



REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Date: October 2, 2016

Berth and Port: La Madeleine’s French Café, 5290 Belt Line Road, #112, Addison, TX 75254

Presiding Officer: Steve Mason, Third Mate

Time Convened: 1:10 p.m.

CREW ON DECK

There were 10 attendees on hand. Those in attendance included:

- Karen Olson
- Charles Olson
- Sharon Lowry
- Rusty Mason
- Steve Mason
- Allen Osborne
- Marland Henderson
- Dean Clark
- Liese Sherwood-Fabre
- Brenda Hutchison

The Crew did not make introductions for this meeting.

OPENING TOAST

- 1) Written and delivered by: Marland Henderson
- 2) Honoring: Jack Pugh (April 17, 1927-September 13, 2016)

This special toast in memory of dear friend and avid Sherlockian Jack included many reminiscences. Steve Mason kindly added to Marland’s tribute.

THE QUIZ

- 1) Topic: “The Adventure of the Empty House”
- 2) Winner: Liese Sherwood-Fabre (7 out of 10 correct)
- 3) Awarded: Baker Street Game and Baker Street Irregular by Jon Lellenberg

Note: Recognition was awarded Karen Olson for correctly providing the time and date on which Ronald Adair was murdered.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

A. Steve Mason:

- 1) Movie Night will take place next Saturday, October 8th, at the home of Walter and Linda Pieper. It is unknown which movie is to be shown.
- 2) The 2016 Symposium will take place on the evening of Monday, November 7th, at the Allen Library Auditorium. There was some discussion about refreshments in the lobby and advertising.
- 3) The Deck Mate Investiture that was planned for this meeting will be postponed until next month since the honoree was absent.
- 4) Diane Tran’s father has been in the hospital and Diane has been ill. Please keep her and her family in your thoughts and prayers.



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- 5) The Olson's are planning a Victorian Christmas Party. It is set for Saturday, December 10th, from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Crafted Sherlockian gifts (valued about \$10.00) can be brought for a gift exchange per Karen.
- 6) A Christmas card exchange will take place again this year. The list will be distributed in November. Please contact Steve to be added to the list.
- 7) Steve brought up the possibility of reenacting the action that occurred at the Reichenbach Fall. There are other societies that do so. Some discussion took place.

CLOSING READING

- 1) Delivered by: Steve Mason
- 2) Title: "The Elite Devotee"
- 3) Source: *The Baker Street Journal*, March, 1988

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- B. Liese Sherwood-Fabre – Mocha Memoirs Press is sponsoring a short story contest with Sherlock Holmes as the main character for Curious Incidents: More Improbable Adventures. The deadline for submissions is October 14, 2016. For more information, visit the 'About' section at <http://mochamemoirspress.com>.

PROGRAM/PRESENTATION

- 1) Presented by: Brenda Hutchison
- 2) Title/Topic: "The Hound of Pinchin Lane" by B. Sivley Hutchison
- 3) Description: This was a practice run for the mystery game. After an oral reading of the introductory short story, each of the crew received one of the five mystery sets to be presented next month to the symposium's audience. After solving the mystery, the crew offered both positive comments and suggestions for improvements.

Time Adjourned: 2:40 p.m.

Minutes Recorded by: Brenda Hutchison