

October 2024

East Kingdom

Internal Letter of Decision

East ILol dated 9/8/2024

To the most noble members of the East Kingdom College of Heraldry, greetings! You will find below the decisions rendered on the submissions for the Internal Letter of Intent issued on 9/8/2024.

Many thanks to the following commenters who provided assistance this month:
Alys Ogress, Fenneke Jans, Gunnvor Orle, Iago Wreath, Jeanne Marie Palimpsest, Juetta Copin, Lilie Dubh inghean ui Mordha, Mathghamhain Seahorse, and Sigbjörg Kaladóttir in fróða.

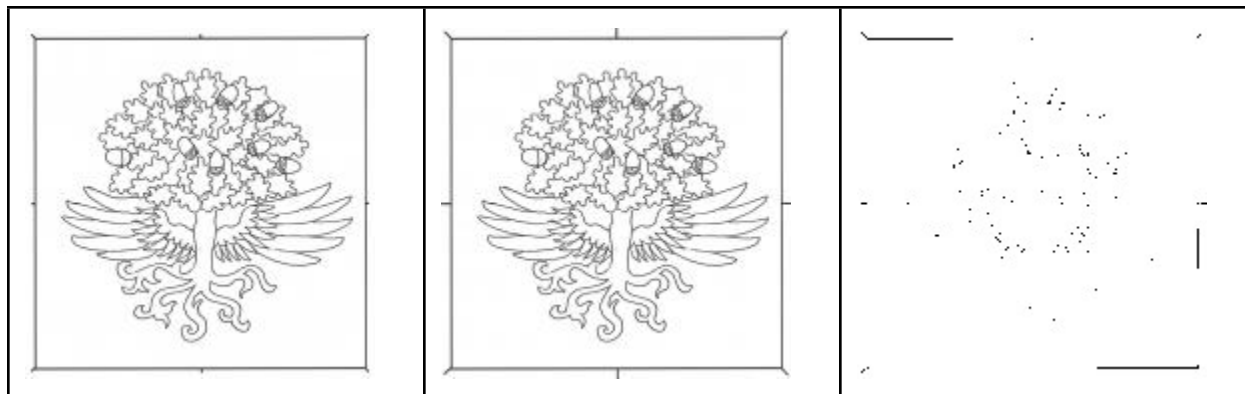
We also thank the attendees of the decision meeting:
Anéžka Pantheon, Eva Mosaic, Fenneke Jans, Jeanne Marie Palimpsest, Mathghamhain Seahorse, Nest Crane, and Ysabel Diademe.

Your commentary and insights are always greatly appreciated.

Letter Items:

1: Albreda Aylese

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	(Fieldless) A winged oak tree eradicated argent	Forwarded



Notes:

2: Ariadne of the Valley

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Ariadne of the Valley	Forwarded

Submitter has no preference about the gender of the name.
Meaning ('of the Valley') most important.

Ariadne is a figure found in Greek mythology found in English literature. Such names are registerable as literary names [Fiora di Selene, 05/2015, A-Æthelmearc]. It is found in "The Excellent Historye Of Theseus and Ariadne" by Thomas Underdown published in 1566. found in Google Books

https://www.google.com/books/edition/The_Excellent_Historye_Of_Theseus_and_Ar/rpyxzQEA_CAAJ?hl=en. **Ariadne** is also found in The workes of Geffray Chaucer, etc published 1542, <<https://books.google.com/books?id=hVxpAAAAcAAJ>>.

of the Valley is the LS form for the name found in Reaney and Wilson s.n. Vale, Vail, Vaile: "Wido de la Val 1190 P (Nth); Robert del Val 1221 AssWa" R&W indicates the meaning as 'Dweller in the valley'.

Notes:

3: Asa Danskona

Action	Description	Decision
New Device	Azure, a bear sejant erect affronty within an orle argent	Forwarded

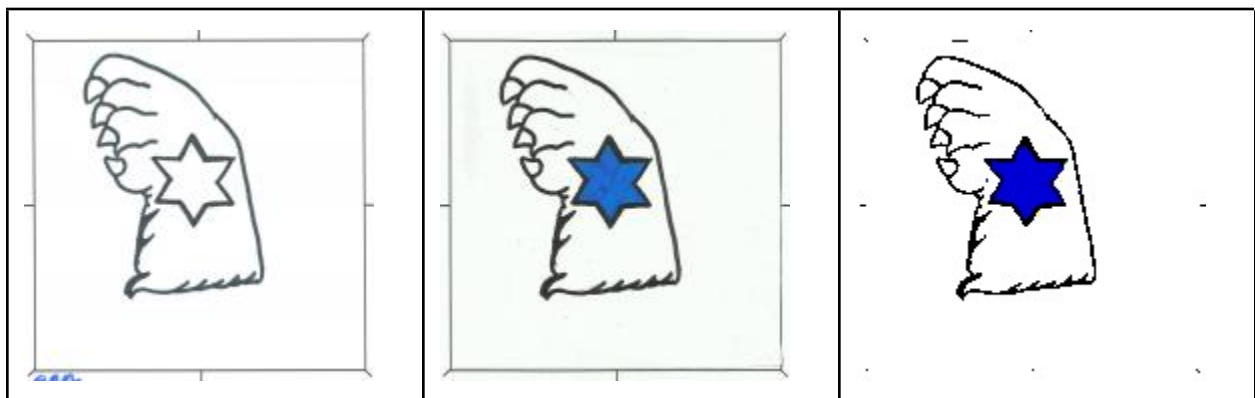


There is a step from core practice for the use of a non-lion quadruped in the sejant erect affronty posture. Sejant affronty is not an allowed posture for quadrupeds as of the January 2018 CL. 'Sejant erect affronty' would be allowed with an SFCP.

Notes:

4: Asa Danskona

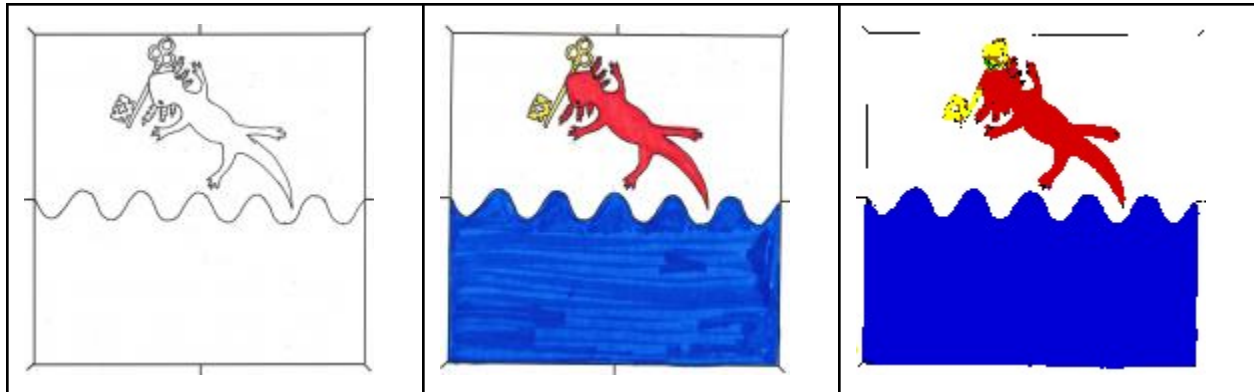
Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	(Fieldless) A bear's jambe argent charged with a mullet of six points azure	Forwarded



Notes:

5: Bridei the Blue

Action	Description	Decision
New Name Change	Bridei the Blue	Forwarded
New Badge	Per fess wavy argent and azure, an axolotl tergiant bendwise guess, maintaining in its mouth a key Or	Returned



Old Item: *Eufemme de Alba Marlia*, to be released.
 Submitter desires a masculine name.
 Language/Culture (pre-Roman Pictish) most important.

