shell, and hovers above the human clay, tethered only by the sliver cord of which Ecclesiantes speaks. The only sensation is one of delicious languor. "The first sight that "The first sight that greets the eye is one of smiling, loving faces bending over the deathbed," continued Sir Arthur.

Author Tells How the Soul "Floats Out From Its Earthly Shell"

ONLY "DELICIOUS LANGUOR"

By the Associated Press

New York, April 13. - Sir Arthur Conan Doyle last night described the ensations of the deathbed as he said they had been communicated to him

from beyond the Styx. "Death is not painful, but a pleas-

"I have stood by the side of the dying, seen hands turning cold in death stretch out, heard words of endearment fall from lips that soon would move no more. "Delirium," say materialists.

No, it is not delirium."

'Proof?" he asked.

"Proof?" asked the preacher of spiritualism again. "The disengaging of the etheric body can be, has been photographed. I am fortunate enough to have such a plate." Then he told of eight daughters—all clairvoyants—who had sat beside their

"It was lovely to see the etheric body disengage itself," he said. "There was a multiplicity of beautiful lights." Other accounts, agreeing in detail,

enn exist. Table rappings, he said, could be proved by such evidence as would carry a point in a court of law. Puerile signals, he said they were, corresponding to the knock on a door here below, designed merely to herald the approach of a friend and capture the attention of a skeptical world.

had been given of the passing of a soul, he added.

"Is that not good evidence?" he asked.

The tense silence was broken as his sudience in Carnegic Hall, obviously in sympathy with the doctrines of Sir Arthur, broke into prolonged applicable.

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The eyes of the audience to the novelist's wife.

She nodded in confirmation. them.
The materialisation, he said, was made possible through "ectoplasm"—a combination of matter and ether beaten together—which emanated from the bodies of mediums. That substance, he continued, could be felt, analyzed and photographed. Then he proceeded with his defense of the hypothesis that psychical phenom-ena exist. Table rappings, he said, could

He said an etheric body, the exact duplicate of the living, could be temporarily disassociated without death. That could be done, he said, sometimes through the use of narcotics, though, he added smilingly, he did not advise this method.

She nodded in confirmation.

Declaring no conflict existed between spiritualism and the Bible, Sir Arthur asserted that "The New Testament, from cover to cover, is pure spiritualism." He quoted several passages of Scripture which he declared could be understood only in the light of spiritualism, and suggested that the spiritualistic theory of life after death was the message that Christ sought to impart 2000 years ago.

Equal proof, he said, could be brought forward that the spirits of the departed, through mediums, could converse with their beloved below and that these messages were the essential things.

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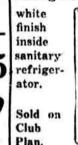
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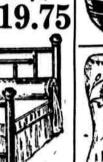




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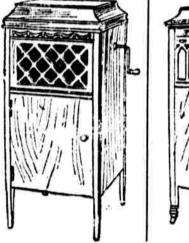
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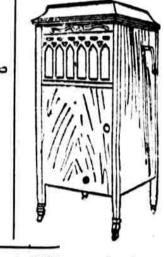
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