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An Exploration of the Life and Work of

## Vincent Starrett



## October 23-24, 2026 Chicago, Illinois

Vincent Starrett, poet, mystery author, journalist, and bibliophile, is best known for his deep passion for detective fiction, especially the adventures of Sherlock Holmes. Starrett played a foundational role in the development of Sherlockian scholarship with his 1933 book *The Private Life of Sherlock Holmes,* a cornerstone of Holmesian literature blending biography, literary criticism, and imaginative speculation about the great detective's world. A founding member of the Baker Street Irregulars and a towering figure in the Chicago Sherlockian scene, Starrett's lifelong devotion to Sherlock Holmes continues to influence generations of fans and scholars alike. *It is Always 1895* will celebrate Starrett's life and work.

Save the date! Details will be shared as they are finalized, but plan to attend!

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