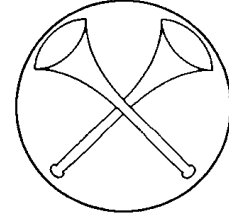


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Minutes of the February 12, 2012 Meeting

Meeting commenced at 11:06 AM.

In attendance were: Cormac *Crescent*, Jeanne Marie *Dolphin*, Mary *Bellows*, John *Seraph*, Hrorek *Chevron*, Eridana *Ambre*, Angharat Goch verch Gwenhover, Avicia *Coral*, Arianna verch Gwenllian, Thomas *Quatrefoil*, and Catherine Aimeri de Winter.

Tentative meeting schedule: March 11th, April 1st, May 13th, June 10th, July 15th, August 12th, Sept. 9th, Oct. 14th, Nov. 11th, and Dec. 2nd (Yule party)

Approved submissions were forwarded to Laurel on the February 12, 2012 Letter of Intent.

Society News:

- Dubhghall mac Aodha mhic Néill was created Pursuivant at Festival of the Rose/Old Tymer's Tourney yesterday. He has accepted the staff title Punner Pursuivant. Punner Pursuivant will provide assistance to territorial heralds working in the Caid garden on OSCAR.

From the December LoAR:

- At the January, 2012 Board Meeting, held on January 28, the Board returned the new Rules for Submission to this office for further review. From the Board minutes they want to "simplify the process."
- Pelican's series "Some Name Resources" deals with the languages of the Iberian Peninsula.
- Wreath has overturned the precedent granting no difference between a serpent knotted in a specific knot and that knot. They may still visually conflict, but there is a CD.
- There is a step from period practice for the use of New World pineapples, but they are a CD from pinecones.
- *Caoilfhionn* is registerable as a grey area spelling of the name – this overturns precedent ruling it unregisterable as modern spelling of *Caoilinn*.
- There is at least a CD between a skunk and a squirrel. [Dolphin notes: These are listed in the same category in the O&A.]
- The field division *Party of six* is substantially different from any other field division in field-primary armory.
- From the registration of Levi ben Daniel's device, *Per pale sable and azure, a duck rousant affronty argent within an orle of ducks naiant Or*: This device does not violate the ban on having two similar but not identical types of charges on the field, the so-called "sword-and-dagger" rule, as the type of the primary and secondary charges are the same. They do have different postures, which in this case serves to make clear the distinction of the two different charge groups. [Dolphin notes: This was the argument made at the September CoH meeting; Wreath agreed.]
- There is a CD between a martlet and a falcon.

- A *fess doubly-enarched* is unregistrable.
- The name Dragano Chavalerio has been pended for discussion as *Chavelerio* is the Venetian term for knight. Pelican is requesting discussion on two issues: First, do we consider presumptuous all period forms of such a term, or only the ones that are listed in the list of alternate titles? Second, if we do protect all forms of titles, would Chavaleri be sufficient to remove the appearance of presumption (in accordance with the call for discussion on the November LoAR – masters/masters).

From Crescent:

- Please check with your local fighters and consorts. If they plan to fight or be fought for in Crown, and do not have a name and device registered or in submission, they need to have their paperwork in as soon as possible. Per the Crown's instruction, we will take submissions until the morning of Crown, but it is Crescent's discretion as to whether the submission is valid. If, for example, a submission is identical to a previous submission that was returned, with no new documentation or appeal, the submission will not be considered valid for Crown. I will be contacting all fighters and consorts who turn in a letter of intent and who do not have a name and device in submission.
- Due to the fallout of the lawsuit against the SCA covered elsewhere, each kingdom is required to send forth a percentage of their holdings to the SCA. The share of that money owed by the College of Heraldry has been determined to be \$1,350. The check will be written and sent in today.

From Dolphin:

- Fee reminder: \$8/submission, \$15 for linked name/armory submitted at the same time, no charge for kingdom or Laurel resubmissions, no charge for administrative actions. Please contact Crescent or Dolphin if you have a question on how much a submission will cost.
- Please send in summaries or post a Letter of Intent to the Caid garden prior to the monthly meeting. If sending in summaries, the online form is highly discouraged. It is not coping with accented characters of any type. If you use it, please use Da'ud notation. There is a PDF showing the correspondence between Da'ud notation and HTML characters at http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/daud_notation.pdf. A more detailed description of Da'ud notation, "The Rest of the Alphabet", can be found <http://www.scadian.net/heraldry/daud.html>.

