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**Unto Elsbeth Anne Roth, Laurel Queen of Arms,
and other members of the College of Arms
From Reynard des Montaignes, Blue Tyger Herald**

Greetings, learned lords and ladies, and I hope this finds you well.

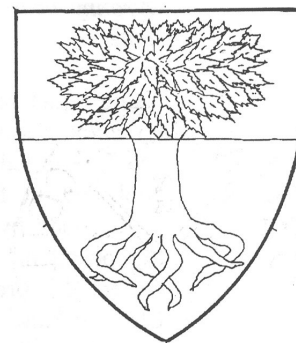
It is the intent of the East Kingdom to register the following names and armory.

There are 7 new names or changes of name and 9 new devices, badges, mon or changes of device, for a total of 16 new submissions. There are 2 resubmitted devices.

1. Arthur Watson (m) new to Laurel name & device

Per fess argent and vert, an oak tree eradicated, roots entwined, counterchanged.

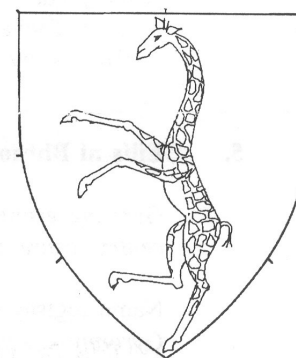
'Arthur' -- Duke of Brittany, 1187-1203. See Withycombe, pp 31-32. Dated to 596 AD. 'Watson' -- Patronymic from "Watt's son". Watt Tyler led the peasants' revolt against Richard II of England. Reaney & Wilson, p. 479, "Richard Watson, 1324". Previous submission, as 'Mordred Watson', was returned in-Kingdom (K6: 2/99).



2. Camille Lyon () new to Laurel device

Gules a cameleopard rampant argent spotted sable.

Name registered in Oct 1998. The standard accepted form is that of a giraffe (PicDic, #85). Previous device was returned in-Kingdom for SCA conflict, which is now clear (K2: 5/98).



3. **Constance de Saint-Denis (f)** **new name & device**

Azure, a unicorn rampant, and on a chief argent three eagles displayed azure.

'Constance' -- Dauzat, pg. 144. 'de' -- "of", French.

'Saint-Denis' -- Dauzat, p. 535.

The closest device was Kylson Skyfire (July 81), *Az. a unicorn ramp arg., crined Or, on a chief arched Or 3 snowflakes az.* There is one CD for the tincture of the chief, and one CD for the type of tertiaries (but only because the submitted device is simple by X.4.j.ii.b).



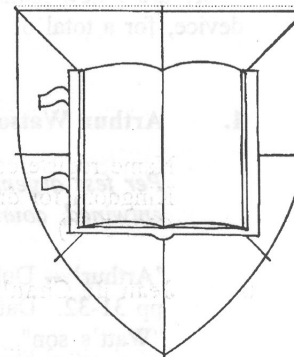
4. **Cormac Longstrider ()** **resub device**

Gyronny azure and argent over all a book Or leathered sable.

Name registered Oct 1998. Previous device submission, *Gyronny azure and argent, an open book argent bound sable,* returned by Laurel for lack of contrast between the book and the field. She wrote: "The effective fimbriation of the book by the sable binding is not sufficient to solve this problem." Tincture of the book was changed to *Or* to correct this problem.

Clear of Katrina Silvermaker, *Gyr. az. & arg. a pegasus sal. wings displayed & a chief Or* by 2 CD (difference of primary charge type and addition of secondary charge).

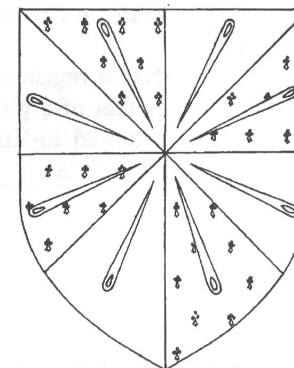
Clear of Richard of the Isle, *Gyr. az & arg. on a pomme an anchor Or* by X.2.



5. **Eilís ní Bhraonáin ()** **new to Laurel device**

Gyronny ermine and azure, eight sewing needles, points to center, azure and argent.

