfast by the Americans in Cuba, has been recommended as a preventive of disease. We hail with joy this humane campaign, and promise Uncle Sam a full quota of printers.

It is reported by the Nation that American vessels returning from Alaska, and supposedly gold-laden, have asked United States protection. From the late famine stories, we suggest that it is more necessary to protect the outgoing ships carrying canned goods and salt horse.

Another great Spanish victory has been reported at Madrid. By the exercise of rare skill and courage the Spanish admiral in the Pacific succeeded in getting where American cannon balls struck. To furnish a fitting climax for his victory, and to totally demoralize the Americans, he applied the match to his own magazines.

Now it is in order for the government supporters who thought the first proposed redistribution bill about right, to get in and protest against what they must naturally consider the outrageous increase of an extra member for West Kootenay. Will they do it? Will the new converts do it? Are you going to set the pace, Bre'r King?

That was a rare combination of ignorance in the cause, and petty narrowness in the result, which culminated in an item recently recorded in the Nelson Tribune. A Nelson idiot removed the cover from an acetylene gas generator, and stuck in a lighted match, following it by his head, presumably to see what was inside. There was nothing worth mentioning inside the head, and less hair on the outside, when he got through. But the Tribune, being unable to get an advertisement of the gas generator, retaliated by publishing this illuminant as unsafe. Wonder if the same motives prompted our local contemporary to prominently copy the aforesaid item.

MEN AND THINGS.

Among the United States warships that have come into special prominence of late is the Cincinnati, which, with the New York and Puritan, successfully bombarded and reduced the Matanzas batteries a few days ago. The Cincinnati is far from being one of the largest or best of the American cruisers, but from a personal acquaintance of several years, the Observer is of the opinion that the United States navy has no more intrepid commanders than Captain Charles M. Chester of the Cincinnati.

Captain Chester believes in the strictest discipline on board ship, and the advantage of this is shown all over the cruiser. His faith in the value of the navy as a school for young men is shown by the fact that he now has two sons in the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, Md., and they are true chips of the old block. If the dons do not give up too soon, the Cincinnati, under her fearless commander, will be covered with glory.

And it is not stretching the truth in the least to say the case of Captain Chester and the Cincinnati can be duplicated dozens of times throughout the American navy. Probably no navy afloat, with the possible single exception of Great Britain, can show as high a personnel as Uncle Sam's, and to this is probably due the general impression that, no matter what the odds, America will eventually be victorious in this war for the good of humanity.

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Kaslo. B C.

MINING RECORDS.

METAL QUOTATIONS.

New York, May 5.—Silver, 56⅛c
Lead—Firm; brokers' price, $3.50; exchange $3.70@3.80.

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	2850	Eureka	42
Ruth	1290	Fidelity	15
Whitewater	1530	Sovereign	20
Reco	280	Queen Bess	140
Slocan Star*	217	Jackson	32
Rambler-Cariboo	386	Gibson	16
Lucky Jim	900	Montezuma*	483
Last Chance	1091	Charleston	30
Goodenough	20	Antoine	116
Dardanelles	67	Ajax	34

* 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	200	Waverley	60
Payne	570	Idaho	990

†Concentrates.

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

Payne	$1,809,000	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	.17
Washington	1,000,000	1.00	.25
Rambler-Cariboo	1,000,000	1.00	.25
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	.11
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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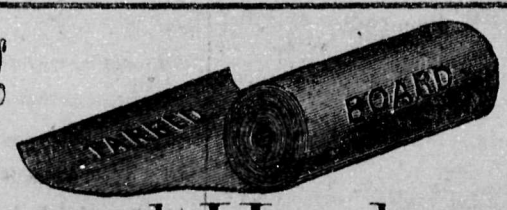

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MACCABEES—Slocan Tent No. 6, Knights of the Maccabees, meets second and fourth Mondays of each month at Livingston's hall, Kaslo Visiting Knights cordially invited.
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The appointment of O. A. Sutherland as chief clerk in the custom house has been confirmed. Mr. Sutherland is already learning his new duties.

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First officer Robertson, of the C.P.R. steamer Kokanee, has been promoted to be master of the steamer Nelson. Captain Fraser, of the Nelson, has been transferred to one of the Columbia river boats.

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The Kuskonook Searchlight refers to Alderman D. W. Moore of this city as ore buyer for the Trail smelter.

A petition is being circulated fer a post-office at Argenta.

