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

This ILoI contains submissions received before January 15th, 2005 and has 40 numbered items. Commentary, as always, should be sent to the above address and is due on February 28th, 2005.

Good luck, and thanks again in advance for all the hard work you do!

In service,

Eldrich Eastern Crown

1 Alicia de Berwic (f) - New Name & New Device

Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

Azure, on a bend between two foxes sejant guardant argent, an arrow bendwise to base azure.

'Alica' - Variant of Alice. Talan Gwynek cites examples from 1202-1384 in "Feminine Given Names in A Dictionary of English Surnames" (http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/talan/reaney/index_mid1.html).



'de Berwic' - "of Berwic", a city in southern Scotland. Spelling found in 1195 Academy of Saint Gabriel Report 2135 [(<http://www.panix.com/~gabriel/public-bin/showfinal.cgi/2135.txt>)].

2 Alid of Ashwell (f) - New Name

Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

No major changes.

'Ailid' - "Feminine Given Names in A Dictionary of English Surnames", by Talan Gwynek. (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyAG.html>) s.n. 'Ailith' dated to 1086. 'Ashwell' - R&W 3rd ed., p16, s.n. 'Ashwell' d.1331.

If the name must be changed the submitter cares more about the sound.

3 Anneis Le Blanc (F) - New Name Change

Herald of Record: Cadell Blaidd Du

Current name: *Anneis Blanke*

No changes.

'Anneis' - R&W s.n. 'Annas' cites 1154-89. The name is listed in Talan Gwenek's Index [*"Feminine Given Names in A Dictionary of English Surnames"* (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyAG.html>)] (s.n. Agnes).

'le Blanc' - "Sixteenth Century Norman Names" by Cateline de la Mor [(<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/cateline/norman16.html>)] lists 'Le Blanc' under surnames.

The submitter requests authenticity for 11th-12th century Anglo-Norman, but will accept only minor changes to last name. The submitter cares most about sound.

[The submitter's current name was registered in November of 2003 (via the East)]

Upon registration of the new name, the submitter wishes to release the old name.

4 Brunissende Dragonette de Brocéliande - New Badge

Herald of Record: Brunissende de Brocéliande

(Fieldless) A lantern gules

The submitter's name appeared on the East Kingdom August 2003 Internal Letter of Intent and was forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom External Letter of Intent issued on April 30, 2004.



5 Carillion, Barony of - New Badge

Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

(Fieldless) A bell Or charged with a mullet sable

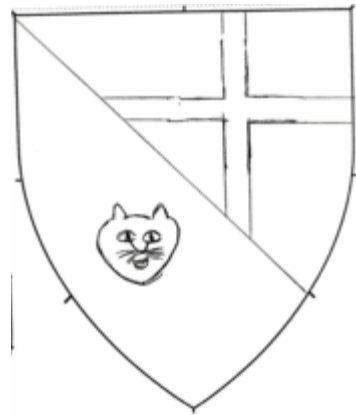
A petition from the necessary officers is attached.

The name was registered in May of 1986 via the East. The order name associated with this badge, 'Golden Chime of Carillion, The Award of the', was registered in March of 1999 via the East.



6 Christopher Scott - New Device
Herald of Record: Briony of Chatham

Per bend sable and argent a cross sable in dexter base a cat head cabosted argent.



7 Damiana Illaria Doneda - New Badge
Herald of Record: Genevive la Flechiere

Argent in fess two coneys salient sable within an orle of ivy vert.



The submitter's name appeared on the East Kingdom October 2004 Internal Letter of Intent paired with the device '*Per fess wavy argent and azure, three mullets of six points and a swan naiant counterchanged*' and was changed to 'Damiana Illaria d'Oneda' before being forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom External Letter of Intent issued on January 24, 2005.

8 Ding Li Ying - New Badge
Herald of Record:

(Fieldless) A lotus blossom in profile Argent

The submitter's name was registered in May of 2004 via the East.



9 Duncan Kerr - New Badge
Herald of Record: Gwenllian Maredudd

(Fieldless) A horse passant gules charged on the shoulder with a cross argent.



The submitter's name was registered in August of 2000 via

the East.

10 Eddval Tvístangir (m) - New Name & New Device
Herald of Record: Maria Alegreza

*Per bend Or and vert a beer stein and a bear rampant
contourney counterchanged.*

No changes.