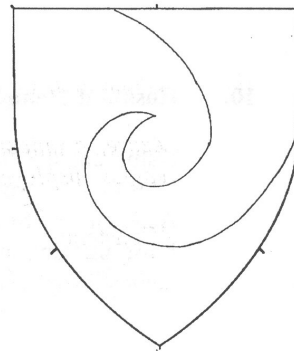
Name registered in Aug 1998. Previous device submission, *Gyronny ermine and azure* was returned in-Kingdom for conflict with Peter Byron Fletcher, *Gyronny azure and argent scaly sable,* which is now clear (K1: 2/98).



6. **Einar Ulfson (m)** **new to Laurel name & device**

Sable a schnecke issuant from sinister argent.

'Einar' -- Icelandic from Greenland Saga/Erik Saga.
'Ulfson' -- Icelandic - from Greenland Saga/Erik Saga.
The Vineland Sagas, Magnus Magnusson & Hermann
Palsson, Penguin Books, pp 106-107. The heraldic charge
is from The Art of Heraldry, Fox-Davies, Plate IX, p. 61
(62 in my copy), no. 83. "A snail reversed ... issuing from
the sinister" is Fox-Davies' literal translation of the German
blazon. Previous submission, as 'Ivan Rogov', was
returned in Kingdom (K2: 5/99).



7. **Guillaine Rosalind de Gaulle ()** **new to Laurel device**

Argent, a dexter tierce gules and a horse rampant sable.

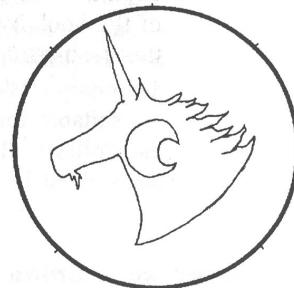
Name registered Oct 1998. The device was returned in-
Kingdom for drawing problems, which have been corrected
(K2: 5/98).



8. **Jean de Chauliac ()** **new badge**

*Sable, on a unicorn head couped argent a decrescent
purpure.*

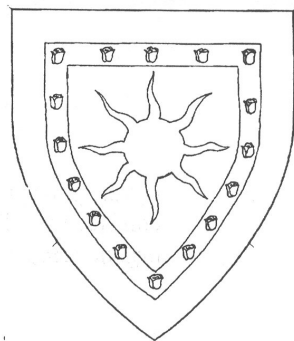
Name registered in Dec 1992. This badge uses elements
from his device, registered 8/98.



9. **Raffaella di Napoli (f)** **new name & device**

*Sable a sun argent within an orle argent semy of roses
gules.*

'Raffaella' -- Nomi d'Italia, Felice, Volume 3, p 86, I nomi
degli Italiani, Fuentes / Cattabiani, p 366. Cognomi
d'Italia, Felice, Volume 1, p. 231 (PCA).



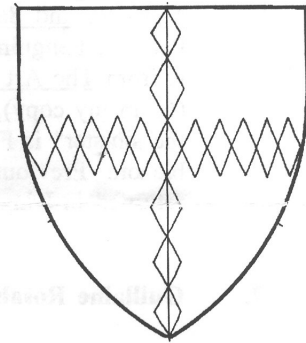
10. Rosalind Bennett (f) new name change

Name change from 'Rosalind de Witte', registered 6/86. 'Rosalind' -- spelling change only. 'Bennett' -- 1531 -- Academy of St. Gabriel -- English names from pre-1600 brass inscriptions www.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/brasses/lastnameAB.html

11. Rose Otter () resub device

Per pale argent and azure, a cross fusilly counterchanged.

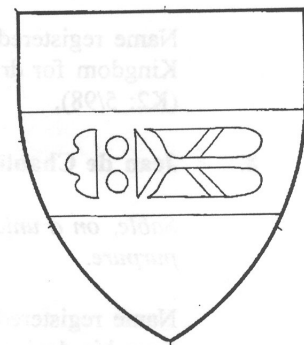
Name was registered in May 1998. Her previous submission, *Argent, a cross fusilly azure*, was returned by Laurel for conflict with the flag of Finland *Argent, a cross a azure*, which is now clear.



12. Tahira bint Ibrahim al-Ixbily new name & device

Sable, on a fess argent a pen-box azure.

'Tahira' -- feminine form of Tahir, "chaste". 'Bint Ibrahim' -- daughter of Ibrahim (Abraham). 'Ax-Ixbilyi' -- of Seville (Ixbilyi = Arabic for Seville), all probably from a dictionary. We were unable to confirm that the elements are suitable for a name and ask for help from the experts in the College. The depiction of the pen box is similar to the form given in the [PicDic](#) (#559).



In service to Crown and College,

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