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George Wilson, son of J. B. Wilson, the grocer, has returned to Kaslo after wintering in Spokane. Notwithstanding that he was about six feet tall when he left, he now appears to have grown six inches taller, which speaks volumes for Spokane climate.

Remember the Steam Laundry has cut prices. Everybody can afford to have work done there now. *

The agent of the St, Pancras hotel property has finished building a crib, 6x6 feet all along the back of the building, which is intended to act as a breakwater.

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

James McK. Anderson went up to his Hamill creek mines, in the Lardo-Duncan, yesterday.

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

A car of heavy timbers for mining purposes went up to the Payne by yesterday's train.

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

Charles F. Caldwell left yesterday for a several days' trip to Argenta and the Lardo-Duncan country to look over some mining properties.

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

The Alberta made her first Thursday trip to Bonner's Ferry yesterday.

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. *

An employe at the sawmill had the little finger of his left hand crushed Wednesday afternoon. Dr. Rogers dressed the wound.

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. *

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

C. H. Evans, agent for Mrs. Jennie Harris, informs the News that she has given a bond to eastern parties on the Harris group of White Grouse mountain claims for $30,000.

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

J. C. Crome, the well-known Vancouver representative of the Toronto Type Foundry, was in town yesterday, on his way to Winnipeg, his future headquarters.

The Milwaukee Beer Hall has the best and coolest beer in the city. *

J. Albion Howes, of Sandon, is at the Slocan.

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

J. E. Mitchell, of the Charleston mine, at Whitewater, is in town.

Remember the social dance at the Olympic hall this evening. This dance is a complimentary one.

ANTI-SPANISH UPRISING.

Continued from First Page

ent of the Mail and Express reports a small engagement between the insurgents and tug Leyden on one hand and the Spanish cavalry on the other.

The Leyden was landing some ammunition when the cavalry attacked them. The gunboat Wilmington came to assist her.

The Wilmington fired on and completely destroyed a Spanish blockhouse while waiting for the Leyden.

Olivette Sails for Key West.

Special Dispatch to the Kaslo Morning News.

Tampa, Fla., May 5.—The steamer Olivette which has been lying at Port Tampa with baked fires for several days, sailed suddenly today for Key West.

On board were Lt.-Col. Lawton of Gen. Shafter's staff, the inspector general of the southwestern district, and Commodore Watson.

It is supposed that Lawton's trip is for the purpose of gathering information as to the movements of the Spanish fleet and disposition of the Spanish forces in Cuba.

Weyler May Be Spain's Dictator.

London, May 5.—General Weyler is dubbed "Spanish Boulanger," and in some quarters a military dictatorship at his hands is regarded probable. But the wider opinion is that he will succeed no better than Boulanger did.

The Future of Spain is in Doubt.

London, May 5.—Attention is again riveted upon Spain. Special dispatches from Madrid indicate that the question of the future government of the country is beginning to be discussed. As figures, the queen regent and King Alfonso have already disappeared from the stage of Spanish politics.

Kokanee Evening Trip to Argenta.

Beginning tomorrow evening and every Tuesday and Friday evening thereafter at 8:15 o'clock, the C.P.R. steamer Kokanee will make a round trip to Argenta. This will be of great convenience to the traveling public and provide delightful excursion to pleasure seekers.

Roert Irving returned from Victoria last night, Mrs. Irving having met him in Spokane.

Just Arrived

A Seasonable Line of

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Including Such Delicacies as

Smyrna Dried Figs. Preserved New Orleans Figs.
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And all Noted Brands of Coffee, Mecca, Mocha and Java.
Cross & Blackwell's Pickles.
Patterson's Chutney Pickles. French mustard.
Sliced Smoked Beef and the Noted Beef Extract, Bovril.

We can furnish almost any thing desired in the Grocery Line. But that is not all.

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KUSKONOOK ITEMS.

[From Kuskonook Searchlight]

The rooms adjoining the Kalama have been taken over by Landlord Middleton and are now a part of the hotel proper. A door has been cut through between the two building. There are eight nice light rooms in the new addition and will be much needed acquisition to the large increasing trade of the house.

Kuskonook had a narrow escape from being wiped out of existence last Friday. While burning some straw in the drug store a quantity lying on the floor took fire and before water could be gotten it was blazing in pretty good shape. The alarm was given and in just ten seconds by the watch a hundred men were on the scene with buckets. A couple of buckets of water put it out as it was nipped before it had much headway.