February Submissions

Bjorn atte Woodepile - Resub Laurel Device. *Sable, two polar bears rampant addorsed and on a chief embattled argent three cartouches sable*

His previous submission, *Vert, a bear dormant Or atop a fascine fesswise argent, a bordure dovetailed Or*, (submitted under the name Bjorn Pile of the Wode) was returned by Laurel for conflict on the May 1998 LoAR. This is a complete redesign. Submitter requests blazon as "polar bears"

Notes: The bears could be more rampant, rather than climbing up the sides of the shield. There are three cartouches and three tabs on the chief. Visually, from a distance it looks like the cartouches are touching the corner of the tabs. These are not grounds for return, but just artistic notes for improved emblazoning in the future.

Device is approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caid, Kingdom of - New Badge Association

Azure, a crescent argent and overall a lance Or, a bordure embattled argent

The badge, *Azure, a crescent argent and overall a lance Or, a bordure embattled argent*, was registered to Caid in June 2009. It is to be associated with the Order of the Golden Lance of Caid which was registered to the kingdom in June 2010.

Approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caid, Kingdom of - New Badge Association

(Fieldless) An eagle displayed Or perched atop four crescents conjoined in saltire, horns outward argent

The badge, *(Fieldless) An eagle displayed Or perched atop four crescents conjoined in saltire, horns outward argent* was registered January 2000 with the comment:

This was originally submitted as a badge for *the Praetorium*. However, as that is not a generic descriptor and not registered, the badge is being registered to the Kingdom without a secondary name.

At this time we request that the generic identifier *for the Caid army staff* be added to the badge.

Approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caid, Kingdom of - New Badge Association

The badge, *Azure, on a mullet argent a crescent azure, a bordure embattled argent* was registered to Caid in May 2009. This should be associated with the Order of the Argent Star, which was registered to Caid in October, 2011.

Approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caid, Kingdom of - New Badge Association

The badge, *Azure, in pale a flame Or issuant from a crescent, a bordure embattled argent* was registered to Caid in May 2011; the blazon was corrected on the erratum in November 2011. The LoI was unclear that this badge was to be associated with the Order of the Crescent and Flame, which was registered to the kingdom in February 2011.

Approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Caid, Kingdom of - New Other

The badge *(Fieldless) A rose Or barbed and seeded vert* was registered to Caid for the Order of the Legion of Courtesy in January 1996. The order name is the Legion of Courtesy (Legion is the designator, not Order), which was registered April 1981. We request that the designator for the badge be corrected to reflect the actual order name. This error originated on Caid's September 1995 LoI.

Approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Catrin Aderyn – Kingdom Resub Device. *Purpure, two chevronels and in base a dragon sejant erect contourny argent.*

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Diomedes Pythikos - New Name & New Device. *Gules, three chevronels between two serpents erect respectant and a demi-spear issuant from base Or*

