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**Ealdormere
Letter of Intent
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Unto Shauna Laurel, Margaret Pelican and Evan Wreath and all the members of the College does Lord Percival Green Mantle, Cainnear Seeblatt and the Ealdormere College of Heraldry send greetings. I am looking forward to War and the chance to meet many of you for the first time in person.

It is the Intent of the kingdom to register the following items.

*In all cases unless indicated otherwise submitters will accept all changes and creation of holding names as required for their desired authenticity.

1. **Aelfwyn the Irresponsible** (Name Change) from "Sapphira of Sherwood" registered 08/91 An-Tir .

Her device * The following device associated with this name was registered in August of 1991 (via An Tir):
Quarterly gules and sable, two cats passant in pale, that in chief contourny, Or. Should be transferred to her new name if registered.

Aelfwyn- "Anglo Saxon Womens Names from Royal Charters" at <http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/marieke/anglosaxonfem/> No copies attached.

"Alwunn S-1123, 1049: English. "
"{AE}fwynne S-535, 948: Latin."

Irresponsible- "The Bynames of the Viking Age Runic Inscriptions- Mental Characteristics. At <http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/lindorm/runicbynames/mental.htm> (copy attached) stating that Irresponsible is conceivable based on listed bynames "the Trouble Maker' and "the Far Sighted"

The submitter originally wanted a name authentic for Anglo Saxon in sound and culture but has since revoked this request. As much commentary was raised as to the "authenticity" of Irresponsible. Without this as a consideration we ask that this name be considered as is.

2. **Aelric Blackthorn** (New Name)

Seeks a male name authentic for the 12th century English time period and cares most about Language and Culture.

Aelric- Academy of Saint Gabriel report #1346 paragraph 8 states "we think that <Elrich>, <Elric>, <Ailric>, and <{AE}lric> are all very supportable 12th century versions of this name." Attached is a copy of the document found at www.panix.com/~gabriel/public-bin/showfinal.cgi?1346+0

Blackthorn- Mills, English Placenames pg. 41, Oxon Blaketorn 1190. Meaning place of the Black Thorn. (Sloetree) Old English Blaec-thorn.

The only problem that came out of our internal commentary was the belief that for period authenticity the spelling of the name should be with the conjoined {AE}. Not being able to easily add this to this document we pass this on to Laurel with the recommendation that if the name must be changed the spelling be changed to {AE}lric as indicated.

3. **Alana Greywood** (New Name)
Seeks a female name of no specified period or culture and cares most about sound.

Alana- Cited as documentation is a Precedence set by Francois 08/2002 "The name Alana has [...] been found in period. Gage's LoC dated 15 Jun 2001 references this information "Tangwystyl verch Morgant Glasvryn cited (1381)[Robertus fillius

Radulfi] and [Alana filia eius]. This citation is from Fenwick, Carolyn C. *Poll Taxes of 1377, 1379 and 1381, part 1: Bedfordshire-Leicestershire p.112.*" Photo copies of both the precedence and the book cited in this precedence.

Greywood- is supported as a period construction of Grey and Wood as cited in the following examples from Appendix H Sources.

Blackwood- 1384- Reaney p-35 & Room Adrian p-28

Graistaine- 1332 Reaney p-203

Greyabbey- Room p-63

Greystones- Room p-63

The submitter also cites the Shire of Greywood registered in July 1997 in Ansteorra.

4. Andrew Cameron (New Name)
Seeks a male name authentic for Scottish Language and culture with no time frame indicated.

Andrew- Withycombe 2nd Ed. 1971 printing Page 22 "Particularly common in Scotland"

Also cited are ST Gabriel reports #1351 and #1416 "the spelling Andrew could appear in any of these languages {Norman, French, English, Scots + Gaelic}

Cameron- Blacks, s.n. <Cameron> "Johanes de Cameron, presbyter of St. Andrews 1421".

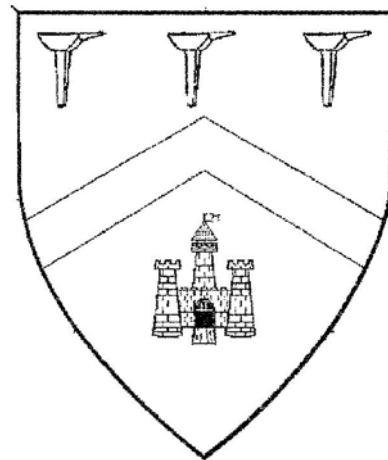
5. Aveline Karnatz (New Device {Kingdom Resubmission) Name submitted to Laurel on May 04 XloI.

