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Unto the East Kingdom College of Heraldry and all others who do receive this letter, greetings from Kolosvari Arpadne Julia, Eastern Crown Herald!



This ILoI contains submissions received by April 19th, 2008 and has 16 numbered items. Commentary, as usual, should be sent to the above address and/or the Letter of Comment email list, and is due by May 22nd, 2008.

Enjoy!

Julia Eastern Crown

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**1 Aidan Sacheverell Hyde - Resub Badge**

Herald of Record: Lillia de Vaux

*(Fieldless) On a flame argent a heart azure.*

His name was registered in Mar. 2005, via the East. He also has a device, *Vert, three flames argent each charged with a heart azure*, registered in Dec. 2006 via the East. His previous badge submission of *(Fieldless) A heart azure* was returned on the Aug. 2007 LoD for conflict with Clarissa Wykeham (Jul. 2000 Middle): *Or, a seeblatt azure*. This submission changes the primary charge to clear this conflict.



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**2 Catte of Lennox (f) - New Name**

Herald of Record: Lyanna of Kerneough

She cares most about 'Scottish' language and/or culture.

Catte is a form of Katherine, found in "Early 16th Century Scottish Lowland Names" by Sharon Krossa (<http://www.medievalscotland.org/scotnames/lowland16/womenalpha.shtml>) with four instances, dated 1531 (twice), 1540, and 1548.

Lennox is a territorial name derived from *levenach* 'smooth stream', according to *The Book of Scottish Clans* by Iain Zaczek (Cico Books Ltd, London, 2001). "In the Middle Ages, this province was transmuted into the earldom of Lennox. Malcolm, the 5th Earl, supported Robert the Bruce..."

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**3 Duncan de Montdragon (m) - New Name & New Device**

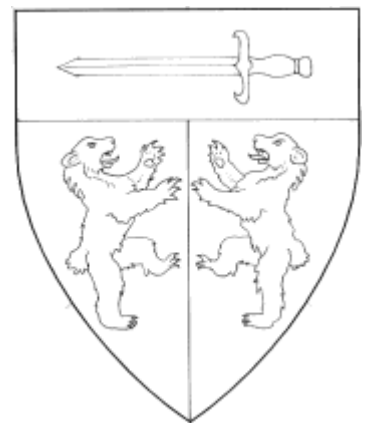
Herald of Record: Brunissende / Lillia

*Per pale Or and gules, two bears combattant counterchanged, on a chief sable a sword fesswise Or.*

He cares most about the meaning 'Duncan + Dragon'.

Duncan: Black p. 130 s.n. Campbell lists a Duncan Campbell dominus de Gaunan dated to about 1390.

de Montdragon: Dauzat & Rostaing p. 467 s.n. Mons has Mondragon, Vaucl. (de Montedraconis, 1137); Montdragon, Tarn (lat. *draco*, dragon; peut-etre nom de personne). Morlet p. 703 s.n. Mondragon, var. orthographique de Montdragon, n. de lieu d'origine (Tarn) canton de Lautrec. [*Bruni, I know you can read all this, but I can't...*]



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#### 4 Estela du Frayse (f) - New Name & New Device

Herald of Record: Esperanza Razzolini d'Asolo

*Per fess azure and Or, two oak sprigs fructed and leaved and a talbot counterchanged.*

No major changes.

She cares most about sound.

Estela: Academy of S. Gabriel report 2227 (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/2227>) identifies this as an Occitan name in use in the 13th through 15th centuries, citing Brenon: *Le petit livre aventureux des prenomms occitans au temps du Catharisme* (Tolosa: Loubatieres, 1992) and Aryanhwy's "Jewish Given Names Found in *Les Noms Des Israelites en France*" (<http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/levy/>).

S. Gabriel report 2261 gives *Du Fraysse* as a likely late 16th century spelling of the modern southern French surname Dufraysse, citing Aryanhwy and Talan's "Names Found in Commercial Documents from Bordeaux, 1470-1520" (<http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/bordeaux.html>), R&W s.n. Dufrayne, and Dauzat *Les Noms de Famille de France* (Librairie Guenagaud, Paris, 1988). [No documentation supplied for dropping one 's'.]



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#### 5 Estela du Frayse and William Lancton - New Joint Household Name & New Joint Household Badge

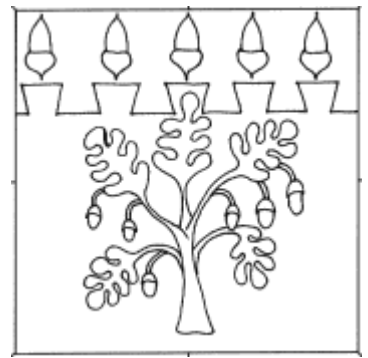
Herald of Record: Esperanza Razzolini d'Asolo

Submitted Name: *Golden Oak Inn*

*Vert, an oak-tree sprig fructed and on a chief dovetailed Or, five acorns vert, hulled proper.*

They care most about meaning. Their individual name and device submissions appear elsewhere on this letter.

No documentation supplied. [This conflicts with *Golden Oak Herald*, registered in Jan. 2003 and transferred to *Serwyl ap Morgan* in Dec. 2003, all via *Trimaris*.]



