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Unto the East Kingdom College of Heralds and all others who do receive this letter, greetings from Tanczos Istvan, Eastern Crown Herald!

This ILoI contains submissions received before 28 July 2004 and has 20 numbered items. Commentary, as always, should be sent to the above address and is due on 31 August 2004.

As many of you may already know, this will be the last Internal Letter of Intent I issue as Eastern Crown. I've held this office for three years now, and it's time to step down. After that, it's up to Eldrich Gaiman, who will be replacing me in the office of Eastern Crown Herald. Before I go, I will be doing decisions for all the internal letters up to and including this one, so that Eldrich can jump into Pennsic with both feet.

Good luck, and thanks again in advance for all the hard work you have done for my tenure. I'm sure you'll keep doing the same for Eldrich!

In service, Istvan, Eastern Crown Emeritus

1 Aaron the Arrowsmith (M) - New Name Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

No major changes. Submitter desires sound 'Aaron the Arrowsmith'.

Aaron from Withycombe, s.n. Aaron, dated in that spelling to 1199.

Arrowsmith from R&W, p 14, 1278.

2 Alys Mackyntoich (F) - New Name Change Herald of Record: Ailis Mac an Toisich Current Name: *Ailis Catriona Mac an Toisich*

Alys from Gwynek's *A List of Feminine Personal Names Found in Scottish Records* (
http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/scottish
fem.html). Also lists Alicia (1250), Alycie
(1280), and Alesone (1492). Also, variants appear in http://www.thepeerage.com (attached), Alice Comyn (c1296-1349), Alice Erskine (born c 1290), Alice Mac Donnell (born c. 1540). Given that Alycie was used in scotland and 'Alys' was a common English spelling of the same name, the submitter argues that it would not be implausible

for it to be used as a female Scots name in the latter half of period. Alys can be documented from R&W, s.n. Motley, gives an Alys in 1525, s.n. Alis gives an Alis in 1214, Dambell gives an Alis in 1327. Julian Goodwyn's *English Names Found in Brass Enscriptions* gives an Alys in 1503. Mari's *Names and Naming Practices in the Registers of the Church of St. Mary's*, *Dymock* gives Alys (1538/9), Allys (1565), Alis (1539) and Alyce (1438/9).

Mackyntoich is in Black, s.n. Macintosh. The submitted spelling can be found dated to 1468. Other dated forms: Makintoch 1597, McKintoch 1477, Mackintoche 1472, etc. Note that combining English and Gaelic is only one weirdness, as per the decision on Ian MacHenrik on the 10/99 LoAR

If the name can not be passed, the submitter would like the 'Catriona' to be dropped from her current name, so she's "Ailis Mac an Toisich", which is grandfathered to her.

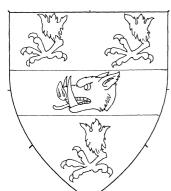
Her current name was passed in May 1990, via the East. Her old name is to be released if this one passes. **3 Alys Mackyntoich** (F) - New Alternate Name Herald of Record: Ailis Mac an Toisich Submitted Name: *Alays de Brantôme*

No major changes.

Alays from Aryanhwy's *Feminine Names from Périgueux*, 1339-1340 (http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/perigueux.ht ml).

Brantôme from Dauzat & Rostaing's *Dictionnaire* etymologique des noms de lieux en France, p 111. Brantôme is a town on Dordogne (SW France), formerly the Duchy of Aquitaine. It is also in Dauzaunder s.n. Branthomme. There is also a web page printout from www.britannica.com which details one Pierre de Brantôme, born c 1540, died 1614. His full name is apparently 'Pierre de Bourdeille, Abbé Et Seigneu'.

4 Dagr Alreksson (M) - New Name & New

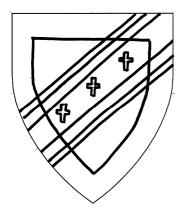


Device Herald of Record: Avelina Keyes

Argent, on a fess between three eagles jambes gules a boar's head couped argent.

Submitter prefers meaning 'Dag son of

Alrek' and 9-12th century Viking/Norse language/culture. Client would prefer 'Dag' as the first name, if possible.



Dagr is from Geirr Bassi, p 9. Alrek from same, p 7.

5 Gareth Grey de Wilton (M) - New
Name & New Device
Herald of Record:
Esperanza Razzolini
d'Asolo

Argent, a bordure vert overall three latin crosses palewise argent on a bend sinister cotised counterchanged.

Gareth is from

http://www.medievalscotland.org/problem/names/gareth.shtml .

Gray from R&W, header form, dated forms include le Gray, le Grey dated to 1296. It is also from

http://www.compapp.dcu.ie/~humphrys/FamTree/Herbert/2nd.earl.html .

Wilton (West of Salisbury, England) is documented from

http://www.bartelby.com/65/wi/WiltonEng.html and

 $\frac{http://www.compapp.dcu.ie/{\sim}humphrys/FamTree/}{Herbert/wilton.html\;.}$

No copies of any of the documentation are attached.