Bridei is found as a masculine given name in "A Consideration of Pictish Names" by Tangwystyl verch Morgant Glasvryn <<https://www.s-gabriel.org/names/tangwystyl/pictnames/>> - among others, it's the name of a 6th century king.

the Blue is intended as an extension of a descriptive byname pattern, possibly referring to blue/black hair, using the Lingua Societatis allowance: "A Consideration of Pictish Names" by Tangwystyl verch Morgant Glasvryn <https://www.s-gabriel.org/names/tangwystyl/pictnames/pict3_4.html#section3> includes some examples of descriptive bynames: "Ueda" as perhaps meaning "knowing" Diuberr "rich", Morbet "mor" seems to be "great, large" but the rest is unknown.

We request the assistance of the College in finding additional support for this pattern.

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Juliana Siren says: This is the first registration of an axolotl. Carolyn Tate in her article "The Axolotl as Food and Symbol in the Basin of Mexico, from 1200 BC to today" (from Academia.edu, published in J.E. Staller and M.D. Carrasco (eds.), Pre-Columbian Foodways: Interdisciplinary Approaches to Food, Culture, and Markets in Ancient Mesoamerica, DOI

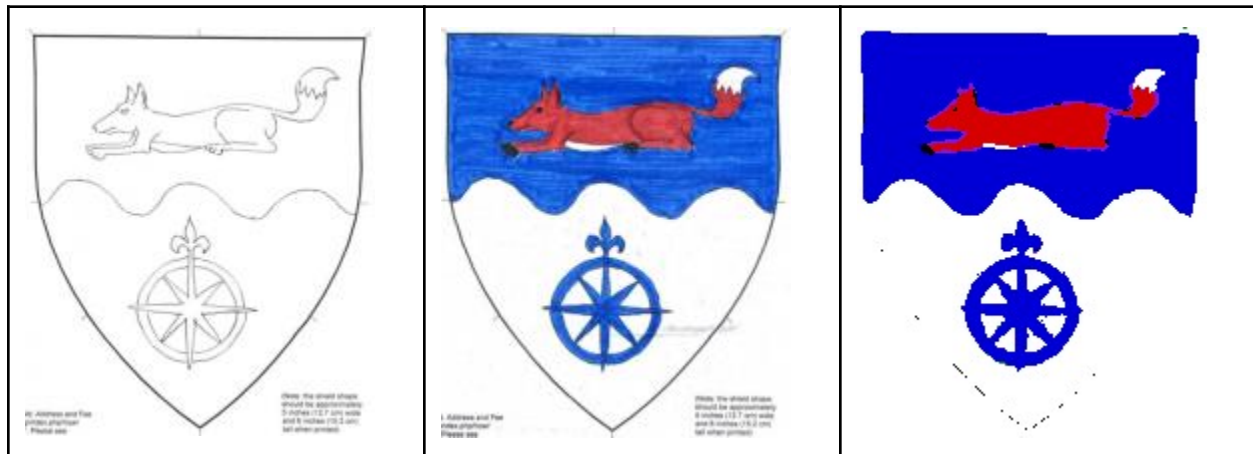
10.1007/978-1-4419-0471-3_21, © Springer Science+Business Media, LLC says that: - axolotl as a term and with a description of the creature is found in Bernardino de Sahagun's Florentine Codex, written in the sixteenth century, though not published until later - another book published by Francisco Ximénez/Jiménez) described them vaguely in 1615 on the basis of an earlier unpublished study The article is attached; the relevant information is on p. 515. Information about axolotl's in Aztec myth is on p. 518. The other information is nifty but a little exploratory.

Notes:

This badge must be returned for violation of SENA Appendix I5: “Maintained charges must have good contrast with the field”. The maintained Or key lies entirely on the argent section of the field. As Or and argent are both metals, this does not provide good contrast as per SENA A3B2.

6: Cezilia Raposa

Action	Description	Decision
New Device	Per fess wavy azure and argent, a fox couchant, head lowered, and a compass rose countercharged	Returned



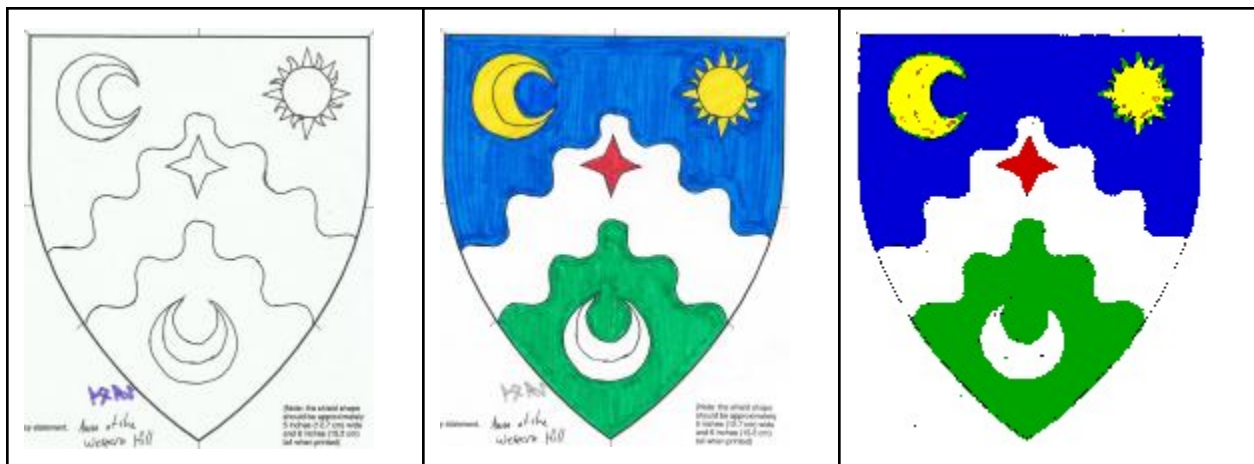
Notes:

This device must be returned for violation of SENA A3B4a: “Charges must have good contrast with the background on which they are placed.” The gules (red) fox is entirely on the azure (blue) section of the field. As both gules and azure are colors, this does not provide good contrast as per SENA A3B2.

It is noted that the blazon submitted with the device states that the fox is counterchanged. This would mean that the fox should be entirely *argent*, while the device art submitted has the fox colored proper. As we register the picture, not its description, the decision above has been made on what was depicted in the art.

7: Columm mac Cinnéittigh

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Columm mac Cinnéittigh	Forwarded
New Device	Per chevron azure and vert, on a chevron wavy argent between a descrescent and a sun Or and a crescent argent, a mullet of four points gules	Returned



Submitter desires a masculine name.

Meaning (first name associated with birds, surname meaning bruised or lumpy head) most important.

