



## REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Date: October 7, 2018

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

Presiding Officer: Walter Pieper, Helmsman

Time Convened: 1:15 p.m.

## CREW ON DECK

There were 16 attendees on hand.

## INTRODUCTION ROUNDS AT TABLE

## OPENING TOAST

Delivered by: Allen Osborne

*There are good ships and there are wood ships,  
Ships that sail the sea  
But the best ships are friendships,  
May they always be!*

*An Irish Proverb*

## THE QUIZ

- 1) Topic: "The Adventure of the Illustrious Client"
- 2) Winner: Karen Olson
- 3) Top Score: 9 ½ out of 10
- 4) James Robinson achieved second place.

## PROGRAM

Allen Osborne – This was an update on the Sherlock Holmes Symposium planned for Saturday, November 17, 2018, at the Allen Library auditorium. The hours the facility will be available to us are 1:00 to 6:00 p.m. to allow for setting up and cleaning up. Allen passed around a rough draft symposium program to seek input and proofing. He called for volunteers to greet guests and to pass out the programs. He went through the plan for the symposium. Some discussion took place.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- A. Walter Pieper – There is the Tuesday evening, November 13, 2018, program at the Preston-Royal branch Dallas Library to remember. The time runs from 6:00 to 7:30.
- B. Walter Pieper – Movie Night will be next Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 p.m. at the Pieper home. The movie will be "Sherlock: Case of Evil" starring James D'Arcy as Holmes.
- C. Allen Osborne – The next story we will be covering is "The Adventure of the Red Circle" from His Last Bow.

## DRAWING FOR THE GANGWAY PRIZE

Linda Pieper won the raffle. She took home a 1946 Texaco poster displaying a fireman's hat, but also a deerstalker among three smaller hats at the top.



CLOSING READING #1

- 1) Delivered by: Walter Pieper on behalf of Steve Mason
- 2) Steve sent a message from *Gillette to Brett V* via email along with “Baker Street Elementary” #183.
- 3) Source: “Baker Street Elementary—Monomania” by Scott Monty, October 7, 2018

CLOSING READING #2

- 1) Delivered by: Walter Pieper
- 2) Title: “Capacity for Innocent Enjoyment” from “The Editor’s Gas-Lamp”
- 3) Source: *Baker Street Journal*, Summer, 2005

Time Adjourned: 1:57 p.m.

Minutes Recorded by: Brenda S. Hutchison