'Eddval' - from the Övar-Odds saga (Icelandic saga of the "Mythic-heroic" period, recorded in 13th century.)
Photocopy of English translation ("Arrow-Odd", Chap. 20, p117 of Seven Viking Romances, translated By Herman Palsson and Paul Edwards, Penguin Books, 1985) attached.

'Tvísangir' - byname composed of the elements 'Tví' (meaning 'two') and 'stangir' (meaning 'pokes', from 'Stöong' (singular, 'pole'). Aryanhwy merch Catmeal's "Viking Bynames found in the Landnámabók" (<http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/vikbynames.html>) lists bynames such as 'Skökull' ('Cartpole') and 'bíldr' ('ax-blade'), 'þvari' ('spear') as well as 'tvennumbrúni' ('double-brows'). It could be plausible that a Norse fighter who fought two-pole weapons could gain the nickname 'Tvístangir' (Dictionary entries from Zöega's Dictionary of Old Icelandic and discussions with other consulting heralds attached.



11 Elinor Strangeways (f) - New Name & New Device
Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

*Vert, a bee volant and on a chief embattled Or, an acorn
between two oak leaves fesswise, stems to center, vert.*

'Elinor' - (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/christian/fairnames/givennames.html#women>) "Faire Names for English Folk: Late Sixteenth Century English Names" under women's given names in the top fifty women's names listed by Scott Smith-Bannister for the 1560's and 1570's.

'Strangeways' - (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/christian/fairnames/surnames#list>) "Faire Names for English Folk: Late Sixteenth Century English Names".



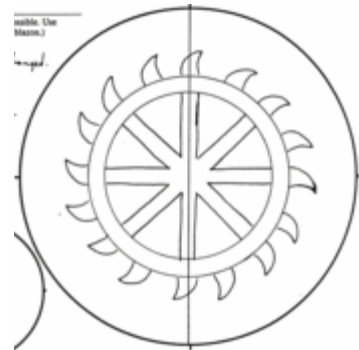
12 Elinor Strangeways & Ulrich des Dunkelberges -

New Badge

Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

Per pale Or and azure, a cathrine's wheel counterchanged.

Both associated names appear on this letter.

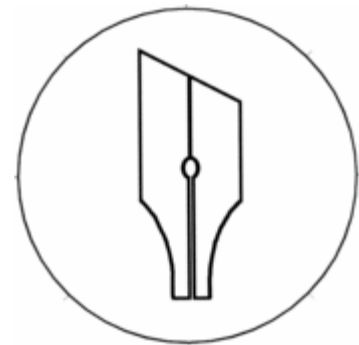


13 Giovanna del Pennino - New Badge

Herald of Record:

(Fieldless) A quill pen nib per pale sable and argent.

The submitter's name appeared on the East Kingdom October 2004 Internal Letter of Intent and was changed to 'Giovanna del Pennino' before being forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom External Letter of Intent issued on January 24, 2005. A device associated with this name, '*Argent, a chevron azure between three quill pen nibs sable.*', appeared on the East Kingdom November 2004 Internal Letter of Intent.



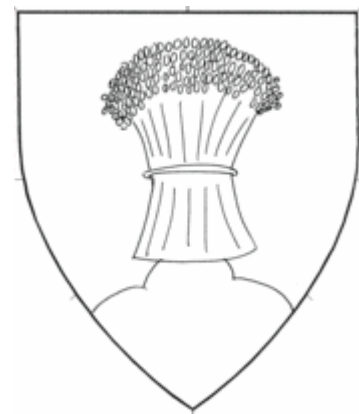
14 Gisela vom Kreuzbach (f) - New Name & New Device

Herald of Record: Gisela vom Kruzbach

Or, a garb gules atop a trimount sable.

No changes.

No major changes. The submitter asks that the 'vom' not be changed, nor the 'K' changed to 'C'. The submitter cares most about a Germanic language/culture.



'Gisela' - the Dictionary of German Names by Bahlow, translated by E. Gentry, s.n. 'Giese' notes it is a short form of 'Gieselbrecht' ('gisel', 'noble offspring or hostage'). Also found in Walraven van Nijmegen's article "Dutch Women's Names before 1100" on Laurel's Webpage [<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/earlydutchfem.html>], 'Gisla'. Also in Lexikon der Vornamen by Günther Drosdowski, s.n. 'Gisela' reads, "Der name kam schon in Mittelalter häufig vor, Gisela heissen die Schwester Karls des Grossen...". Roughly translated, "The name was already frequent in the middle Ages for Gisela the sister of Charlemagne..."