6 Griffyn Cleisiog ap Madoc - New Badge



Herald of Record: Ailis Mac an Toisich

(Fieldless) A griffin segreant azure, armed argent.

7 Gwenhwyfar Dinas Emrys - New Device



Herald of Record: Esperanza Razzolini d'Asolo

Or, a stag statant proper, on a chief vert three acorns slipped and leaved Or.

The stag is brown.

8 Gwenllian Anwylyd (F) - New Name Herald of Record: Gwalchmai

Submitter desires a name meaning 'Beloved Gwenllian' and wants the name changed to be Welsh.

The documentation reads:

A Welsh Miscellany, The Complete Anachronist #66, Jones, p31.

Anwylyd -

http://oldweb.cs.cf.ac.uk/fun/welsh/LexiconEW_main.html

A copy of the latter is attached, it does indeed translate 'annwyl' or 'anwyl-' as 'beloved'.

9 Jehanne Urchurdan (F) - Appeal Household Name

Herald of Record: Asceline Barret Submitted Name: Sea Dragon Keep

No changes. This is an appeal of a May 24, 2004 return.

The OED compact edition, page 2692 dated "Sea Dragon" to 1551. There is a Laurel Precedent regarding 'keep', which states 'keep is the designator here' in a ruling on a household name. (See 'Seeker's Keep', Sept 1992, http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/precedents/CompiledNamePrecedents/HouseholdGuildNames.html).

There is nothing else. This will be returned for several reasons. First, the paperwork is not properly filled out -- among other issues, the submitter did not sign the form and the 'Date Returned' is listed as 24 May, 2004. The actual return was done on the 2003-July-10 LoR, dated 15 September 2003. The appeal also does not address the reason for return: there was no documentation found that this household name fits the allowable pattern for household names. The Administrative Handbook says:

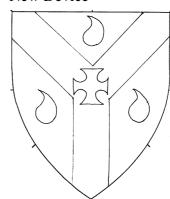
All appeals must be supported by new documentation, other proof that the original

submission was returned in error, or by compelling evidence that the submission was not properly considered at the time of return.

Nothing that could be construed as fitting any of the requirements is attached.

Note that Laurel, when contacted, pointed out that the AH, section IV.C, requires that paperwork be complete for all submissions, including appeals, and kingdom is fully justified in returning this incomplete appeal for lack of completed paperwork.

10 Kolskeggr inn rammi (M) - New Name & New Device



Herald of Record: Avelina Keyes

Gules, on a pall between three gouttes argent a cross Pateé gules.

Submitter desires a name meaning 'blackbeard the strong'

and authenticity for the 9-12th century Viking language/culture.

Kolskeggr from Geirr Bassi p 13.

in rammi from same, p 26.

11 Lillian atte Valeye (F) - New Name Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

No major changes. The submitter desires the meaning 'of the valley'.

Lillian is from Withycombe s.n. Lionel, dated to the 16th century.

atte Valeye from Reaney & Wilson, s.n. Valley, dated to 1346.

12 Mary Theophania Hunn (F) - New Name Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

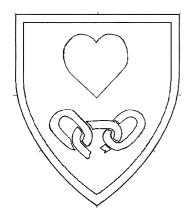
No major changes. The submitter will allow the middle name to be shortened to 'Theo'.

Mary from Withycombe, p 200-202.

Theophania from same, p 265.

Hunn from R&W, p 244.

13 Maximilian Gunn - Resub Device



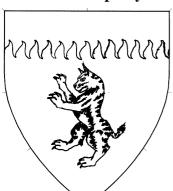
Herald of Record: Marcus Blackaert

Sable, in pale a heart and a chain of three links the center one broken to base within a bordure argent.

His original device, Sable, in pale a heart and a chain of three

links, the middle link fracted to base argent., was returned at kingdom from the 2003-July-10 ILoI. It conflicts with Solondra Carryl (December 1983, via Meridies): Sable, a heart argent. with a single CD for the addition of the chain. The new submission has added the bordure.

14 Rónán Sharpe Lynceus (M) - New Name &



New Device
Herald of Record:
Gwalchmai ap Talan

Azure, a lynx combatant argent a chief rayonny Or.

Rónán from 100 Most Popular Men's Names in Early Medieval Ireland (

http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/irish100
 .html).

Sharpe is from *Manx Names in the Early 16th Century* (

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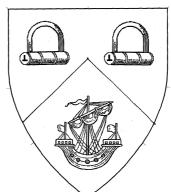
Lynceus: the submitter gives evidence that descriptive names were used in period in Ireland: OCM p 122, sn.n Liber, dated to 620. The word Lynceus is found in *The First Hypertext Edition of the Dictionary of Phrase and Fable*, by Brewer, at

http://kenji.ac.kr/my/references/phrase/data/758.html, which claims that somebody from fable (either Perseus' grandfather or grandson, from what I've been able to find elsewhere), 'was so sharp sighted he could see through the Earth'. The submitter says it means 'lynx-eyed'.