Argent, a sea urchin within an orle purpure



6. Conrad Wappenschmied (New Device) Name Registered June. 2003 Via Ealdormere.

Per chevron azure and gules, a chevron Or in chief three armorers anvils and in base a castle argent.



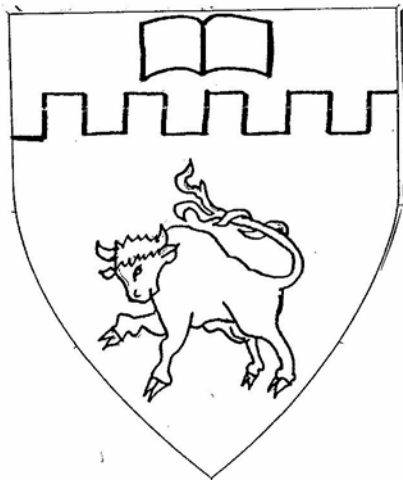
Concern was raised re RFS VII.3 and VII.7 as to the Identifiability of the anvils as drawn. Original blazon called these simply anvils. As support for the items as drawn we quote the PicDic (Picture Dictionary, Draconarius, Bruce) item #12. "In society heraldry the unmodified term anvil usually refers to the Blacksmiths anvil, while in mundane heraldry it seems to refer to the armorers anvils: portable, with a spike on the bottom for fixing it in place during use (12a). If the later is intended in the Society it must be explicitly blazoned. The image 12a.

was used to create this emblazoned device although as drawn the anvils are reversed with the horns pointing to Dexter in the PicDic and Sinister as drawn here. We leave it to Laurel to determine if either of these should be considered a default or if blazoning needs to be changed to reflect the positioning.

7. **Diogenia Melanesi** (Device Resubmission Laurel) **Name was registered Nov 03 LoAR as Diogenia we believe this was a misprint or typo as the forms submitted and documents attached supported the spelling as Dionegeia. A letter requesting correction was sent and this item is currently awaiting review by Laurel.

Original device was returned Nov 03 for violation of RFS VII.7.a posture of the bull was in dispute as being someplace between Salient, Passant and Courant. The redraw appears to have addressed this problem.

Or, a passant bull gules, on a chief embattled purpure an open book Or.



8. **Diogenia Melanesi** (New Badge) **Name was registered Nov 03 LoAR as Diogenia See note in item #7 re name correction.

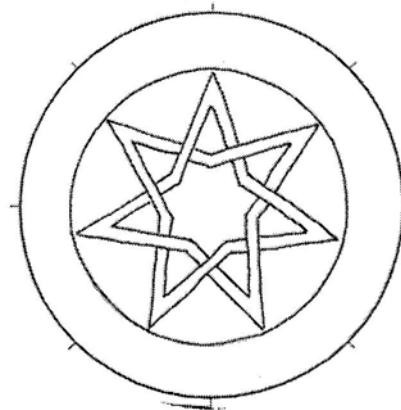
Gules, a simurgh within a bordure Or.



Commentary indicated the bordure was somewhat narrow although we did not feel this was bad enough to return for a redraw. We also cite one close conflict of Athelwulf the Ancient of the Dry Lands (Jan 85 via Atenveldt) of "Gules a duck displayed, head affronty within a bordure Or". This has one CD for change of posture. We also feel the vastly different types of birds and the tail feathers of the Simurgh should be sufficient for a second CD and pass this on to Laurel for visual checking on this matter.

9. **Ealdormere Kingdom of**, (New Badge) for the Order of the Crucible, name reg. Oct 99 via Ealdormere. A letter from Trillium Herald accompanies this submission attesting to Privy Council and the Members of the Order approving this badge.

Gules, a mullet of seven points voided and



interlaced within a bordure Or.

One internal comment was received indicating possible RFS VII.7 violation for identifiability because some of the points seem to touch the bordure while others do not. On the full sized drawing this is much clearer and only one point comes close to touching and we feel this was just a drawing style error (wide pencil line). We also had 2 possible conflicts brought to our attention of #1 "Isablla de Medici (Sept. 95 via An Tir) of "Sable a mullet of 8 interlocking mascles, a bordure Or" one CD for field. We feel however the type of charges and arraignment should grant a second CD. #2 "Vietnam (important non SCA heraldry (flag)) Gules a mullet Or." One CD for bordure. However we feel the voiding and interlacing of the mullet should add a second CD. We pass this on for Laurel and a Visual check of this potential conflict.