Columm is found in The Martyrology of Donegal

<<https://archive.org/details/martyrologydone00reevgoog>> saint's name 29 September p. 381. The table does have several references to saint's named Columm. The one cited is discussed on p. 263, "Columm. This may be Colum Toma, who is of the race of Laeghaire, son of Niall."

mac Cinnéittigh is found in Oxford Dictionary of Family Names of Ireland, header form Kennedy, Mughron mac Cinnéittigh, dated to 915, p. 354. "Index of Names in Irish Annals", <<https://medievalscotland.org/kmo/AnnalsIndex>>, by Mari Elspeth nic Bryan (s.n. Brian) has Brian, mac Cinneittigh (M999.10 and M1005.7), Brian, mac Cinneittigh, mic Lorcáin, lá rígh Ereann (M1013.11), and Brian, mac Cinnéittigh (M1005.7). The patronymic is also found under

Marcán with Marcán, mac Cinnéittigh, cend cléireach Mumhan (M1009.8). The given name can be documented from the same source, s.n. Columb, which lists Columnm Ua h-Anradháin, airchinneach Rossa Ailithir (M1096.3). All of the citations are from the same Annals (B).

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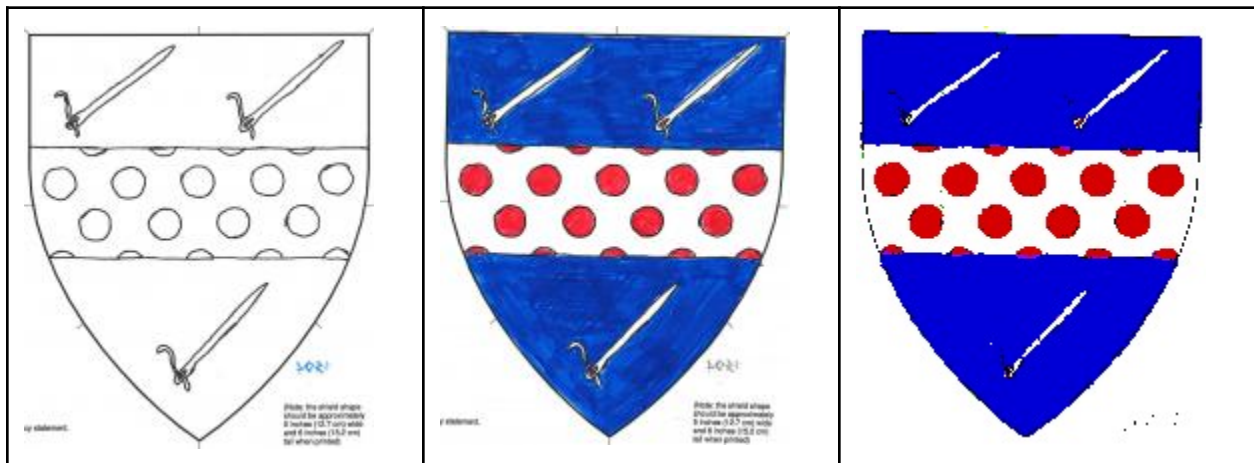
This device is returned for violation of SENA A3E2, which states:

“We require that any submission not exceed a certain “complexity count”, measured by adding the number of types of charges to the number of tinctures. Items with a complexity count of eight or less receive no penalty for complexity from this rule...An item with a complexity count of nine or higher that follows a period pattern of charges and tinctures may be registered, but may need to be documented as an Individually Attested Pattern.”

The device has a complexity count of 9 with 5 tinctures and 4 charges. Therefore, without an IAP, this device must be returned.

8: Diamante Orefici

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Diamante Orefici	Forwarded
New Device	Azure, a fess argent semy of torteaux between three threaded needles inverted bendwise sinister argent	Forwarded



Submitter has no preference about the gender of the name.
 The following changes are allowed: Spelling

Diamante is an Italian given name found in "Feminine Given Names from the Online Catasto of Florence of 1427 by Arval Benicoeur (Josh Mittleman)"

(<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/arval/catasto/> -"LIST OF GIVEN NAMES (NAME1) FOUND IN THE TRE MAGGIORI" <<http://www.stg.brown.edu/projects/tratte/doc/name1.html>> without a date given and "A sample of Jewish names in Milan 1540-1570 Compiled by Yehoshua ben Haim haYerushalmi (MKA Zachary Kessin)" <http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/Jewish/milan_names.html>.

Orefici is found in Occupations from Renaissance Florence by Julia Smith <<https://medievalscotland.org/jes/FlorenceOccupations.shtml>>. The expected family name form would end with an -i instead of an -e.

Notes:

9: Digr-Skiði skilpadde

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Digr-Skiði skilpadde	Forwarded

Submitter desires a masculine name.

Meaning (byname(s) meaning "chubby turtle") most important.

Digr- is a prepended byname meaning "Stout-, Fat-" found in "Viking Bynames found in the Landnámabók" by Aryanhwy merch Catmael.

<https://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/norse/vikbynames.html>

Skiði is a masculine given name with 4-5 recorded instances, from "Viking Names found in Landnámabók" by Aryanhwy merch Catmael:

<https://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/norse/landnamabok.html>

skilpadde is the Norwegian word for turtle per Cambridge Dictionary:

<<https://dictionary.cambridge.org/dictionary/english-norwegian/turtle>>. There is a pattern in Old Norse of using the names of animals as bynames, per "Viking Bynames found in the Landnámabók" by Aryanhwy merch Catmael. We ask for the assistance of the College in finding the Old Norse word for "turtle."

Per SENA Appendix A, in Old Norse, "A name using two non-patronymic bynames in Old Norse is registerable so long as the bynames could reasonably be used to simultaneously describe the same person."

Notes:

Kingdom commentary attempted to source an Old Norse or Scandinavian language word for “turtle” or “tortoise” temporally compatible with the rest of the name, but was unable to do so. However, two temporally compatible words from Old German were found, and German is both compatible with Old Norse and has evidence of a similar pattern of byname. This option was offered to the submitter, who has chosen to not make any changes at this time.

10: Dionisia Ucelli

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Dionisia Ucelli	Forwarded

Submitter desires a feminine name.

The following changes are allowed: byname can be changed, submitter would like no changes to given name

Meaning (byname related to birds) most important.

Dyonisia is found in DMNES sn. Denise, this spelling is found in France in Latin contexts dated 1270 <<https://dmnes.org/name/Denise>>. "Previous precedent allows us to swap the letters i and y in French, giving us the plausible spelling Lyra" [Lyra Fiammetta Caravaggio, 07/2023, A-Ansteorra]

Ucelli is a family name found in Juliana de Luna's "Masculine Names from Thirteenth Century Pisa" <<http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/juliana/pisa/pisa-bynames-alpha.html>>.

Notes:

11: Ealdraed Tawyer

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Ealdraed Tawyer	Forwarded
New Device	Azure, a Bowen knot crosswise argent between three lynx heads caboshed Or	Forwarded



Ealdraed is a 10th Century English given name, as referenced from Ealdraed II of Bamburgh (b. 998 - d. 1038) from Northumberland, made Earl of Bernicia in 1025

<<https://myfamilysearch.net/getperson.php?personID=I6089&tree=2005217a>>

Tawyer is an 13th Century English occupational byname for one who prepares white leather, as found in The Oxford Dictionary of English Surnames, p.440, under the heading Tawyer: Ralph le Tawyer in 1275 and Martin le Tauier in 1300.