'vom' - contraction of 'von dem' meaning 'of the' (as per a conversation with Mari then Pelican).

'Kreuzbach' - Brechenmacher's Etymologisches Wörterbuch der Deutschen Familiennamen s.n. 'Kreuzburg' cites one 'Hildebrand Creuzburg', 1312 and s.n. 'Kreuzfelder' cites one 'Joachim Kreuzfeldy', 1562. Other headers include 'Kreuzmaler', 'Kreuznacher', 'Kreuzweger'. For 'bach', s.n. 'Silberbauch' cites 'Alvert Silverbuc', 1262. s.n. 'Wildenbruch' shows and s.n. 'Schwein' notes 'Schweinbach(er)' dated to 1391 and s.n. 'Rotenbach(er)' states 'Röt(t)enbach' to 1358.

15 Gisela vom Kreuzbach - New Badge

Herald of Record: Gisela vom Kruzbach

(Fieldless) A pair of barnacles Or.

The submitter notes that if Or conflicts gules would be acceptable.



16 Gwennliana Hayes - New Name

Herald of Record: Gaufroi le crieur

No changes.

The submitter desires that the name made more authentic for Welsh.

'Gwennliana' - Tangwystyl's "Women's Names in the First Half of 16th Century Wales" (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/welshfem16.html>).

'Hayes' - dated to 1552 in Julian Goodwyn's "Brass Inscription Index" (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses>).

17 Hawk's Reach, Canton of - New Device

Herald of Record: Alheyclis von Körchinaen

Per chevron inverted azure and sable, a chevron inverted between a laurel wreath Or and a hawk swooping argent.

A petition from the necessary officers is attached.

The name appeared on the East Kingdom November 2004 Internal Letter of Intent.



18 Ivyeirust, Bailiwick of - New Badge

Herald of Record:

(Fieldless) An ivy leaf inverted proper

A petition from the necessary officers is attached.

The name was registered in May of 1981 via the East.



19 Jehanne Urchurdan - Resub Household Name

Herald of Record: Leviathan Pursuivant

Submitted Name: *Sea Dragon Keep*

No changes.

The submitter has already registered arms, '*Argent, two wingless sea-dragons erect addorsed, tails entwined, vert*', in August of 1985 via the East and a badge, '*(Fieldless) A wingless sea dragon erect contourny vert supporting a ruined tower argent*', in July of 1990 via the East containing sea dragons.

"Sea Dragon" appears in the OED dated 1551. Laurel precedents regarding "Seeker's Keep" (reg sept.1992) states, "keep is the household designator here" (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/precedents/compliednameprecedents/householdguildnames.html>).

The submitter's name was registered in 1984 via the East. This exact household name appeared on the East Kingdom July 2003 Internal Letter of Intent and was returned by the kingdom for lack of documentation supporting the pattern of the name. An appeal appeared on the East Kingdom August 2004 Internal Letter of Intent and was forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom Internal Letter of Intent issued on September 30, 2004. This submission grants the allowance that if absolutely necessary for registration, the name 'Inn of the Sea Dragon' would be acceptable.

20 Jocea Osanna of Ravenglass (f) - New Name

Herald of Record:

No changes.

'Jocea' - under "Feminine Given Names in a Dictionary of English Surnames" by Talan Gweneck [<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyHZ.html>] (KWHS proceedings,

Trimaris) p101 'Jocea' 1167(w).

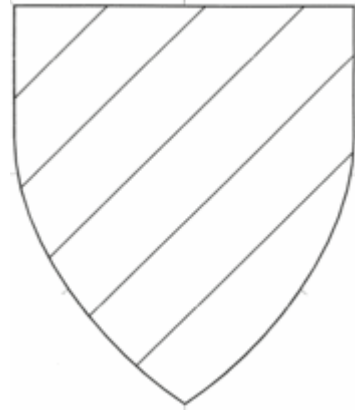
'Osanna' - in Dictionary of English Surnames-P.H. Reany & R.M. Wilson 1995 ed., p334, s.n. 'Ozanne' lists 'Osanna' 1160 'Reginaldas filias', 'Osanna' 1180 etc.

'Ravenglass' - small town in Lakes District (costal) of England orig. Roman fort. Maps were provided showing location of the town.

