



Pleasant Places of Florida

[Suggested in The Five Orange Pips]

A Corresponding Scion Society of The Baker Street Irregulars

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MARK YOUR CALENDAR! ... The 17th Annual Spring Gathering of the PPofF will be held on **Saturday, May 2nd.** A very special Luncheon celebrating our Scion's **20th Anniversary** will be held at the River Wilderness C.C. in Parrish, FL. Further details and Sign-up particulars will be in the next Communication.

NINTH RACE PURSE-\$ 3,300 4 & UP			
CLM. \$10,000-8,000			
6 Fur TIME: 22.2 46.3 1:00 1:13			
Big Eye's Mmnt (9)	13.40	5.80	4.80
Pleasure N' Pink (6)		6.80	4.40
Single Time (7)			4.80
Quintela 6-9 paid	41.40		
Trifecta 9-6-7 paid	819.40		

PPofFer **Caroline Everett** noted that Wessex Cup I winner, **Big Eyes Moment** won the Ninth Race at Tampa Bay Downs, Feb. 22nd.

A Sherlockian Film Festival is being planned by PPofFer, **Bob Simpson** [redacted]. Those willing to help with this project, please contact Bob.

SCION MATTERS: Because of restrictions and excessive monthly charges, the PPofF no longer has it's own Bank account. All checks should be made out to **Benton Wood, PPofF..** I'll deal with the I.R.S., personally, which is no "bowl of cherries", as Martha 'Udson would've said. The present circulation of the "**Communication**" now stands at 93. The present balance of our exchequer is currently \$65.

NOTED SHERLOCKIANS

(The Rev'd) Leslie Marshall held the Investiture of SCAN, and was the first Chaplain of The Baker Street Irregulars. A Swedenborgian minister, Mr. Marshall was born in London, and was a veteran of WWI. His B.S.I. Investiture was particularly apt, for in SCAN Holmes disguised himself as an "amiable, but simple-minded Nonconformist clergyman." Far from "simple-minded," Leslie was an acute Holmesian scholar who possessed a subtle wit, and was a frequent contributor to the early Baker Street Journals. Although diminutive of stature and gentle in nature, Leslie Marshall was a "giant" among early Sherlockians. When he retired to Florida, in 1972 he founded The Pleasant Places of Florida which still remains one of the more active Scions of the B.S.I. Universally respected and loved, Leslie Marshall was truly one of Sherlockiana's most unforgettable characters.

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Cecilia & David McCallister admire our Wessex Cup (Plate, Bowl, whatever!)



In the Winner's Circle at the Wessex Cup II: **Dave McCallister, Ben Wood, Brenda Tanguay, Judy Buddle & Laura Henderson.**

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