Notes:

12: Eamon Robert Moore

Action	Description	Decision
New Name Change	Eamon Robert Moore	Forwarded
New Device Change	Or mulletty of four points, a scorpion bendwise sinister head to base sable	Forwarded



Old Item: *Edmund Robert von Freiburg*, to be released.

Submitter desires a masculine name.

The following changes are allowed: small changes to spelling as long as sound is preserved

Sound (/AY-mon ROB-ert MORE/) most important.

Eamon is the submitter's legal given name as seen on his New York driver's license as attested by Elisabetta Pelican and Calamus Schreiber. The other elements of the submitter's legal name do not at all resemble the other elements in this submission.

Robert is a masculine Early Modern English given name dated from 1482 through the end of our period at DMNES, s.n. Robert, under the England, Early Modern English subheader.

<<https://dmnes.org/name/Robert>>

Moore is an English surname with 4 instances dated to 1495 in "English Names found in Brass Enscriptions" by Julian Goodwyn <<https://heraldry.sca.org/names/brasses/lastnameIz.htm#M>>.

The pattern of two English given names with one surname is found in SENA Appendix A.

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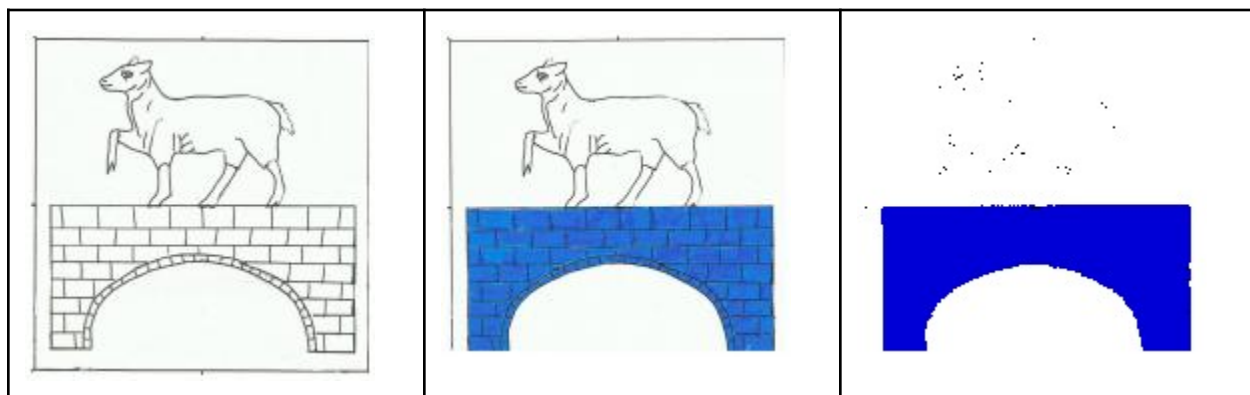
Old Item: *Argent, a dragon segreant sable and a base rayonny gules.*, to be released.

Notes:

13: Fenneke Jans

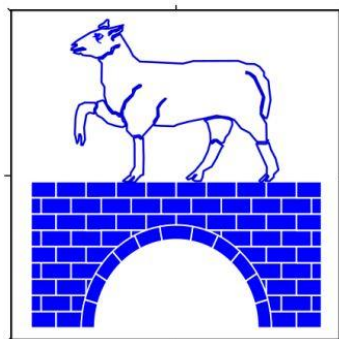
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New Badge	(Fieldless) A sheep passant argent atop a single arched bridge azure	Forwarded
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Notes:

The original Pennsic color snip depicted the bridge from the edge of the snip and the snip did not contain the badge outline; the submitter chose to submit a new rendering to fix the above issues.



14: Genevieve of Lochleven

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Genevieve of Lochleven	Forwarded
New Device	Gules, a pegasus courant argent, in chief a rainbow proper clouded argent	Forwarded



Submitter desires a feminine name.

The following changes are allowed: Minor changes - keep sound

Sound (Wants it to sound like Gen-e-veeve of Lockleven) most important.

Genevieve is a feminine French and English name found in Withycombe, s.n. Genevieve, dates St. Geneviève as born in C422 at Nanterre and as the patron saint of Paris. This allows the name to be used from 422 forward. Aryanwhy verch Catmael's DMNES <<https://dmnes.org/2019/1/name/Genevieve>> s.n. Genevieve says the name can be found in both France and England.

Lochleven is found in Johnson's Place-Names of Scotland, sn. Leven which gives Lochlewyn 1145, Lohuleuene 1156, and later shows 1238 Levyne, 1370 Lewyne. Client prefers the more modern spelling to go with the mid 15th century English/Scottish. Lochlevin can be found online in a 1560 document spelled as Lochlevin <<http://www.electricscotland.com/history/articles/deed.htm>>. If the spelling *Lochleven* can be justified, the submitter would prefer it.

Notes:

15: Girsell MacLeoid

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	Sable, five chalices in fess and in base an open book Or, a chief wavy barry wavy gules and argent	Forwarded



Notes:

Submitted with a requested association to *Teaglach Sinte*, this household name is not registered or in the process of registration. The association has been dropped to allow the forwarding of the badge.

16: Grayson Bales

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Grayson Bales	Forwarded
New Device	Per fess wavy argent and vert, a sun azure and in saltire an arrow and a sword points to chief Or	Withdrawn



Submitter desires a masculine name.
Sound most important.

Meaning most important.

Grayson is an English given name taken from the same byname as found in the Dictionary of American Family Names, 2nd edition:

1. English (northern): variant of Graveson, 'son of the steward, farm bailiff, or village headman.' From the North Midlands through Yorkshire to the north-west, the source is Middle English grayve, grayve, greve, a borrowing of the Old Norse greifi 'earl, count' (see Grave). In Durham and Northumberland the source is Middle English greve, from Old (Northumbrian) English græfa with the same meaning (see Grieve).

2. English: possibly a habitational name from Greysouthen (Cumbria), recorded as Graystone in 1505

Bales is an 16th century English byname as found in the Oxford Dictionary of English Surnames by Hanks and Hodges (p.24) under the heading "Bail" and notes William a Bales in 1537.

Notes:

The submitter has withdrawn this device as of September 17th.

17: Helena von Halsstern

Action	Description	Decision
New Name Change	Helena von Halsstern	Forwarded

Old Item: *Helena Osterholm*, to be released.

Helena is already registered to the submitter.

von Halsstern is the registered byname of her legal brother, Manfred Albrecht von Halsstern. Attestation is attached.

Notes:

18: Helias Lakaina

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Helias Lakaina	Forwarded

Submitter desires a feminine name.
No changes.

Helias is a feminine Ancient Greek name found in the LGPN s.v. Helias dated to the imperial period.

Lakaina is a Greek locative byname meaning 'woman from Laconia' found in LSJ s.v. Lakaina.

Notes:

19: Hróðgeirr mjòksiglandi

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Hróðgeirr mjòksiglandi	Forwarded

The following changes are allowed: Spelling of mjòksiglandi (willing to exchange the ϱ in mjòksiglandi for a regular o if there is a technical or database reason the ϱ cannot be registered) Sound (Spelling of mjòksiglandi) most important.