21 John FitzArnulf de Lithia - New Device Change
Herald of Record:

Bendy sinister sable and gules.

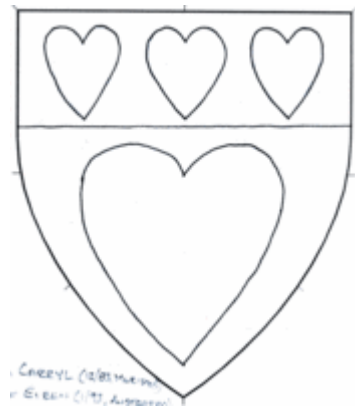
The submitter's original name, 'John of Lithia, called Star-Fountain', was registered in October of 1979 via Meridies and changed to 'John FitzArnulf de Lithia' in April of 1990 via Trimaris. His current device, '*Bendy sinister sable and gules, on a mullet Or a fountain*', was registered in October of 1979 via Meridies. Upon registration of this submission, the submitter would like to retain his old device as a badge.



22 Justine Hart (f) - New Name & New Device
Herald of Record: Rowen Clotewoathy/Eldrich Gaiman

Sable, a heart and on a chief argent three hearts sable

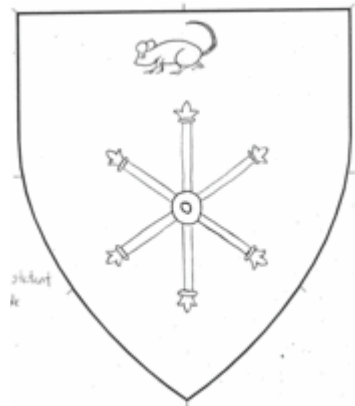
No changes.



23 Kis Mária - Resub Device
Herald of Record:

Argent, an escarbuncle per fess sable and gules and in chief a mouse statant sable.

The submitter's name was registered in January of 2004 via the East. The previous device submission, '*Argent, an escarbuncle of six arms per fess sable and gules in chief a gerbil sable*', was returned in the same month for containing a non-period charge, the gerbil.



24 Leofric Æt Couætrée (m) - New Name

Herald of Record:

No changes.

'Leofric(us)' - appears in Withycombe, Oxford Dictionary of English Christian Names, s.n. 'Leofric' dated to the Domesday Book.

'Æt Couætrée' - Ekwall, Concise Oxford Dictionary of English Place-Names, 4th ed., s.n. 'Coventry' shows this form dated to 1043-50.

25 Maeve of Abbeydorney - Resub Device

Herald of Record: Marion of York

Vert, a whale naiant maintaining upon its back a coracle or.

The submitter's name appeared on the East Kingdom July 2004 Internal Letter of Intent and was forwarded to Laurel on April 30, 2004. The associated device, '*Vert, a whale naiant maintaining on its back a coracle Or, sail charged with a celtic cross vert*', was returned at Kingdom for depicting a charged sail.

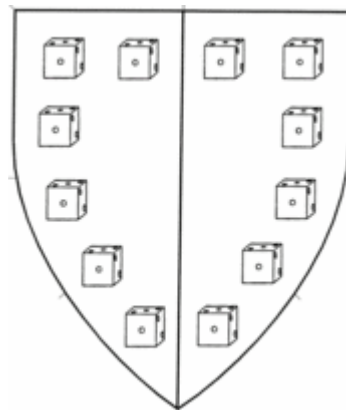


26 Marietta da Firenze - New Device

Herald of Record:

Per pale azure and gules, an orle of dice Or

The submitter's name was registered in May of 2004 via the East.



27 Melodia De Westbrok (f) - New Name

Herald of Record:

No changes.

'Melodia' - dated in that spelling to 1212 in Talan Gwynek's "Feminine Given Names in

A Dictionary of English Surnames" (<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/reaneyHZ.html>) s.n. 'Melody'.

'Westbrok' - Ekwall s.n. 'Westbrook' dates 'Westbrok' to 1287-90.

28 Miklós a Fél Kalóz (m) - New Name

Herald of Record:

No changes.

'Miklós' - "Medieval Names Archive" (<http://www.panix.com/~mittle/names/index.shtml>) and "Hungarian Names 101" by Walraven von Nijmegen, 2002 [(<http://www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/magyarnames1012.html>)]. Hungarian translation of The Dread Pirate by the submitter using the following texts: Hungarian: An Essential Grammar by Carol Rounds, 2001, and NTC's Hungarian and English Dictionary by Tams Magay, 1996.