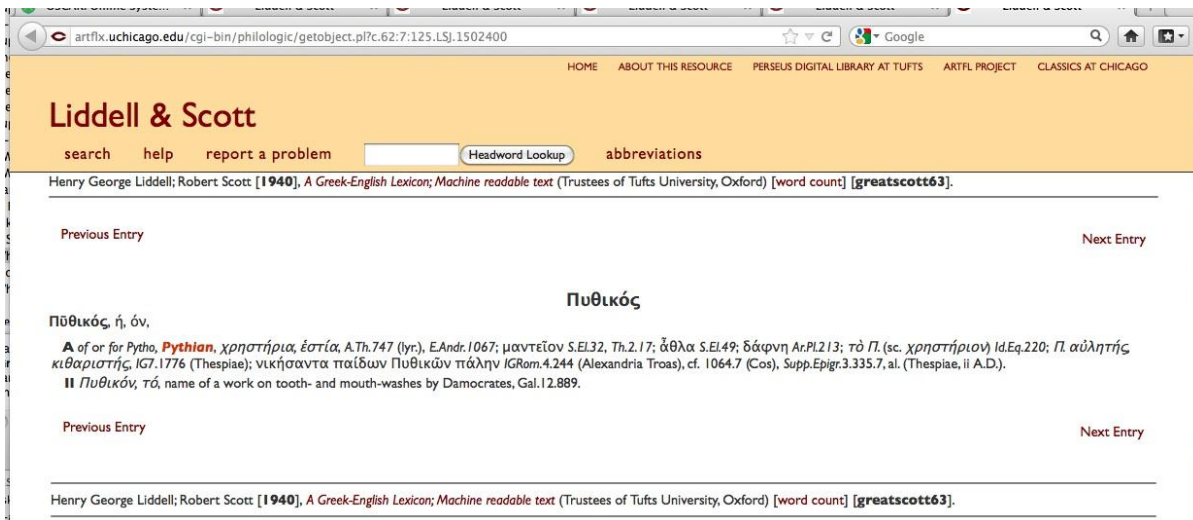
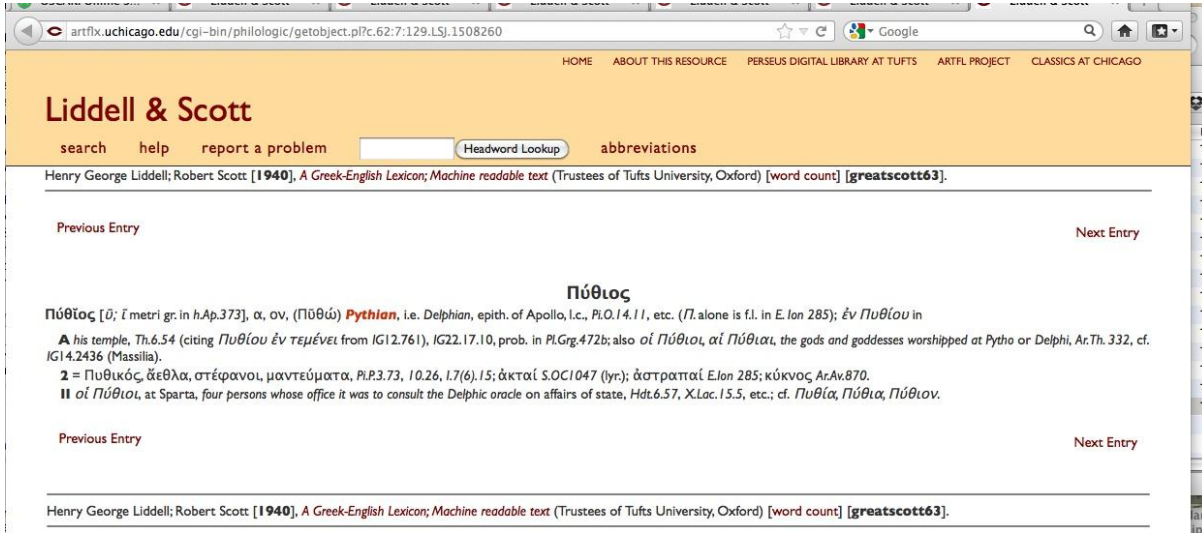
Client requests authenticity for Classical Greek.

Client requests a masculine name.

Language (Classical Greek) most important.

Diomedes is found 4 times on http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/byzantine/PLRE_masc_names.html Common Names of the Aristocracy in the Roman Empire During the 6th and 7th Centuries: Masculine Names Alphabetically

Pythikos The submitter wanted the byname as a man from Pythia. The options of Pythios or Pythikos were found by Urusla, Green Staff in Liddell and Scott.



Name and Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Edward Castleguard – Resub Laurel Name & Resub Kingdom Device. *Quarterly purple and sable, a griffin argent*

Accepts minor but not major changes. Does not accept a holding name. If the name must be changed, he cares most about language (unspecified). Submitter will not allow a creation of a holding name.

His previous submission, *Edward of Castleguard*, was returned by Laurel on the April 2003 LoAR with the comment:

The element *Castleguard* was documented from the OED in 1576 as an occupational term. However, the byname *of Castleguard* would indicate that Castleguard were a placename, like London or York. As no evidence was presented nor could any be found that *Castleguard* is a reasonable placename, the byname *of Castleguard* is not registerable. An occupational byname using this term would be simply *Castleguard*.

As the submitter does not allow any changes, we cannot drop the problematic element *of* in order to register this name.

He has dropped the problematic element.

His previous device, with the same blazon, was returned by Crescent at the October 2002 CoH meeting with the comment "The griffin is colored with a grey crayon. Since it is neither argent nor sable, it must be returned."

Edward is dated to 901 as a heading on pp. 94-95 of *Withycombe*.

Castleguard, as a general term referring to the occupation of "castle guard," is dated to 1576 on p.351 of the OED. In the 3rd definition, the meaning is extended to include land around the castle "which is inhabited by such as are subject to this service" (from *Termes de la Ley*, 1641).

The device conflicts with the device for Griffin Val Drummond (July 1974, reblazoned August 2011), *Per pale purpure and azure, a griffin segreant maintaining in its dexter talon a morgenstern and in its sinister talon a targe argent charged with a tower azure*. There is a CD for changes to the field but nothing for removing the maintained charges.

Name approved and forwarded to Laurel. Device returned for conflict.