Hróðgeirr: Geirr Bassi, p. 11, 2nd column. Hróðgeirr, 3 instances.

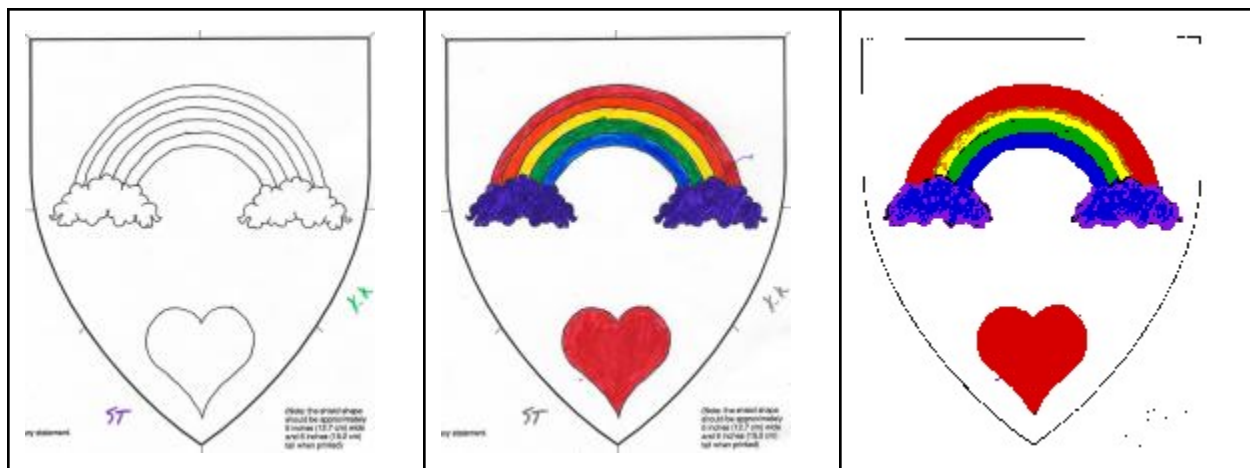
Mjòksiglandi: Geirr Bassi, p. 26, 1st column. Mjòksiglandi, 3 instances. Lowercase is correct for a Norse byname.

Notes:

20: Indigo Daugherty

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Indigo Daugherty	Forwarded

New Device	Argent, a natural rainbow proper clouded purpure, in base a heart gules	Forwarded
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The following changes are allowed: Intermediate changes to surname Spelling (Indigo is most important) most important.

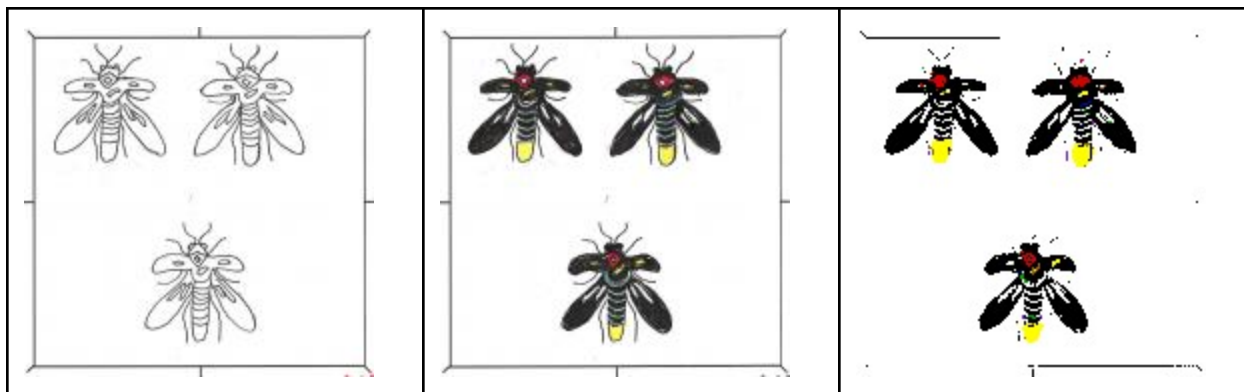
Indigo is an English given name dated 1598-9 in DMNES, s.n. Indigo <<https://dmnes.org/name/Indigo>>.

Daugherty is a Manx surname found in FamilySearch, dated to 1625: Tho. Bittle and Avrick Daugherty, marriage, 23 Oct 1625, Jurby, Isle of Man, batch M03806-1 <<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NKDW-NH3>>.

Notes:

21: Jacob the Wanderer

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	Argent, three fireflies sable tailed Or	Forwarded



This submission is to be associated with *House of Serenity*

Notes:

The original submission was returned on the March 2024 LoAR:

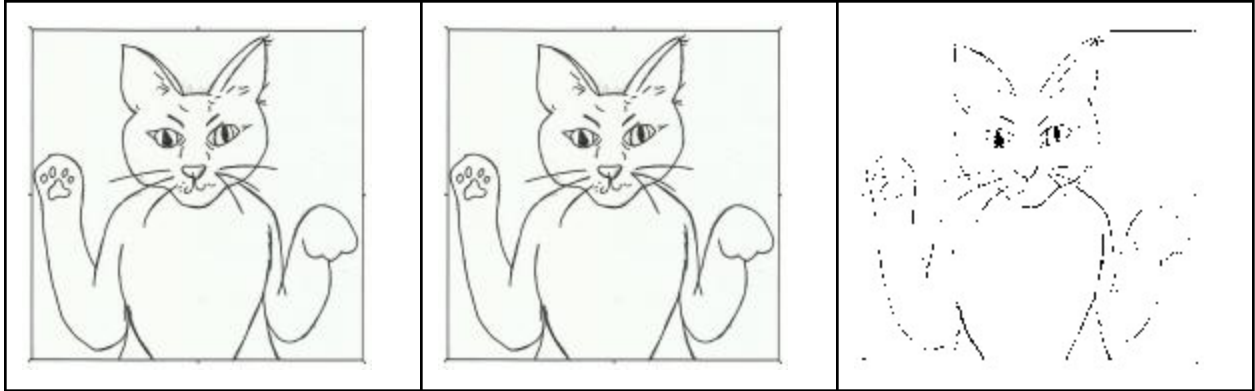
“This badge is returned for conflict with the badge of Eryl the beehyrde, *Or, a bee sable*. There is a DC for fieldlessness, but no difference between a firefly and a bee, and none for changing the tincture of just the tip of the tail.” [Jacob the Wanderer, 03/2024, R-East]

This clears the above conflict with a change to primary charge count.

Submitted with a requested association to *House of Serenity*, this household name was returned on the March 2024 LoAR and no resubmission is in progress or submitted with this badge. The association has been dropped to allow the forwarding of the badge.