29 Muriel Halliday (f) - New Name

Herald of Record: Ariele Nabonne

No changes.

The submitter will allow accents to be added, but no other spelling changes.

'Muriel' - Witherby's Oxford Dictionary of English Christian Names 3rd ed., p224, reads, "common in the 12th and 13th C".

'Halliday' - in The Surnames of Scotland by Black, p339 [s.n. 'Halliday'] reads, "John Halliday at Hoddom in record, 1439". Also in Reaney & Wilson A Dictionary of English Surnames, p213, as a header.

30 Orzel Gotiaszewski herbu Ko{s'}cie{s'}za (m) - New Name

Herald of Record:

If the name must be changed the submitter cares most about meaning, 'Orzel' means 'eagle', and about the language/culture of 1580's Poland.

31 Osgrim Scrökeises (m) - New Name & New Device
Herald of Record: Alison Wodehalle

Or, a sword inverted gules between two dragons combattant sable.

No major changes.

The submitter will only accept the only following changes:
the umlaut removed or the spelling changed in 'Shrokeisen'.
The submitter is aware of the discrepancy in dates and
wishes to proceed with this submission.



'Osgrim' - dated to 10th century in Kees Nieuwenhuijsen's website "German names before 1150" (<http://www.keesn.nl/names/index.html>),

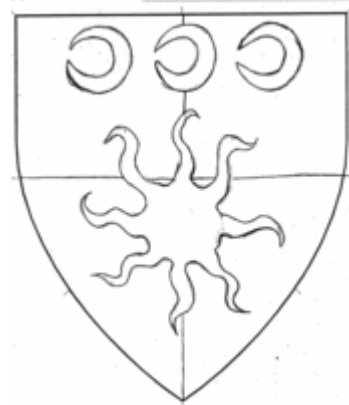
'Scrökeises' - dated to 1579 s.n. "Schreckseisen" p563 Brechenmacher vol.2. cited as 'Leonh.Schröckseisen'. Also found updated on p506 of Hans Bahlow's The Dictionary of German Names.

32 Padrig Saethydd (m) - New Name & New Device
Herald of Record: Gaufroi le crieur

Quarterly sable and azure, a sun Or, in chief three crescents argent.

No changes.

The submitter requests authenticity for 15th century Welsh
and cares most about meaning.



'Padrigi' - p30 of Tangwystyl's "A Welsh Miscellany" (CA 66) under the section for men's given names.

'Saethydd' *ibid.*, p33, under the section for occupational bynames, meaning 'archer'.

33 Richard Napier (m) - New Name & New Device

Herald of Record: Ariele Nabonne

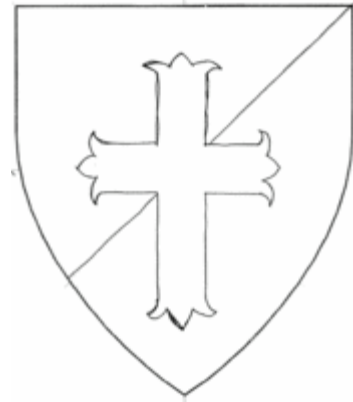
Per bend sinister gules and sable a latin cross fleury Or.

No changes.

If the name must be changed the submitter states that the sound of the surname must include 'Nap' sounds.

'Richard' - The Concise Dictionary of English Christian Names by E.G. Withycombe, p253 reads, "Richard & Ricared were equally common in the middle ages".

'Napier' - A Dictionary of English Surnames, Reaney & Wilson, p319 reads, "One who is in charge of the napery or table-linen". 1148-1225 'Peter Napier', p114.

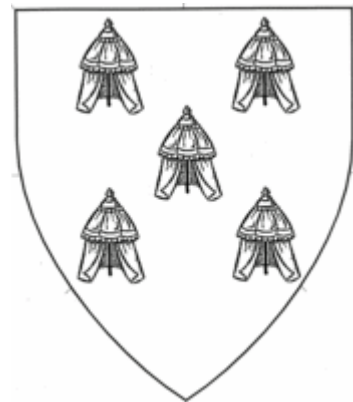


34 Richild La Gauchere - New Device

Herald of Record: Gwalchmai ap Talan

Or, in saltire five pavilions vert.

