SOCIAL AND DIPLOMATIC NEWS FROM LONDON AND BERLIN

Kaiser's Snub to Envoy Arouses Berlin Comment

Mr. Leishman Had No Farewell Audience and Received No Parting Souvenir, Facts Attributed to His Daughter's Engagement to the Duke of Croy.

CANNOT USE GERMAN TITLE OF ROYAL HUSBAND

(Special Dispatch.)

Brain, Oct. 18.

THE German newspapers are commenting freely on the leaving from Berlin of Mr. John G. A. Leishman and calling attention to the fact that the is the first American Ambassador to leave without being granted a farewell audience by the Kaiser.

The fact that the Emperor returned to Potsdam the day before Mr. Leishman no parking souvenirs as is his custom.

When Mr. David Jayne Hill retired from his German post he was made the recipient of a magnificent vase from the replacions of the State Department prevented him from accepting. In this connections the German newspapers also refer to the engagement existing between Mr. Leishman's the Duke of Croy, and express the opinion that should the marriage take place the magnates of the house of Croy would at house of the commencions that should the marriage take place the magnates of the Nouse of Croy would at none take action to prevent Miss Leishman from using the German title of her royal husband.

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royal husband.

In that case she would receive the automatic titles of Duchess of Croy and Princesse de Soire, which belong to the Duke by his French and Spanish patents of nobility, which, however, would not be recognized by the German court.

American Flag Flew for Five Yea Over Turrets on Site of Fa.

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FAREWELL TO MR. THACKARA.

A farewell dinner for the retiring Consul General, Mr. A. M. Thackara, will be given at the Hotel Adlon. The date of the event is not yet decided upon, owing to the fact that Mr. Thackara leaving for Paris will be somewhat delayed, as the government at Washington has the government at Washington has the most beautiful January Transfers until the new tariff is on a firmer working basis.

Mr. and Mrs. Thackara have been possesses the most betwitful Japanese

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A Snapshot at the Recent Military Manoeuvres Finds Big Sea Monster



Seems Like It.

Baltimore American: —"Don't schools sometimes commit practical bulls?"

"How so?"

"Why, they finish their scholars with a commencement."

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"I must admit it."

"Well, my signature is just as valuable to the schools of the second of

at Titanic Wreck Scene

Second Officer of the Corinthian Sees Strange Water Giraffe with Neck Twenty Feet Long on His Last Trip from London to Montreal.

DIVED DOWN WITH A WAIL LIKE A BABY'S CRY

(Special Dispatch.)

Lowbon, Oct. 18.

URELY it would have been a mistake for the "silly" season to pass without its sea serpent. Down at the Surrey Docks just now is a man who has not only seen a fearful and wonderful marine .monster, but has even sketched it from life.

It is not exactly the sea serpent of heavy tradition, but a sort of sea giraffe—an extraordinary looking amphibious animal which is puzzling the zoologists who have heard of it and seen the drawing.

Some idea of this weird freak of nature may be gathered from this first hand description of it:—"Has bonny blue eyes; cries l'ke a baby; neck twen-that was it wasn't a serpent, was it wasn't a serpent, that whatever it was, it wasn't a serpent,

blue eyes; cries l'îke a baby; neck twenthat whatever it was, it wasn't a sergent,
ty feet long; body fifty feet; big head
with long ears and snout; three horned
orn its bony head; two big flapping fins; skin like a seal; brownish
things up.

tuberance was well adapted for running ping fins; skin like a seal; brownish yellow in color, with pretty dark spots."

A plain, commonsense seaman, who tells his story bluntly, without any frills or trimmings, Second Officer G. Bachelor, of the Allan line steamship Corinthian, describing his strange adventure with this sea giraffe, said:—

"We were bound from London to Montreal, and it was my turn on watch on the bridge in the early morning of August 39. It was a cold morning and the gray dawn was just breaking when as I was keeping my eye straight ahead on our course. I picked up a queer looking object about a mile ahead. It disappeared, and as quickly it shot up again no more than two hundred feet away from the ship.

"I saw it distinctly rise out of the water. First there was a big head with hon, ears and long snout, and bulging blue eyes that were mild and liquid. Then there was a neck—no end of a neck—and it .swayed with the wash of the waves. What it was I

Curious Customs at Eton College for King's Son

Many Things Which Prince Henry Will Have to Learn at the Famous School Where Discipline and Oddity in

Dress Are Followed by Students.

(Special Dispatch.) masters and boys as "the burning bush."

Losnow, Oct. 18. A boy who goes in for boating is known.