22: Judith le Alefondere

Action	Description	Decision
Resub Badge	(Fieldless) A domestic demi-cat sejant affronty dexter forepaw raised argent	Forwarded



The submitter's previous submission, *(Fieldless) A domestic cat sejant affronty, dexter forepaw raised, argent* was returned on the November 2023 LoD:

This badge is returned for conflict with the badge of Khaalid al-Jaraad: *(Fieldless) A cat sejant erect affronty argent*. There is one DC for fieldlessness, but none for the raised forepaw, as SENA A5G7a is explicit that the change in position of a head or tail, or of a single leg, is not sufficient to count as a distinct change

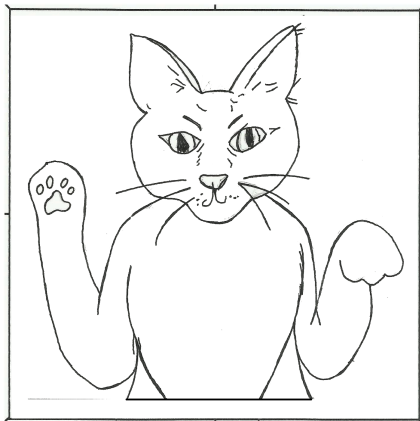
The submitter believes this resolves the conflict.

Notes:

This resolves the conflict by changing the type of primary charge.

The original art depicted the demi-cat issuant from the edge of the badge, running afoul of existing precedent: "This badge is pended to redraw the acorn's slip so that it is no longer issuant from the edge of the non-existent field." [Eleanor Bywater, 09/2021, P-Atlantia].

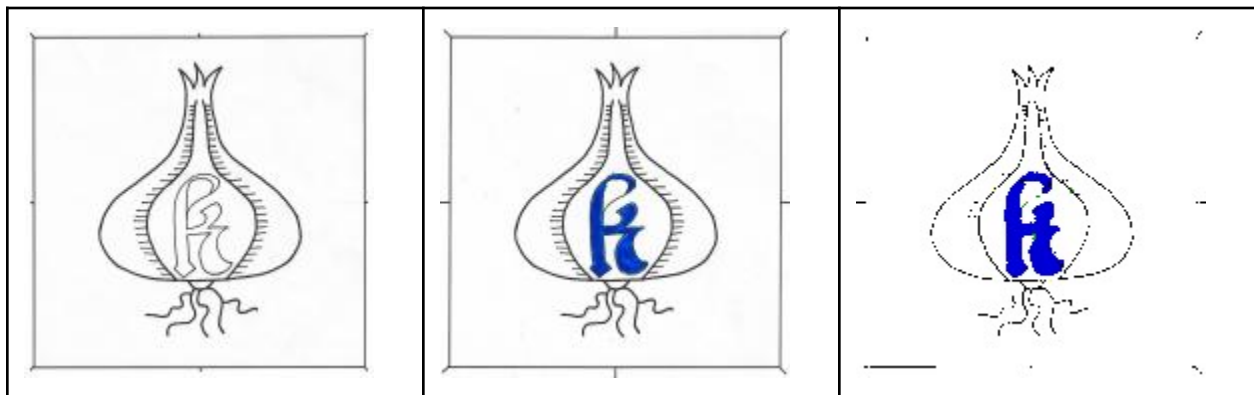
New art was provided in commentary by Gunnvor Orle with the demi-cat in the middle of the badge and has subsequently been approved by the submitter.



A non-lion quadruped in an sejant erect affronty posture is a step from core practice (SFCP) per SENA Appendix FP3a.

23: Keziah Planchet

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	(Fieldless) On a bulb of garlic argent, a bâtarde capital K azure	Forwarded



Notes:

24: Kibar the Khazar

Action	Description	Decision
New Device	Per bend sable and azure estencelly Or, in sinister canton a sunflower proper	Forwarded



Notes:

25: Marion Hawthorne

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Marion Hawthorne	Forwarded
New Device	Per chevron inverted purpure and vert, an owl rising gardant wings addorsed and elevated and two hawthorn flowers argent	Forwarded



Submitter desires a feminine name.

Spelling (Marion spelled with an o is important. Would prefer to keep e at the end of the byname) most important.

Marion is found as a given name in Family Search Historical Records:

Marion Adams, female, christened on 19 Nov 1587 in Cambridge, England Batch #P01173-1 <<https://familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:N5WK-NH1>>
 Marion Phezey married on 3 February, 1588, at London (Batch #: M000804)

Marion Ouldcorn married on 22 December, 1584, at Cambridge in Cambridgeshire (Batch #: M130481)

Hawthorne is documented from "A Dictionary of English and Welsh Surnames" by Bardsley, pg 367 'Walter Hawthorne married 1597: St. Jas. Clerkenwell iii,21 and John Hawthorne 1626 Marriage Lic. (London) ii, 167.

Notes:

26: Medbh Fhionn

Action	Description	Decision
Resub Device	Azure, in pale a crescent and a rowan tree argent	Forwarded



The submitter's previous device submission, *Azure, in pale a crescent and an open book argent*, was returned on the September 2023 LoD:

This device is returned for conflict with the device of Ursula von Freiburg, *Azure, in pale a brock statant and an open book argent*. There is one DC for changing the type of half the primary charge group (A5G4).

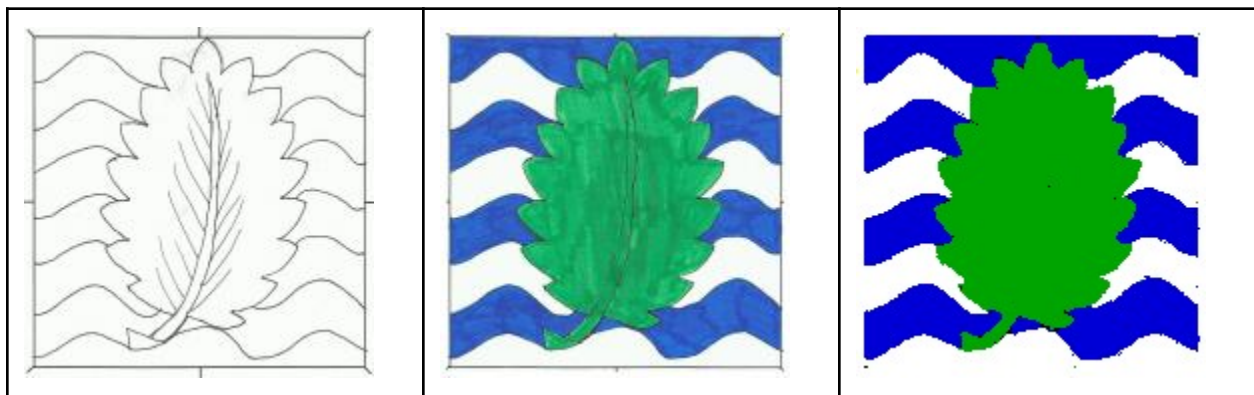
The submitter believes this resolves the conflict.

Notes:

This clears the conflict by changing the type of the whole primary group.

27: Muirgel Bera

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	Barry wavy azure and argent, a nettle leaf vert	Forwarded



Notes:

Kingdom commentary discussed the classification of a nettle leaf in terms of conflict and if it was considered leaf-shaped, defined as "oval or pointed oval, may or may not have serrated edges" per SENA Appendix M1j. If so, this would clear any noted potential conflicts found at Kingdom. We forward this for Wreath's consideration.

28: Phoenix Faustus

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Phoenix Faustus	Forwarded

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Old Item: *Elizabeth Phoenix*, to be released.
 Submitter has no preference about the gender of the name.
 Sound (Faust-us) most important.