The submitter's name was registered in June of 1995 via the East. A device submission, '*Vert, a sun Or charged with a fleece vert*', appeared on the East Kingdom May 2003 Internal Letter of Intent and was returned by the kingdom for multiple conflicts.



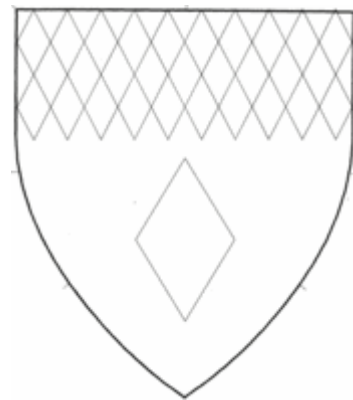
35 Sarra Fina Macdonald - New Device

Herald of Record: Gaufroi le crieur

Submitted Name: *Isabetta Seraphina di Petrillo*

Azure, a lozenge argent and a chief indented lozengy argent and azure.

The submitter's name was registered in October of 1999 via the East. The alternate name to which this device is to be associated was registered in May of 2002 via the East.



36 Sionna Catriona O'Mustay - New Device

Herald of Record: Penny S. Supina

Vert, an open book surrounded by three plumes argent, six heraldic roses proper in a bourdure argent.

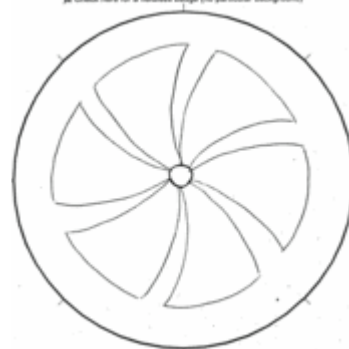


37 Tanczos Ilona - New Badge

Herald of Record: Gaufrroi le crieur

(Fieldless) A periwinkle flower per bend purpure and argent

The submitter's name and a device, '*Per pale purpure and argent, six periwinkles, two, two and two, counterchanged*', appeared on the East Kingdom November 2003 Internal Letter of Intent and both were forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom External Letter of Intent issued on July 20, 2004.



38 Toi Poisson de Mortagne (f) - New Name

Herald of Record:

No changes.

'Toi' - Submitter's mundane name, necessary document witnessed by Eastern Crown Herald but a copy is not included.

'Poisson' - Morlet [*Dictionnaire Étymologique des Noms de Famille*], exact header 'merchant de poissons'. Also (<http://www.gencircles.com/users/bullfrog/3/data/8>) shows 'Jean Poisson' born 1618 to father 'Jean Poisson' born circa 1590.

'de Mortagne' - *Dictionnaire Étymologique des Noms de Famille et Prénoms de France* by Albert Dauzat contains that header form undated. Variants include 1180 'Mortesna', and 1156 'Mortennam'. More at 'Mortagne-ar-Perche'.

39 Ulrich des Dunkelberges (m) - New Name & New Device

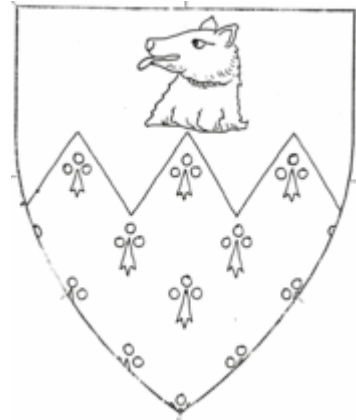
Herald of Record: Harold von Auerbach

Per fess indented gules and counter-ermine, in chief a bear's head couped Or.

No major changes.

'Ulrich' - Hanks & Hodges, Oxford Dictionary of First Names, 1996, Oxford University Press, p325, cites Ulrich of Angsburg (d.973) and Ulrich of Cluny (1018-1093)/*[The Oxford Dictionary of First Names by Hanks & Hodges has been found to be an unreliable source.]*. Also, (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/talan/germmasc/plauen14.html>).

'des Dunkelberges' - Genitive form of 'dunkel' (dark) and 'burg' (mountain), 'of the dark mountain', meant to be a locative byname.



40 Violet Gray - New Device

Herald of Record:

Per bend rayonny siniter purpure and argent, a squirrel "squirrelant" argent and a violet slipped and leaved purpure.

The submitter's name appeared on the East Kingdom September 2004 Internal Letter of Intent and was forwarded to Laurel on the East Kingdom External Letter of Intent issued on November 27, 2004.



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