



# The Pleasant Places of Florida



# 48

(Suggested in "The Five Orange Pips")

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. . . A fantastic philatelic find! The 2nd depiction of the Master on a regular stamp has recently been issued by the

## 12th Night Reflections



country of SAN MARINO in July of this year. Sc.#953 is its proper philatelic identification. It is the highest value of a 5-stamp set portraying detectives, Maigret, Perry Mason, Nero Wolfe, Ellery Queen, and, of course, His Eminence. Nicaragua was the first to depict Mr. Holmes on a postage stamp.... Please let this Communication be the Recorder's "Compliments of the Season" (BLUE CARBUNCLE), along with a blessed 12th Night, the 126th anniversary of the Master's nascency -(Now do you get the idea of the moniker of this column, the "12th Night Reflections"?). . . . .

Rec'd the "Baker Street Regular", edited by Floyd Sherrod, father of our PpofFer, Kitty Milner. (\$8 per annum;

)...."Three Pipe Problems"; Vol.2,(\$8.56

from Geo.Skornickel,Jr.,

.... Also rec'd "The Young Sherlockian", an admiral publication of the FINAL PROBLEMS. Ed: Chas.O'Boyle,

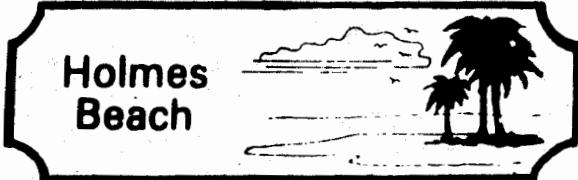
post brought SHERLOCK HOLMES & CO.'s Catalogue Four. Ask Paulette Greene, 140 Princeton Rd, Rockville Ctr, NY 11570. It's a corker! .... All manner of delectable correspondence from hither & yon - Harold Niver, Paul Herbert, Mike Kean, Mason Phelps, Mike Carroll, Howard Lachtman(who raved about S.Holmes, Esq., in S.F.), Jim Suszynski, Peter Blau, Louis Hosch, Jack Tracy, Virginia Beay, Andy Peck, Bob Gellerstedt, Pat Pierce(along with a fantastic article from the San Diego Union on the Eyeford Engineer's doings), Lenny Picker, Tom Dandrew, Al Rosenblatt(with an article on Holmesian books he & Julia did for the Poughkeepsie Journal, Russell Pace(of Silver Spr, MD telling of his advent to the "pleasant places"- Port Charlotte, in Jan.), Gary Heiselberg, and Alan Giangregario. Thanx all - sorry if I missed anvone... Tom Dandrew sent on his scion newsletter "Naval Signals" - it's tops.

... A most interesting Homesian section in the latest edition of "The Pipe Smoker's Ephemeris". Write: Tom Dunn, Edit., 20-37 120th St.,College Point,NY 11356.....12 Rathbone films are available from Niles Entertainment, 1141 Mishawaka Ave., South Bend, IND 46615. Super 8, \$39.98@, 20 min. B/W...."MORE BAKER STREET BALLADS" by Lauterbach. \$5 from Baker St.Miscellaneous, Box 2579, Chicago 60690.....See y'all Jan.18-20,St.Pete Bch:



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Holmes Beach

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# From Mrs. Hudson's Kitchen

(Readers are requested to submit their Sherlockian recipes for this column.)



"I PERCEIVE YOU HAVE BEANS IN AFGHANISTAN!"

(Submitted by Trisha Clayton, of Santa Fe, New Mexico.)

1 bag lentils; 2/3 cup of oil; 1/2 tsp. each of cumin, tumeric & garlic powder; 1/4 tsp. each of mustard powder, cinnamon, chili powder & cloves. Salt to taste.

Put oil in saucepan until about 1/4 full. Add dry lentils & stir until they are coated with oil.

Add the cumin, tueric & garlic, and stir. Add water until pan is almost full. Add cinnamon, cloves & salt, and cook, stirring occasionally, until tender - - about 3 hrs at the altitude of Santa Fe.

Note: These BEANS are highly spiced but are one of the traditional methods of preparing lentils in the Eastern part of the World. Excellent with corn bread or pita bread.

# Agony Column

(Readers are asked to submit items for this Column. Thank you.)



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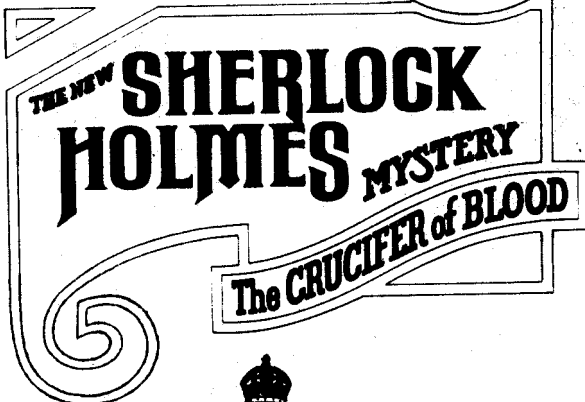
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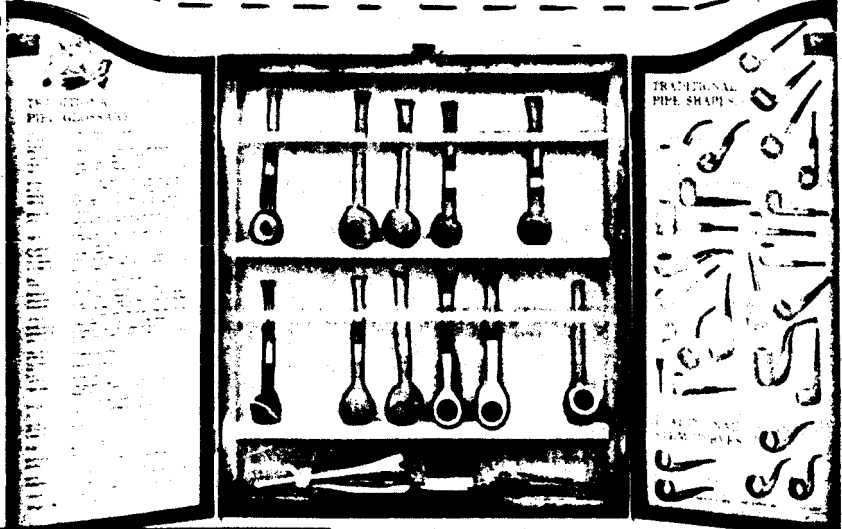
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