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Arthur Conan Doyle Convinced  
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London, March 27.—Sir—Conan Doyle possesses letters, which, in his opinion, "prove the survival of, and communication with the dead beyond the shadow of a doubt."  
A representative of The Daily Mail and these papers to consist of letters from correspondents relating to experiences with a medium recommended to them. All these correspondents, who live in different parts of the country, have lost near relatives or dear friends in the war. Out of twenty-six attempts to communicate with these dead only two were failures, Sir Conan said. Both Sir Conan and Lady Doyle are convinced they have actually communicated with their son, who died in active service.

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## LATE SPORT NEWS

### DUNCAN IS AMBITIOUS

F. C. Kelly Aviator to Try Across Ocean Flight

Vancouver, March 28.—Art Duncan, the defence star of the Vancouver Hockey Club, whose home is in Toronto, may be one of the first to fly across the Atlantic Ocean, according to an announcement here today.

Duncan was in the Royal Air Force, and distinguished himself by bringing down twelve Hun planes, winning the Military Cross. He received leave of absence in December to play with the Millionaires. He left here Tuesday night for Toronto, where he will report to the Royal Air Force and will arrange to try for the \$50,000 prize for the trans-oceanic flight. All hockey fans wish him success.

### TONIGHT'S SOCCER MEETING

All interested in soccer will be found wending their way to the "Y" tonight when the acting President of the St. Catharines and District Football Association hopes to be able to commence the evening's business at 8 o'clock prompt. Delegates from Welland, Merriton, Niagara Falls, Windle and St. Catharines will be present and possibly others. While these will be responsible for the business there will probably be a large attendance of the players and members of local clubs. The election of officers, question of constitution and affiliation, etc., are items of sufficient importance to call for earnest thought and attention. Other subjects of interest will doubtless arise and call for discussion and action.

### ABOUT THE BOXERS

Elmer Doane has a bad ear.

But Christiano has a new racetrack suit.

George Erne has a fracture of the metacarpal bone.

Rocky Kansas is out of the hospital.

Jack Twin Sullivan insists "he wants to box One Round Davis

Dan Rogers and Ray Deahunt have by this time discovered that match-making is one of the inflictions imposed upon man.

Young Mendo has a bruised right arm.

Jimmy Duffy has discovered that "three outs" do not necessarily imply "all out".

While Harvey Thorpe of Kansas City put up a good battle against Benny Leonard, lightweight champion, in Joplin, Mo., it was to be expected that Benjamin would win in every round.

Elbows McFadden, known in Canada as Bobby Eber, and Joe Thomas, are working the Ted Lewis-Jack Britton copyrighted act. They boxed here last Monday night, boxed in St. Catharines Tuesday night and go at it again in Buffalo next Monday night.

—Buffalo Enquirer

Charlie Murray has been called The Mouse.

Herman Smith, the clown of the roped arena, several years ago, staged a good comeback against Young McMillan, of Hamilton, Ont., last Monday night, in a six-round contest, in St. Catharines. Smith won on points, although the Hamilton youngster was a tough morsel for Herman to get away with. Now Smith wants to box Elmer Doane and Bud Christiano on a winner-take-all basis.

—Buffalo Enquirer

### INTERNATIONAL YACHTING CONFERENCE PROPOSED

London, March 28.—The Yacht Racing association of Great Britain yesterday by cable invited the New York Yacht club and other American Yacht Clubs to take part in an international conference with a view to changing the measurement rules.

### JUNIOR LACROSSE

Don't forget the meeting to be held in the Lyceum, Church Street, tonight, March 28th, at 8:15, in the interests of Junior Lacrosse and the formation of a city league. All those interested are asked to come and express their views. Representatives from the teams wishing to enter this league are requested to attend. There will be an election of officers and everything possible will be done to promote a City League. So everybody come and help make Junior Lacrosse a great success in this city.

## NEW LEADERS AT TOLEDO TOURNEY

Oakshosh, Wis. Five Quats Lincoln Life Team, on Trip Since March 20—Pollard's Bowling.

Toledo, March 28.—The Athearn hotel five of Oakshosh, Wis., went into first place in the American Bowling congress tournament on the late shift with a team score of 2,992, 38 points above the Lincoln Life Insurance Co. of St. Wayne, which had held the lead since March 20.

For the second time within ten days the former world's record for individual score was broken when A. Pollard of Indianapolis rolled into second place with a three-game total of 714, 4 points below the mark set by Harry Cavan of Pittsburgh on March 17.