[The last link doesn't work -- the information can be found at

http://www.bootlegbooks.com/Reference/PhraseAndFable/data/785.html]

15 Sebastian Estevan de Xavier - Resub to



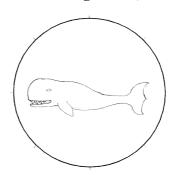
Kingdom Device Herald of Record: Ailis Mac an Toisich

Per chevron gules and argent, two fetterlocks argent and a lymphad sable.

His original device,

Per chevron gules and argent, two fetterlocks linked by a chain argent and a lymphad sable., was returned at kingdom from the 2004-May-03 LoI for having three types of charge in the same charge group (fetterlocks, chain, lymphad). The resubmission has removed the chain.

16 Smoking Rocks, Barony of - New Order



Name & New Badge Herald of Record: Aceline Barrett Submitted Name: *Order* of the Leviathan

Argent, a sperm whale naiant sable

No major changes. OED Compact Edition p 1610 gives 'Leviathan:

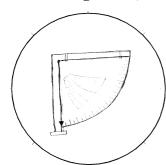
an aquatic animal of enormous size'. Dated forms are leuyethan 1382, levyathan 1447, leuiathan 1535.

Note that 'Leviathan Pursuivant' is already registered to Smoking Rocks.

A valid petition for both order name and badge is attached, but no demonstration that this fits the allowable patterns for order names.

[The device conflicts with that of André of Stormhold (October 1998, via Lochac): "Argent, a whale naiant azure." with but one CD for the color of the primary. The grandfather clause does not apply here, as the barony's armory is clear of André's]

17 Smoking Rocks, Barony of - New Order



Name & New Badge Herald of Record: Aceline Barrett Submitted Name: *Order* of the Quadrant

(Fieldless) A quadrant Or

No major changes. OED Compact Edition p 2379 gives 'Quadrant: an instrument, properly having the form of a graduated quarter circle, used for making angular measurements, esp. for taking altitude in astronomy and navigation.' The dated form is 'quadrant' in 1400.

A valid petition for both order name and badge is attached, but no demonstration that this fits the allowable patterns for order names.

[The badge conflicts with Christoforo Antonio Passavanti (December 2000, via Ansteorra): "Sable, a quadrant Or." There is only one CD for the fieldlessness.]

18 Smoking Rocks, Barony of - New Order Name

Herald of Record: Aceline Barrett Submitted Name: *Order of the Rock* No major changes. OED Compact Edition p 2563 gives 'Rock: a large rugged mass of stone' and 'something which affords a sure foundation or support.'. The dated forms are 'rokke' 13??, 'rocke' 1400, and 'rocks' 1560.

A valid petition for this order name is attached, but no demonstration that this fits the allowable patterns for order names.

19 Smoking Rocks, Barony of - New Order Name

Herald of Record: Aceline Barrett Submitted Name: *Order of the Lodestone*

No major changes. OED Compact Edition p 1465 gives 'Lodestone magnetic oxide of iron ... used as a magnet' and 'something which attracts.' The dated forms are 'lodysshestone' 1515 and lodestone 1548.

A valid petition for this order name is attached, but no demonstration that this fits the allowable patterns for order names.

20 Tomas Wormwood (M) - New Primary Name



& New Device
Herald of Record:
Michel Wolffauer

Per bend sinister argent and azure, a hawk stooping to sinister proper, beaked and taloned Or.

No major changes.

Withycombe p 279-80 s.n. Thomas lists Thomas 1086, 1199-1220, 1273; Thome 1379; and Tom 1379. The desired spelling can be found in R&W, s.n. Thomas, which gives one Hugo Thomas 1317.

Wormwood is a constructed surname composed of the elements 'wyrm', meaning 'snake' or 'dragon' and 'wudu', meaning wood. Ekwall s.n. 'Wormwood scrubbs' has dated forms of

'Wermeholte 1200 and Wrmehold 1290. Sometime between then and now, the original name was translated into English and the 'Scrubbs' added. The meaning given is 'wood infested with snakes'. Ekwall under Wormhill lists Wurmhill, 1185, Wurmehill 1227. s.n. Worminghall gives urmehal 1163, Wirmehale 1229. Wormington gives Wermetun DB, Wirmiton 1200, Worminton 1220, Wurminton 1236. Wormley gives Wurmeleá c 1060, Wermelai DB. Lastly, Wormsley gives Wermeslai DB and Wurmesleys

1242. Smith's _English Place Name Elements_, v2, p280, gives several names in which 'wudu' is combined with an animal name. '(v) Animal names, as Harewood He, YW(hara), Oxenwood, Oxwood Hrt(oxa)'. Ekwall s.n. Harewood lists Harewuda 1138, 1188; Harewood 1352; Hareuuode DB and Harewod 1209. Under s.n. Cawood ('Jackdaw Wood') gives Kawode c1225, c1250; Cawuda c972, c1030, and Cawude 1184.

The hawk is brown.

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