10. Ealdormere Kingdom of, (New Badge)

A letter from Trillium Herald accompanies this submission indicating Privy Council approves of this badge.

(Fieldless) A wolf passant argent, collared sable & langued gules grasping a flag gules, three trilliums argent barbed and seeded vert.

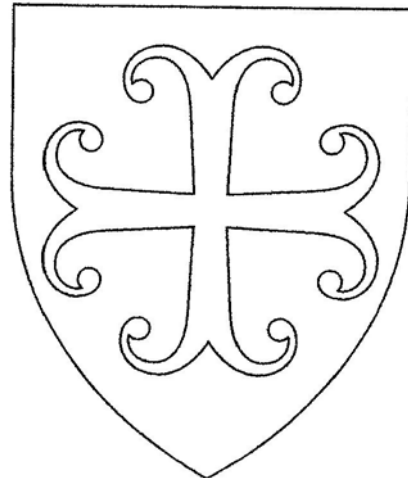


11. Edouard Beausoleil (Device Change)
Name registered 10/93 via Middle.
Original device "Per pale gules and vert, a griffin segreant argent within a bordure argent semy of suns gules" is to

be changed to a badge if new submission accepted

Or, a cross moline sable.

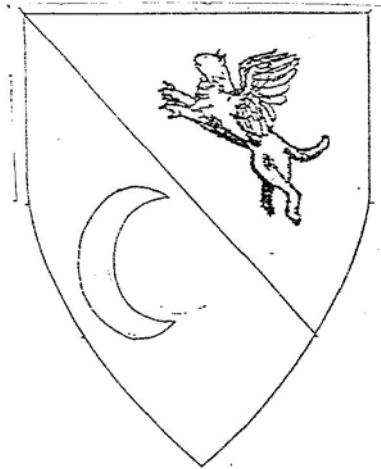
The submitter includes a letter of permission to conflict with "Gwynneth Sanquebarr, Or a cross gurgity sable"



Some commentary was raised about numerous conflicts with other crosses. These all boil down to having never been ruled on by Laurel. We have included the ones we feel are worthy of note and ask that rulings be made as to these types of crosses. #1 Aileve of Windhaven (Jul. 96 via East) "Or, a cross clechy within an orle of ermine spots." One CD for the Orle but cross Clechy and Moline have never been ruled upon. #2 Wilhelm von Ulrichen Sep.83 Via Middle) "Or, on a cross nowy sable an estoile argent" again one CD for the Estoile but no ruling has been made re Nowy vs. moline. We ask that Laurel consider this submission and rule on the differencing of crosses not already ruled upon that may be in conflict with this.

12. John Lindsay (New Device) Name was submitted on the External letter of May 2004.

Per bend argent and azure, a winged cat and an increnent counterchanged.



13. **Tamsin Kitto** (New Name and Device)
Seeking a female name authentic to 16th century Cornwall and cares more about Language and Culture. ****Will not accept Major Changes.**

Tamsin- cited here is a precedence from Francois 11/2001, Tamsin is found as a feminine given name in a burial record in 1601 in "Transcript from the Buckfastleigh Registers"

(<http://www.picknowl.com.au/homepages/bobm/webidx.htm>). Bardsley dates the feminine given names Tamson to 1573 & 1574 (s.n. Tamplin), and Tomasyn to 1557 (s.n. Inkley). Given these examples, the submitted Tamsyn seems to be a plausible variant of Tamsin. [Tamsyn Seamarke, 11/01, A-Outlands]

Kitto- The Dictionary of English Surnames, Reaney & Wilson Pg. 267 "Kitto, Henry Kitto, Tristram Kittoe 1642 PrD a Cornish diminutive of Griffith". **1642 as a date falls within the Grey area outside our period but should be acceptable within the context that if this "Henry Kitto" was known in 1642 it is plausible he would have been born before 1603 the death of Elizabeth.

Or, a pegasus rampant sable within a bordure pean.



This then ends this letter. Contained are 4 New Names, 4 New Devices, 2 New Badges, 1 Device Resubmission's, 1 Name Change and 1 Device Changes for a total of 13 items.

It is hoped that all is found in order and we look forward to their acceptance.

Respectfully Submitted by
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