



Scheuchzeri

early tweens underwater newt
lawful good
Level 0 civilian

Pronouns: he/him (though many refer to him as "it")

Occupations: Wharfside spectacle / exhibit

Armor Class 12

Hit Points 3 (TODO Hitdice)

Speed 20 (swim 40).

STR

13

DEX

14

CON

11

INT

7

WIS

6

CHA

15

Saving Throws TODO Saving Throws

Skills Nature; Survival

Proficiencies TODO

Damage Immunities TODO Damage Immunities

Condition Immunities TODO Condition Immunities

Senses TODO Senses

Languages Human Newt ,

Adjectives Slick ,

Special Abilities Underwater Breathing

Special Equipment

Combat Tactics

Scheuchzeri will avoid combat at all costs

Actions

None

Factions

ROLEPLAYING

Introduction

From the wharfside water comes a hoarse croaking voice - "WILL PELHAM BEAUTY OR GOBERNADOR WIN THIS YEAR'S DERBY?"

Appearance

Brown sleek furred skin, snout, black eyes, gilled cheeks. Webbed fingers, flippered feet, spinal ridge to his tail.

Expressions

WILL THERE BE A WAR?; DEATH RAYS TURN WHOLE CONTINENTS INTO DUST; DO YOU WANT PERFUMED BREATH? USE "FRESH" TOOTHPASTE.

Mannerisms

Wags tail underwater when excited; barks when happy or scared; performs "the newt", his underwater dance, on request.

Motivations

Gossips incessantly, and strangers gossip to him; reads every pamphlet ever printed; parrots the town crier verbatim.

Passions

Gossip

Secrets

Background

Nobody can be sure how Scheuschzeri ended up in the ponds. But everyone kows that he hears the best of the news because he's always treading water in a well-placed pond. Scheuschzeri will spend most of his time in deeper waters by the wharf in the sea-side frontier village of Griptight Keep [Any Seaside Trading Village] overlorded by the pirate baron Koon The Bold. He spends daytime hours skipping out of the wharf into the various marshy puddles that characterize the paths of the village overhearing conversations. He's become so attuned to these interactions and the value of their content to others that he often positions himself in the best spots to overhear the best possible informations.

How did poor Scheuschzeri become this this way? Nobody is completely certain. Some claim that he was once a pirate who had fallen in love with a Siren while at sea and upon his attempt to capture her heart she laughed in his face and banished him to the ponds and wharf-side. Others tell a story of how it was his own choice; that he is actually a powerful sorcerer who grew tired of his capabilities and cast this polymorph on himself in reverence of the greater society.

Author notes for the artist:

- Straight out of War With the Newts, the funniest nihilistic science fiction novel ever written.