Enedina Lacarra de Navarre – Kingdom Resub Device. *Per fess and per pale gules and azure and Or two sheep passant argent and a dog sable*.

Her previous device, "Per fess Or and per pale gules and azure, a dog statant sable and two sheep passant argent," was returned for redraw at the January 2012 meeting, with various notes for the redraw. The submitter has followed the College's suggestion.

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Fáelán mac Áedgein - New Device. *Vert semy of lily blossoms argent, a wolf to sinister sejant ululant contourny Or*

Ululant is a posture that is a step from period practice.

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Gabriel MacMahan of Silverhall – Kingdom Resub Badge. *(Fieldless) Within and conjoined to a crescent pendant a bear's head caboshed argent*.

If this is a maintained bear's head, this conflicts with Balin Ulfstein, *Per fess embattled gules and Or, in chief a crescent inverted argent* (11/1990). We feel that the bear's head is too large to be considered worth nothing for conflict are sending it up for discussion. The CoH was divided on whether this should be consider two co-

primary charges or primary charge and secondary charge, but was unanimous that the bear's head should not be considered a maintained charge.

Badge approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Giliana Ravenild – New Name.

Submitter desires a feminine name and will accept all changes. If the name must be changed, the submitter cares most about the spelling, "Gil-" and the language and/or culture, English.

Giliana is found in Reaney and Wilson p. 351, s.n. Pilcock, dated 1301, *Giliana Pylcock*.

Ravenild is found in Reaney and Wilson p. 372, s.n. Ravenhall, dated in this spelling to 1276.

Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Gillian Jewell – New Name Change from Alice de la Paleysse.

Submitter desires a feminine name and will accept all changes. If the name is registered, the registered name, Alice de la Paleysse, should be retained as an alternate.

Gillian is found in Withycombe, p. 134, as the header spelling. "Middle Ages."

Jewell is found in Reaney and Wilson p. 256, s.n. Joel, dated in this spelling to 1462

There was no conflict found for the name. This name will be returned for lack of funds.

Name turned for lack of funding.

Johan Hirsch von Schutzhundheim – New Name & New Device, *Per chevron urdy azure and Or, two talbots heads couped and collared Or and a double-headed eagle sable.*

Submitter desires a masculine name and will allow major changes. If the name must be changed, submitter cares most about the sound (unspecified)

Johan appears in "German Names from Nürnberg, 1497 by Sara L. Uckelman"

<http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/german/nurnberg1497.html> Johan is cited one time.

Hirsch von Schutzhundheim is a surname grandfathered to the submitter through familial relationship. His father is Arion Hirsch von Schutzhundheim (registered 6/1992) and his mother is Juliana Neunecker Hirsch von Schutzhundheim (registered as Julianna, 6/1992). An attestation of relationship is provided.

Name and device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Juliana Neunecker Hirsch von Schutzhundheim – Laurel Resub Badge, *Azure, two scarpes and in canton St. Martin atop a horse, cutting his cloak for a kneeling beggar argent.*

This is being returned for administrative reasons. The badge was submitted on a device form. This is also being returned for conflict with Deirdre Ruadh NicChonmara, *Azure, two scarpes and in chief a mullet of four points argent*, with only one CD for changing the type of secondary charge. This was the same armory that was referenced when returning the previous badge, *Azure, two scarpes and a bordure argent*.

Badge returned for conflict.

Isabel Silver – New badge, (*Fieldless*) *A cubit arm maintaining a cup and a pair of legs conjoined in pall inverted vert, overall a sun Or.*

The charge in chief was not identifiable by anyone in the College, including those who colored it. We recommend that in the future, the submitter choose a different tincture to call out the cup, or drop the cup as a maintained charge.

Badge returned for redraw.

Kyrstyan de la Poole – Resub Kingdom Name & Resub Kingdom Device: *Purpure, on a chevron between three griffins argent, three roses sable, barbed and seeded proper*

Submitter wants a feminine name, and will accept minor but not major changes. If the name must be changed, submitter cares most about language and/or culture (unspecified). Submitter will not allow the creation of a holding name.

Her previous name submission, *Kyrstyan De La Poole*, was returned by Crescent at the October 2002 CoH meeting as she allowed no changes and the byname capitalization needed to be changed to *de la Poole*. Her previous device, *Per bend sinister purpure and argent, in bend a griffin passant and two arrows inverted crossed in saltire surmounted by a saddle counterchanged*, was returned at the same meeting for multiple problems. This is a complete redesign.

Kyrstyan is dated to 1450 under the heading Christian(a) on p.65 of Withycombe.