Phoenix is an English surname found in FamilySearch (documentation copied from submitter's prior registration):

Richard Phoenix; Male; Christening; 20 Dec 1607; Saint Edmunds, Salisbury, Wiltshire, England; Batch: C15349-1
 Brigett Phoenix; Female; Christening; 03 Sep 1609; Saint Dunstan, Stepney, London, England; Batch: C05576-5

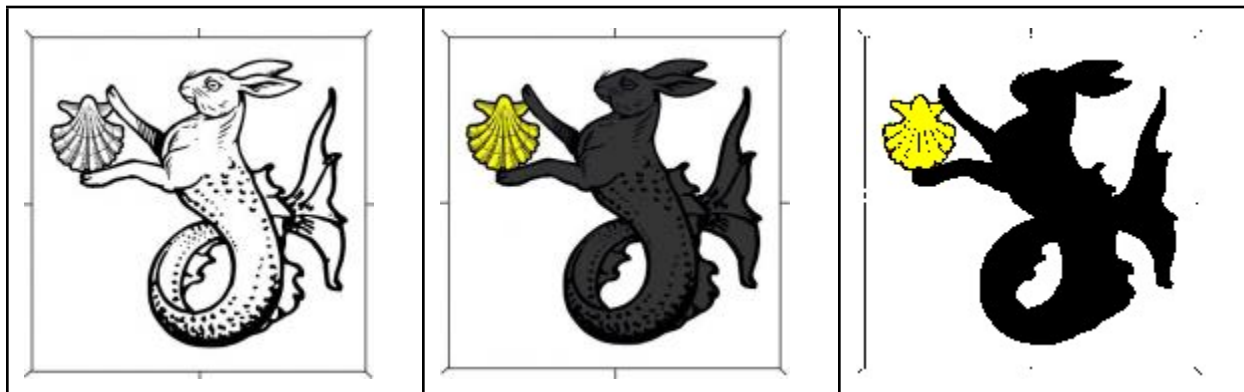
Late period English surnames can be used as given names [Alton of Grimfells, April 2010, A-East].

Faustus is an English surname found in FamilySearch: John Faustus, marriage, 2 Feb 1645, Kidderminster, Worcestershire, England, batch M04395-3.

Notes:

29: Sabido Vieyra

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	(Fieldless) a sea-rabbit sable maintaining an escallop Or	Forwarded



The submitter's name submission is currently on the East 2024-08-15 iLol.

Notes:

The submitter's name was forwarded on the September 30th xLol as Santiago Vieyra.

30: Selene Lakaina

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Selene Lakaina	Forwarded

Submitter desires a feminine name.

Language/Culture (Ancient Greek (first century BCE, CE)) most important.

Selene: Σελήνη (transliterated normally as *Selene*) appears with 8 instances across 3 volumes in the LGPN database online; dates are between 1st c. AD and 446 AD.

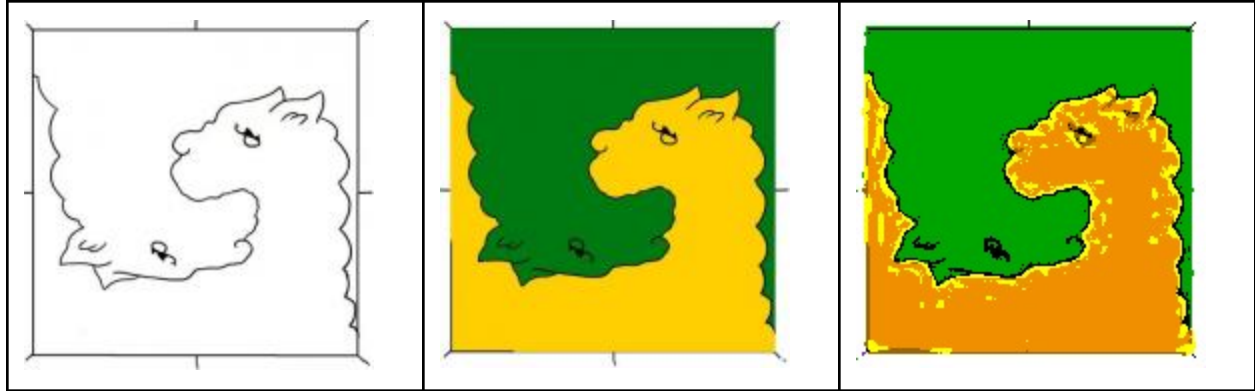
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Lakaina is a Greek locative byname meaning 'woman from Laconia' found in LSJ s.v. Lakaina.

Notes:

31: Sisuile Butler

Action	Description	Decision
Resub Badge	Ounces-cut vert and Or	Forwarded

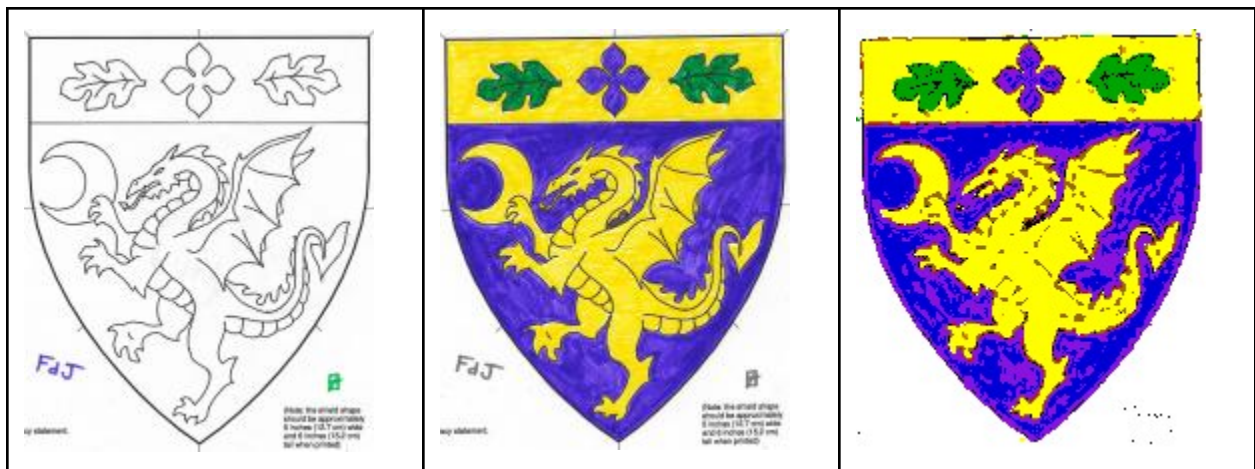


Notes:

Kingdom commentary brought up two potential conflicts against other beast-cut requiring a DC from the type to clear. As the January 2024 Cover Letter states: "We also decline to rule at this time on what difference would be counted between these motifs using different animal's heads", we forward this badge for Wreath's consideration.

32: Solvarr Draconis

Action	Description	Decision
Resub Device	Purple, a dragon rampant maintaining an increscent and on a chief Or a quatrefoil purple between two oak leaves fesswise stems to center vert	Forwarded



The submitters previous submission was returned on the October 2023 LoD due to having a complexity of 9. This replaces a plate with an Or increscent, reducing the complexity count by 1.