The drug store is situated in the heart of the thickest part of the town and if it had got a good start it no doubt would have swept the whole town.

Engineer Brophy is clearing a portion of the brush away around the Haw Haw falls, for the erection of a residence. The falls are situated about three miles from Kuskonook, on Duck lake. The falls have a drop of about 100 feet, and are said to be one of the finest sights on the Crow's Nest road.

The two Italians who were shot by Cline are getting along nicely at the hospital. The one who was shot through the head is now able to eat quite heartily.

The C. P. R. are building two additional warehouses up above high water mark. Who was it that said the base of supplies was going to be moved to Goat river?

The preliminary examination of Cline who shot the two Italians last week has been laid over for ten days longer, to give the doctors a chance to find the bullets.

The C. P. R. telegraph line through the Crow's Nest will be in operation as far as Wardner next week.

Free Social Dance.

A social dance will be given at the Olympic Hall, opposite the Kaslo hotel, this Friday evening. The reputable public is cordially invited. Good music will be furnished by Mr. McLeod.

Yesterday noon the steamer Halys pulled out for Argenta with a barge loaded with merchandise.

A FIRE BELL INQUIRY.

A Subscriber to the Fund Asks For Information.

EDITOR NEWS: What has become of our fire bell, which was to have been erected over the fire hall, opposite Fletcher's corner?

Some six months ago a committee of two undertook the responsibility of collecting for the above purpose, and a considerable sum was thus subscribed and partly paid. If a sufficient sum has not been collected, would it not be well for the committee to continue the good work and let us have a bell that could be heard from the centre of the town to its extreme suburban limits, hoping at the same time that it may never be the medium of calling out our firemen for active service?

A SUBSCRIBER TO THE FUND.

Practicing For Hose Reel Race.

Twelve men and a captain will constitute the team for the hose reel race on the 24th. The men practicing at present are Chief H. Fletcher, George Reid, Gus. Reabie, G. A. Simmons, John Keenan, Thos. Cunningham, Sam Hunter, O. Strathearn, J. Gillis, H. Schooley, George Brown, W. Skinner, J. Stewart, J. Swift, B. Dill, J. Keith and M. Byers.

Firemen's Meeting.

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the local firemen on Wednesday evening, the printing of the by-laws was awarded to the News. J. Stuart, B. Dill and J. Keith were elected members of the department. Much satisfaction was expressed at the action of the city council in appropriating $100 for the hose races on the 24th.

City water was turned off from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. yesterday, while the A avenue main was being lowered.

Dardanelles Stock for Sale.

Two hundred and fifty shares of Dardanelles stock will be sold at a snap. Apply at this office.

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T. M. Gibson returned with Mrs. Gibson from California last night.

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Ocean steamers leave Portland every four days for San Francisco.

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, 30 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.
9.35 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.

GEO. F. COPELAND, Supt.

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TIME CARD.

Leave 9.20 a. m.....Nelson.....Arrive 5 35 p. m
Leave 11.45 a. m...Rossland....Arrive 2.55 p. m.
Leave 8.00 a. m.....Spokane....Arrive 6.40 p. m.

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Eastward.....7 a. m | Westward.....2.46 p.m.

For maps, tickets and complete information, call on or address I.N.& T. Co.'s agts, K. & S. Ry. agts, or C. G. DIXON, Gen. Agt., Spokane, Wn.
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For full information, call on or address
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Freight and Passenger Agent, Kaslo, B. C.
Or to W. F. ANDERSON,
Traveling Pass. Agt., Nelson, B. C.
E. J. COYLE,
District Passenger Agent, Vancouver.
Write for Klondike Folder and Map.

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, 5.45 a. m. Arrive Northport 12.58 p. m.; Rossland, 2.55 p. m. and Spokane, 6.40 p. m.

Leave Nelson for Kaslo and way points, daily except Sunday, 4.45 p.m Leave Spokane 8 a.m.; Rossland, 11.45 a. m.; Northport, 1 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 p. m., arriving at Kuskonook at 10 p.m. and Bonner's Ferry at 8 a. m. following day. Returning leaves Bonner's Ferry Wednesday's 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 2.45 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.

P. O. Box 122, Kaslo, B. C.

Kuskonook and Bonner's Ferry.

Str. Ainsworth.

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 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 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 5.45 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 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 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	108
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	34	Anaconda	196
HalcyonHotSprings	85	Boundary	200
Arrowhead	105	Midway	204
Laurie	109	Spokane, 13 hours	232
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	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	505	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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