Two other changes resulted in the individual standings on the late squads when Jimmie Smith of Milwaukee and New York took fifth spot with 670, scoring game counts of 204, 255 and 211, and F. Fox of Indianapolis boxed 663 for seventh place. Bowling with the Fred B. G. Smith five of Milwaukee last night, Smith had 532 pins. In his doubles this afternoon his share of the two-men total of 1,225 was 663, giving him sixth place in the all-events with 1,865 for his nine games.

Smith displayed championship form. In his second game in the doubles he made a bid for a perfect score but broke in the ninth with a scattered split and left one pin standing after eight strikes in a row.

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### TIGERS DETERMINED NOT TO RELINQUISH ALLAN CUP

Hamilton, March 28.—The directors of the Arena have definitely decided to have a regular place next winter, and work will start in a few weeks on a building that will be in keeping with any hockey arena on the continent. It may not be as large as some, but it will be modern in every particular, and will be arranged to seat over 4,000 people.

The Tigers claim that they are never going to let go of that Allan Cup, and that they will place an even stronger sextette on the ice next winter than won the Allan Cup for them.

### WELLAND CLUB ELECT OFFICERS

Welland, March 28.—The Welland Football Club has been reorganized and the following officers elected:—Hon. President L. B. Duff; Hon. Vice-President, A. Brennan; President, D. Diggle; Vice-President, J. J. Smellie; Secretary, T. C. Weatherhead; Treasurer, B. Mellors; trainer, S. Walters; committee, J. Ashbaldeston, H. Percy, J. Kean, W. Francis, J. Falles, H. Gough.

### EIGHTEEN PLAYERS ON KITCHENER LIST

Andy Kyle, Former Canadian Leaguer, Signs to Play in Outfield.

Kitchener, Ont., March 28.—Manager Jack W. Beatty, of the local baseball club was in the city today and conferred with the management of the team respecting the season's operations. The uniforms for the club were placed on order, the home outfit being of white checked goods, with green trimmings, and the road uniform of grey check, with the same trimmings.

Major Beatty has eighteen players on his list who will report during the week of April 22nd, providing the weather conditions are favorable.

### GOODMAN WINNER OF CHICAGO RACE

Selkirk Player, en Route Home, Captures Gold Medal at

Chicago, March 28.—Converting his two-day stopover in his city into a chance to grab a gold medal, Mike Goodman, the speedster of the Selkirk Hockey Club of Selkirk, Man., stepped into the Ice Palace and showed some of the local flyers something about skating.

Goodman, who is en route to the North from a series of games for the Allan Cup at Toronto, Ont., entered the one mile open event against a large, fast field. He romped home in front in his heat and increased the margin in the final.

### SOCCER NOTES.

The Football Association meets tonight. Merriton will be represented by their Secretary and T. Wedsworth with V. C. Jones in reserve.

Football has been the means of raising funds for several deserving institutions. In 1917 the G. W. V. A. got a tidy sum from a game between the Toronto Scottish and a team representing St. Catharines. Geo. McFarlane played for Toronto that day and had the honor of scoring one of the goals against St. Kitts. With Ernie Watson's assistance he thinks he can pop in a few more this season.

Speaking to a near relative of Jas. Dakers the writer was informed that the popular footballer will arrive home about Sunday. Jamie has had a long and honorable connection with football in this district being chiefly connected with the city club. It will cause the officials of that club some concern to learn that there is a possibility of their pet player signing for Merriton. The Merriton secretary intends, if circumstances permit, to accompany Jamie's parents to Toronto.

Dicky Robertson would be a welcome addition to the playing strength of the Merriton Club. Dick earned his football fame while playing for the Crocker-Wheeler club. He, with a few others helped to keep the game alive by playing for the city last season. Crocker-Wheeler have not reorganized this season so Dick will find himself, in a football sense, homeless. Merriton was in earnest when they gave him the invitation to join the happy crowd. Dick, could give this story a bright ending by accepting.

Jim Page is working hard for Merriton these days. Page left the city club five years ago and shows no inclination of returning. Football owes much of its popularity to this player being ever ready to help out no matter which club he is connected with.

Allan Ritchie, the Vice President of St. Catharines F. C. is a versatile gentleman. At times he can be seen assisting the officials to manage the game; other times he assumes the role of a dashing centre forward with some success. Allan is a thorough sport and well deserves the good things said of him by his soccer friends.

### BOWLING

McKinnon bowlers took three straight games from the Yale and Towne five in an Industrial League fixture last night. The locksmiths rolled well but could not beat the Ontario street workers. The scores were as follows:—

Yale & Towne		
O'Brien	78	99 106
Bradshaw	137	136 109
Charron	111	167 176
Beckon	135	141 124
Webb	136	116 156
Totals	597	689 671
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