Notes:

33: Thomas Long Shadow of Northpass

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Thomas Long Shadow of Northpass	Forwarded

The following changes are allowed: willing to drop the name element longshadow
Spelling (keeping Thomas as spelt and of Northpass) most important.

Thomas is a popular masculine name in England following the Norman Conquest (Reaney and Wilson, s.n. Thomas). DMNES s.n. Thomas, dates the name in this spelling to (England, Early Modern English) to 1548 (amongst many dates).

Long: English surnames can be used as given names if attested after 1550. This is from FamilySearch Robert Long, bapt. 1559, London, England, batch P00146-1, <<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JMGT-YR4>> works.

Shadow: English surname found in FamilySearch: Edwardus Shadow, 18 Jun 1543, Stevenage, Hertfordshire, England, batch C04890-2 <<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:NRZB-GXN>>

Double given names and double bynames in English are a pattern found in Early Modern English, per App A of SENA.

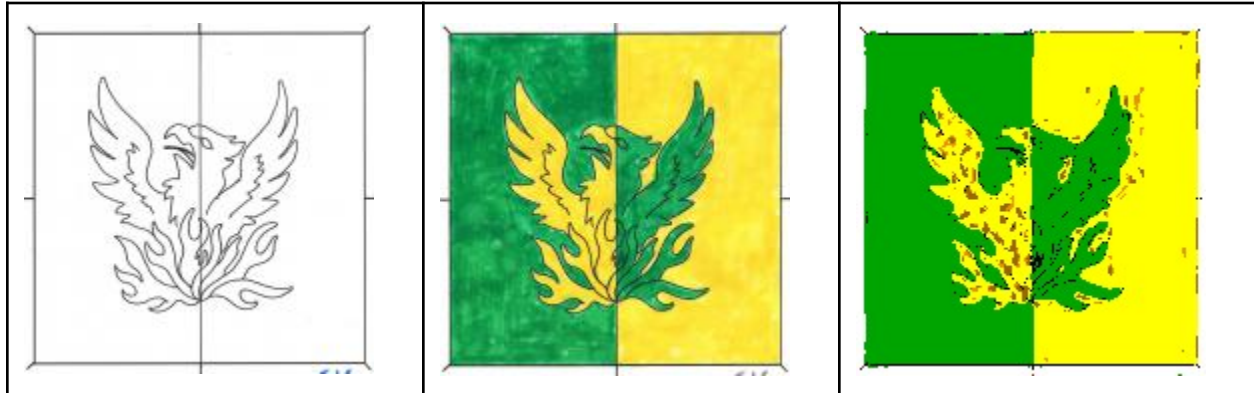
of Northpass: Branch Name Allowance, registered in May 1985 via East.

The submitter would prefer "Longshadow" as a compound byname if it can be documented. The submitter will accept Thomas of Northpass if necessary for registration.

Notes:

34: Thomas mac Bryan

Action	Description	Decision
New Badge	Per pale vert and or, a phoenix counterchanged	Forwarded



Notes:

Submitted under the name Thomas mac Bryan, this name was returned on the April 2012 LoAR. As a holding name, Thomas of Bhakail, was registered on the same letter instead, this badge will be forwarded under that name.

35: Tukana Kerameja

Action	Description	Decision
Resub Name Change	Tukana Kerameja	Forwarded

Old Item: *Häbla Cjudka*, to be retained as an alternate name.

Submitter desires a feminine name.

The following changes are allowed: fixes for grammar and typos

Tukana is a feminine Mycenaean Greek given name written in Linear B found in "Mycenaean Women's Names" by Mihriban bint Rustem

<https://issendai.com/minoan/minoan-and-mycenaean-names/mycenaean-womens-names/>.

Kerameja is a feminine Mycenaean Greek given name in Linear B that was used for women who made pottery found in the same source.

Former submission of *Pipituna keramaus* returned by Laurel March 2024.

Previous discussion on the byname meaning 'female potter' can be found in the previous submission at <https://oscar.sca.org/index.php?action=145&id=127437>.

Notes:

36: Vuolff Asser

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Vuolff Asser	Forwarded
New Device	Purpure, two salamanders combatant, enflamed Or, each maintaining in its dexter forepaw a sword argent	Forwarded



Sound (Sounds like "Vulf") most important.

Vuolff appears as a German masculine given name in FamilySearch Historical Records: -Vuolff Schneid, M, married 1583 in Beinstein, Waiblingen, Württemberg, Deutschland. Batch #M95184-2 <<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JH63-9FM>>

Asser is a German byname found in FamilySearch Historical Records: - Henrich Asser, M, married 1632 in Cöln, Rheinprovinz, Preußen, Deutschland. Batch #M96880-1 <<https://www.familysearch.org/ark:/61903/1:1:JHZ5-M5Q>>

Submitter would prefer the spelling "*Vuif*" for the given name if evidence can be found.

Notes:

37: Zaritsa Korsakova

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Zaritsa Korsakova	Forwarded
New Device	Per chevron inverted ployé throughout argent and purple, a light skinned red-haired harpy displayed proper, armed Or	Forwarded



Submitter desires a feminine name.

Zaritsa is a feminine name found in A Dictionary of Period Russian Names by Paul Wickenden of Thanet <<https://heraldry.sca.org/names/paul/z.html>> -- Zaritsa, daughter of Milutin, Serbian king. 1266. [Mor 88]

Korsakova: Korsak is a masculine name found in A Dictionary of Period Russian Names by Paul Wickenden of Thanet <<https://heraldry.sca.org/names/paul/ko.html>> meaning "steppe fox." Petr Dmitrovich Korsak, warden. 1577. [Tup 200] A patronymic form is given as Korsakov: Korsakov (Tret'iak Korsakov, scribe). 1611-2. [RIB II 246] This has been feminized to agree with the given name by adding an -a, as discussed in the Grammar section of the same article <<https://heraldry.sca.org/names/paul/zgrammar.html>>.

Notes:

Commenters at Kingdom questioned whether a per chevron inverted field could issue from the corners of the field, rather than the sides. Precedent indicates that we no longer return armory using “a chevron inverted which touches or issues from the upper corners, provided it is also deep enough not to be confused with a chief triangular” [Kolfinna Valraven, 10/2021, A-Atlantia]; as we are unclear as to whether this also applies to a per chevron division, we decline to redraw it, and forward it for Wreath’s consideration.

38: Zoetken Claey's

Action	Description	Decision
New Name	Zoetken Claey's	Forwarded
New Device	Sable, three pikestaves Or, a chief lozengy Or and purple	Forwarded



Submitter desires a feminine name.
 Language/Culture most important.

Zoetken is a feminine given name in this spelling found in "Names from Antwerp, 1443-1561", by Sara L. Uckelman and Kym Banoczy
<https://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/dutch/plaiser.html>, dated to 1558 Samuel

Claey's was a grey period publisher, for example this 1631 book
<https://books.google.com/books?id=dyRmAAAACAAJ> - the page says "Gedruckt by Samuel Claey's Verferre Ordinaris Stadts Drucker woonende op de Haven inden vergulden Bybels ANNO 1631" which Google helpfully translates as "Printed by Samuel Claey's Painter Ordinary City Printer living on the Haven in the gilded Bible ANNO 1631"

Notes:

This concludes the letter of internal kingdom decisions.

In service to College and Kingdom,
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Blue Tyger Herald