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#### 6 Hartshorn-dale, Shire of - Resub Heraldic Title

Herald of Record: Lillia de Vaux

Submitted Name: *Attire Pursuivant*

The branch's name was registered in Aug. 1988, via the East. The shire's arms, *Or, a stag's attire and on a chief azure three laurel wreaths Or*, were registered in Oct. 1988 via the East. The previously submitted heraldic title, *Massacre Pursuivant*, was returned on the Mar. 2007 LoD for using a post-period (and possibly offensive) blazon term. [My apologies for the awkward avoidance of pronouns: I didn't want to use third person, because I live in Hartshorn-dale, but first person plural looks ever weirder.]

This title follows the pattern "names of heraldic charges". Parker defines *Attire* as "a single horn of a stag. Both the horns are commonly called a stag's attires."

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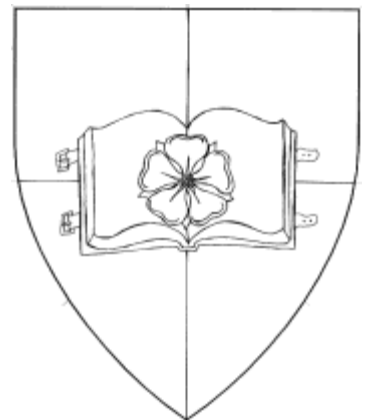
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#### 7 Jennette Elizabeth Colquhoun - Resub Device

Herald of Record: Lillia de Vaux

*Quarterly vert and azure, on an open book argent a rose azure, seeded Or and barbed vert.*

Her name was registered in Aug. 2003, via the East. This identical device submission was pended on the 2002-02 decisions letter, because her name was being returned. The name was subsequently resubmitted and registered, but the device stayed in limbo. It is hereby rescued (we hope).



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**8 Leofcwen of Endeward (f) - New Name & New Device**

Herald of Record: Brita Mairi Svendsdottir

*Azure, a chevron cotised and in base a bow Or, string to base.*

No major changes.

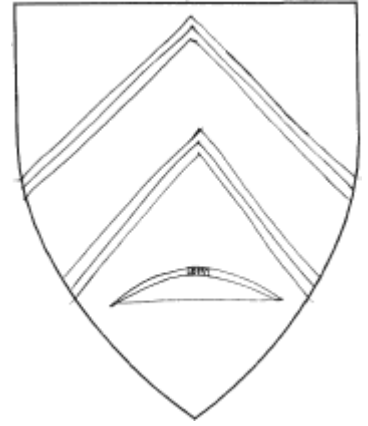
She requests authenticity for, and cares most about the language and/or culture of, 'pre-conquest Anglo-Saxon England'.

Leofcwen is found in "Anglo-Saxon Women's Names from Royal Charters" by Marieke van de Dal (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/marieke/anglosaxonfem/>). The source document is an 11th c. will which grants to *Lefquene* fifteen acres of land; Leofcwen is the standardized form. The name is also found in Talan Gwynek's "Feminine Given Names in *A Dictionary of English Surnames*", under Lefquen.

The SCA branch name Endeward (which is Anglo-Saxon for 'end of the world') was registered in Jan. 1987 via the East.

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**9 Magnus an Doire mac Tuathail (m) - New Name & New Device**

Herald of Record: Alison Wodehalle

*Argent, on a bend sable between two wyverns rampant vert, three oak leaves bendwise argent.*

No major changes.

He cares most about the meaning 'of the Oak Grove'.

Maghnus is found in the Annals Index, dated to 1254 in this spelling under Magnus.

an Doire is a byname meaning 'of the oak grove', dated to 1249 in this header spelling in the Annals Index.

mac Tuathail is a patronymic dated to 1235 in this spelling under Tuathal in the Annals Index.

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**10 Magnus Wolfhunte - Resub Device**

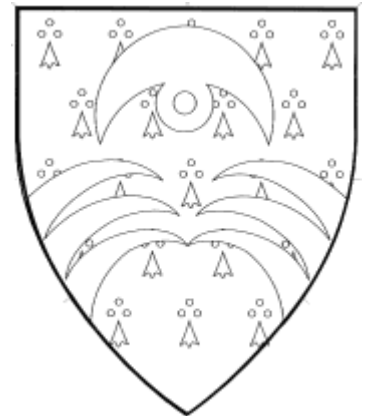
Herald of Record: Mark Vier

*Counter-ermine, a fer-a-loup inverted and issuant from both dexter and sinister three wolf's teeth argent.*

His name was registered in Sep. 2004, via the East. His previous device submission, *Counter-ermine, issuant from both dexter and sinister three wolf's teeth argent*, was returned on the Oct. 2007 LoD for conflict with Isolde de Ely (Dec. 2001 Atlantia): *Per pale vert and sable, three wolf's teeth issuant from dexter and three wolf's teeth issuant from sinister argent*, with just one CD for the field. This submission adds a fer-a-loup to clear this conflict. The return noted that there is an example of arms using wolf's teeth issuant from both sides in Siebmacher, plate 135.

