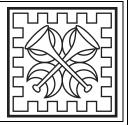


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Minutes of the August 16, 2009 College of Heralds Meeting

Meeting commenced at 11:00 AM.

In attendance were: Su *Crescent*, Illuminada *Dolphin*, Ursula Georges, Jeanne Marie *Noir Licorne*, Cormac *Battlement*, John ap Griffith, Stephania von Graz, and Hrorek *Chevron*.

Upcoming meetings are: September 13, October 18, November 15, and December 20.

Unless otherwise noted, all submitters will accept the creation of a holding name, if appropriate. Approved submissions will be forwarded on the September 21, 2009 Letter of Intent.

Gallavally, Canton of

Fionnghuala de Buchanan. Laurel Resub Device. *Per bend sinister gules and argent, a bend sinister per bend sinister argent and purpure between a snake glissant bendwise sinister argent and a raven contourny sable.* [Name] Submitter's name was registered April 2004 via Caid.

[Device] Her previous submission, *Per pall inverted purpure, counter-ermine and argent, a chevron per chevron argent and gules, in base a triquetra braced with an annulet sable*, was returned by Laurel on the April 2004 LoAR for lack of identifiability. This is a complete redesign.

This has a complexity count of seven, which should be acceptable.

Device is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Bryce ap Morgan. Primary Name Change.

[Name] The submitter's current name, *Rhys ap Morgan ap Martin*, was registered 03/04 via Caid. If this submission is registered, his old name is to be released. The submitter desires a masculine name. He accepts no changes except those listed below.

Bryce – is found in Black p. 110 s.n. *Bryce* – Brice Strayton in 1480, Adam and John *Bryce* in 1613. The switch between i/y is a reasonable change as shown within the entries for *Bryce* in Black. A Scots/Welsh name is a step from period practice (Saige inghean Ghiolla Phádraig, 01/05). *Bryce* is also found in Tangwystl verch Morgant Glasvryn's "Names and Naming Practices in the Red Book of Ormond (Ireland 14th Century)" at http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/lateirish/ormond-given.html# listed as a masculine given name in an Irish context. An Anglicized Irish/Welsh name is a step from period practice (Ryan de Caergybi, 05/03). The submitter specifically will accept Brice if necessary for registration, and also will accept *Bryce ap Morgan ap Martin* if necessary for registration.

ap Morgan is grandfathered to the submitter.

ap Martin, if needed for registration, is also grandfathered to the submitter.

We believe that this is clear of *Rhys ap Morgan* (August 2002, Meridies) based on the differences in the given name. **Name is approved and forwarded to Laurel.**

Heatherwyne, Shire of

Godgife de Mercia New Name and New Device. *Azure, a swan volant bendwise proper within a bordure Or.* [Name] The submitter desires a feminine name. She will not accept major changes (except as noted below), and if the name must be changed she cares most about the meaning of the given name, "good gift". The submitter will accept 'of' in place of 'de' or 'de' may be dropped entirely if necessary for registration.

Godgife is found in "Anglo-Saxon Women's Names from Royal Charters" by Marieke van de Dal, in charter S-1478 dated 1053, amended 1055, at: http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/marieke/anglosaxonfem/ **de** – generic 'of'

Mercia is one of the Anglo-Saxon Kingdoms; kingdom is mentioned in the above article; this appears to be the standard Latin form of the name.

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[Device] The submitter requests that the swan be blazoned as *proper* in order to ensure an orange beak. Submitted on a lozenge shape form, we remind the College that a lozenge shape form is one of the standard Laurel forms. The Caidan College is happy to accept submissions on the Laurel-approved, lozenge shaped form.

We believe this to be clear of *Quarterly gules and sable, a swan rousant, wings displayed, argent, beaked and membered, within a bordure Or,* (Imran Yosuf le Scorpioun, 08/87, Atlantia), with a CD for changes to the field and another for the orientation/position of the swan. We believe this to be also clear of *Azure, a grey goose volant bendwise wings addorsed proper gorged of a coronet Or,* (Rorik Fredericsson, 12/99, Atlantia), with a CD for adding the bordure and another for the position of the wings.

Name is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Device is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Naevehjem, Barony of

Ivarr Hrafnsson. New Name.

[Name] The submitter desires a masculine name. He will not accept major changes and requests that his name be authentic for 9th Norwegian (or Danish, if that's a better fit). If the name must be changed, he cares must about the language/culture (Old Norse).

Ivarr is a masculine Norse given name found on pg. 12 in Geirr Bassi.

Hrafn is found in Geirr Bassi as a given name on page 11. We formed the genitive case as *Hrafns* then added 'son' for the patronymic *Hrafnsson*, which we believe is correct based on the discussion of patronyimcs on p. 17.

Name is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Western Seas, Barony of

Chiara Nicolosa di Battaglia. New Name and New Device. *Quarterly gules semy de lis Or and sable, a dragon passant within an orle Or.*

[Name] Submitted as Chiara Nicolosa <u>Di</u> Battaglia. The submitter is interested in a feminine name. She will not accept a major change and will not allow the creation of a holding name.

Chiara – is found in De Felice' Nomi: p. 105 s.n. Chiara, with a St. Chiara di Montefalco dated to 1308.

Nicolosa - is found in Rhian Lyth of Blackmoor Vale (Jo Lori Drake) "Italian Renaissance Women's Names" at heraldry.sca.org/heraldry/laurel/names/italian.html, as a feminine given name in 14th-15th C Florence.

di Battaglia is found in De Felice Cognomi: p. 73 s.n. *Battaglia*, undated We are changed \underline{D} i to \underline{d} i to correspond with generally accepted capitalization.

Name and device returned for lack of funds.

Giovanni di Battaglia. New Name and Device. *Quarterly gules and pean, in bend two griffins Or and a bordure erminois.*

[Name] Submitted as Giovanni \underline{D} i Battaglia. The submitter is interested in a masculine name. He will not accept major changes and will not allow the creation of a holding name.

Giovanni is of Italian origin, meaning "God is gracious." It is found in "Names from Florence, 1427" at http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/ferrante/catasto

di Battaglia is found in De Felice Cognomi: p. 73 s.n. Battaglia, undated. We are changed \underline{D} i to \underline{d} i to correspond with generally accepted capitalization.

Name and device returned for lack of funds.