Poole is found as part of the heading Pool, Poole, Pole, et al on p.357 of R&W Dated citations include Mauritius de la Pole 1176, Roger de Pole 1191, Thomas del Pol 1260, John Pool 1324, Thomas del Polle 1332. Given these examples, we believe that de la Poole is a reasonable spelling variant for a period name.

The device conflicts with the device of Anora Rose MacCorkhill (April 2008, Calontir), *Purpure, on a chevron between three harps argent, three roses azure barbed and seeded proper*. There is a CD for changing the harps to griffins, but nothing for changing the tincture only of the tertiary roses. We note that under the draft of the new rules, these would be clear as changing the tincture of the tertiary charges would be worth a DC (A5.G.3.a). As we expect the new rules to be in effect when this is considered by Wreath in May, we are forwarding it to Laurel.

Name and device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Marie de la Mer - New Name & New Device. *Gules, a fess wavy sable fimbriated between three trimounts couped Or.*

Submitter desires a feminine name and accepts all changes. If the name must be changed, the submitter cares most about the meaning, “of the sea.”

Marie is a feminine name found in “French Names from Paris, 1421, 1423, & 1438” by Aryanwhy merch Catmael (Sara L. Uckelman)” (<http://heraldry.sca.org/names/french/paris1423.html>), found five times.

de la Mer is a surname found in the same article.

We believe that this name does not conflict with *Marie du la Terre*, registered 12/1989. We feel that the stressed consonant "Ter" vs. "Mer" is sufficient to clear conflict under the current rules. This does conflict with Marie of Mere, registered 4/2005 under the current rules. However, we feel that under the new rules, which should be in place by the time the name will be considered by Pelican, this will be clear.

Name and device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Mary Taran of Glastonbury - New Badge. *Azure, a cross of Calatrava argent within an orle Or.*

Badge approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Penelope Fayrfax atte Redehulle – Kingdom Resub Device. *Azure, a winged beagle argent marked sable and on a chief embattled argent three daisies purpure seeded Or.*

From the January 2011 LOAR: While we have sufficient documentation that beagles were a period breed, and the word 'beagle' to mean a small scent hound is found in the OED dated to 1475, we do not yet have documentation that the modern depiction of a beagle matches the period breed. However, in the interests of reproducibility, we have chosen to retain the term here. (Vincenzo Traina, *Per chevron azure and Or, two beagles statant respectant argent marked sable and a beagle statant contourny gules marked sable.*)

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Philip Berenger de Greylonde - New Device. *Gules, a garb Or and on a bordure argent an orle of ivy vine vert.*

We recommend that none of the leaves should touch the edges of the bordure.

Device approved and forwarded to Laurel.

Ponç lo Bonóme - New Badge. *(Fieldless) A quill pen fesswise distilling a goutte sable*

The College expressed issues with this design, including the balance of the armory, the minimal conjoining, and the difficulty settling on a sufficient blazon. For all of these reasons, we are returning for redraw, and heavily suggest that the submitter make the goutte smaller.

Badge returned for a redraw.

Sakan bint al-Kimiya'i - New Name Change From Holding Name Sakan of Calafia.

Submitter desires a feminine name.

Submitter will allow all changes. IF the name must be changed, she cares most about the meaning, must contain "alchemy".

Her previous name, *Sakan Alchemizadi*, was returned by Laurel on the November 2011 LoAR with the comments:

The byname is a constructed Persian byname intended to mean "daughter of the chemist/alchemist." However, such a construction has several issues, each of which would be fatal. First, the submitter did not present evidence that the word alchemi is a period Persian word. Second, the submitter did not present evidence that bynames using -zade or -zadi were created using occupational bynames (or other descriptive bynames). Commenters could not find evidence for either of these. Therefore, this byname cannot be registered.

In resubmission, the submitter might consider the Arabic equivalent, bint al-Kimiya'i. The elements with her desired meaning and patronymic bynames constructed from descriptive bynames are found in Arabic.

The holding name *Sakan of Calafia* was created at that time.

Sakan is found ca. 800 in Dodge, *The Firhrst of al-Nadīm* (p. 1090). Dodge is not an Appendix H source; however, this is a Pennsic submission and therefore is nonetheless acceptable without a photocopy. Sakan is also

found as a feminine ism (given name) in "Period Arabic Names and Naming Practices" by Da'ud ibn Auda (<http://heraldry.sca.org/laurel/names/arabic-naming2.htm?iframe=true&width=100%&height=100%>)
bint al-Kimiya'i is the byname suggested by Laurel

Name approved and forwarded to Laurel.