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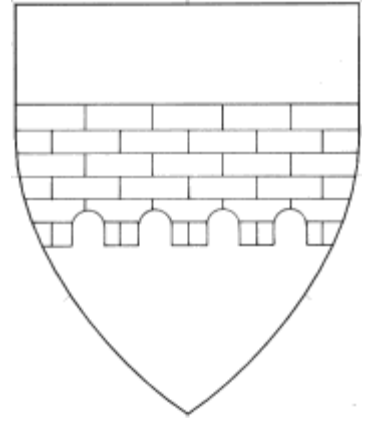
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**11 Margaret of Highbridge** - Resub Device

Herald of Record: Evan, originally

*Gules, a fess embattled enarched on the lower edge Or masoned sable.*

Her name was registered in Jan. 2004, via the East. Her previous device, identical to this one, appeared on the Oct. 2003 Letter of Report, marked as 'forwarded'. It somehow never made it onto a letter of intent to Laurel, however. It has been long enough since the initial decision to forward this that it seemed prudent to put it through the kingdom process again. The previous submission was a resubmission: her first try, *Sable, a "double arched bridge" Or masoned sable*, was returned on the Nov. 2002 LoR for conflict with William of Hoghton (Nov. 1981 West): *Sable, two towers joined by a bridge Or*, and for being not really a heraldic bridge, but more like a fess coupé with two arched holes cut in it. This submission changes the field and the details of the primary charge to clear this conflict.



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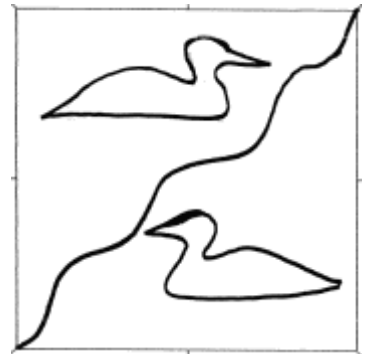
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**12 Roland de Endeward** - Resub Badge

Herald of Record: Brita Mairi Svendsdottir

*Per bend sinister wavy azure and argent, a loon naiant to sinister and a loon naiant, counterchanged.*

This is to be associated with House of the Two Loons, registered in Dec. 2006 via the East (under his holding name). His name was registered in Oct. 2007, via the East. His previous badge submission, *Azure, a bend sinister argent between two loons naiant proper*, was returned on the June 2006 LoD because the loons lacked sufficient contrast with the field. This submission features counterchanged loons to fix this problem.



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**13 Rychyld de Lochabre** (f) - New Name

Herald of Record: Scolastica la souriete

No major changes.

She cares most about meaning: 'Rychyld being variation of Rachel'.

Rychyld is found as a matronymic in R&amp;W p. 377 s.n. Richell: Walter Rychyld 1297, Willelmus filius Richild 1212.

Lochabre is dated to 1309 in Johnston p. 203 s.n. Lochaber.

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**14 Scolastica la souriete** - Resub Badge

Herald of Record: Palotzi Marti

*(Fieldless) A drop spindle sable, threaded ermine.*

Her name was registered in Oct. 2006, via the East. Her previous badge submission of *(Fieldless) A drop spindle sable, threaded argent* was returned on the Nov. 2007 LoAR for conflict with Helva of Saxony (Nov. 1982 Middle): *Vert, a full drop spindle argent*. This submission changes the tincture of the thread (which has been ruled to be the primary tincture of a threaded drop spindle) to clear this conflict.



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**15 Wenthelen of Drakelow (f) - New Name & New Device**

Herald of Record: Scolastica / Lillia

*Gules, a dragon segreant between in chief two drinking horns Or, a chief Or goutty de sang.*

She cares most about sound.

Wenthelen is a feminine name dated to 1411 in R&W p. 475 under Wantling.

Drakelow: Robert Drakelowe is dated to 1397 in R&W p. 141 s.n. Drakeley. Watts p. 194 under Drakelow dates Drakelow(e) to 1310x1330, so the submitted spelling (without the final 'e') should be fine.



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**16 William Lancton (m) - New Name & New Device**

Herald of Record: Esperanza Razzolini d'Asolo

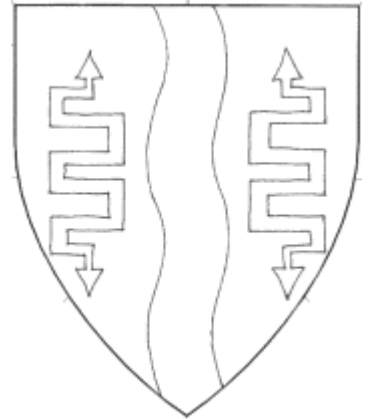
*Per pale azure and gules, a pale wavy between two lightning bolts argent.*

No major changes.

He cares most about sound.

William has been one of the most popular names in England since the 11th c., according to Withycombe. R&W has the patronymics Henry Fitz William 1300 and Thomas William 1307 p. 493 s.n. Williams.

Lancton is dated to 1576 and 1601 according to S. Gabriel report 2655 (<http://www.s-gabriel.org/2655>), citing Bardsley s.n. Langton and Hitching & Hitching.



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