

25 July, 2009

Unto the populace of Atlantia, greetings from Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane, Golden Dolphin Herald!

The Laurel Office has notified us of the results of its considerations at the meetings in April, 2009. The results for this meeting were contained in a letter from the Laurel Office received in Atlantia on 9 June, 2009.

**ACCEPTANCES:**

The following items were REGISTERED by the Laurel Office:

**Atlantia, Kingdom of.** Change of order name to Order of the Alcyon from Award of the Alcyon.

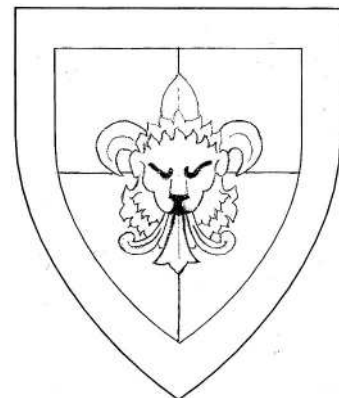
**Atlantia, Kingdom of.** Change of order name to Order of the Hippocampus from Award of the Hippocampus.

**Atlantia, Kingdom of.** Change of order name to Order of the Sea Tyger from Award of the Sea Tyger.

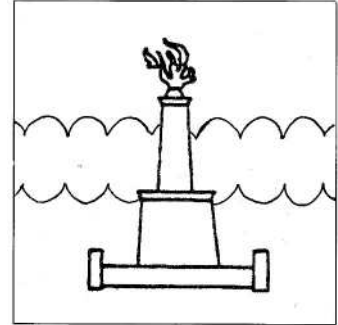
**Atlantia, Kingdom of.** Badge for the Award of Arielle. (Fieldless)  
An antelope rampant contourny Or.



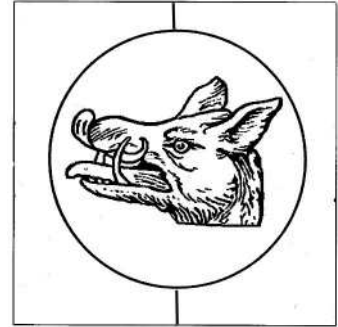
**Bella Trentavasi.** Device. Quarterly sable and argent, a lion's head Or jessant-de-lys within a bordure gules.



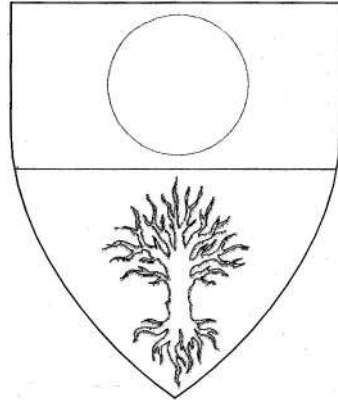
**Caer Mear, Barony of.** Badge for the Order of La Brise de Mer. Per fess gules and azure, a fess inverted argent and overall a lighthouse Or.



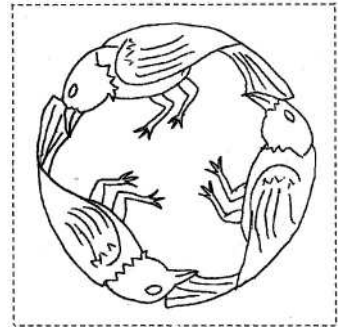
**Fritz Justus Fritz.** Badge. Per pale gules and azure, on a bezant a boar's head coupé sable.



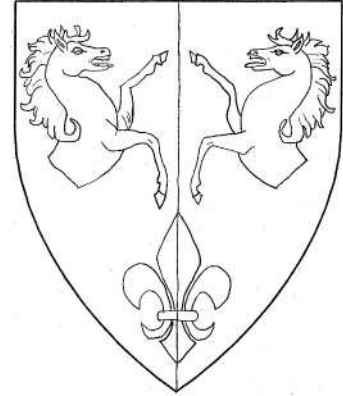
**Gwenllian of Yarnvid.** Device. Per fess sable and argent, a plate and a tree blasted and eradicated sable.



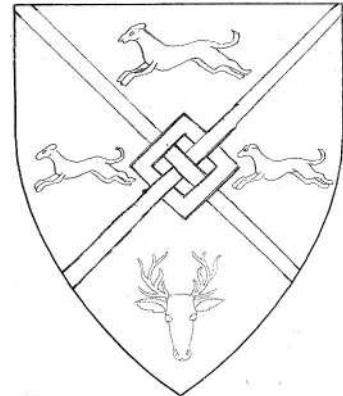
**Jason Michael Corvinus.** Name and badge. (Fieldless) Three birds close conjoined in annulo vert. Jason and Michael are his legal given names.



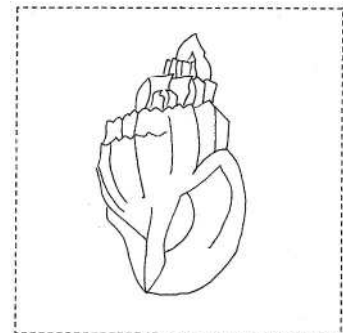
**Kára væna Þórudóttir.** Name and device. Per pale argent and sable, two demi-horses combatant and a fleur-de-lys counterchanged.



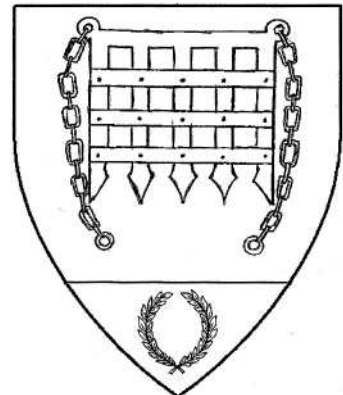
**Kieran Hunter.** Device. Vert, a fret between three hounds courant and a stag's head cabossed argent.



**Marinus, Barony of.** Badge for the Order of the Golden Nutmeg. (Fieldless) A whelk inverted Or. They have permission to conflict with the badge for the Order of the Whelk registered to the Barony of Tir-y-Don (“Gyronny argent and azure, a whelk, bell in chief, Or.”)



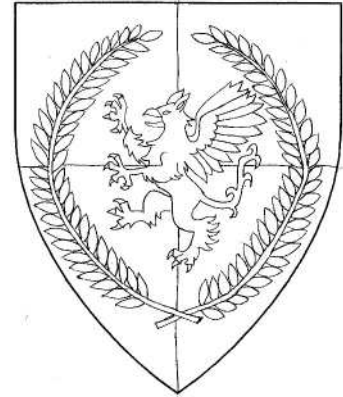
**Middlegate, Canton of.** Change of name from Canton of Hindscroft and change of device. Or, a portcullis and on a base gules a laurel wreath Or. As requested, their old arms (“Azure, eight keys in cross parted, addorsed in pairs, all conjoined at the base by links of chain, and the whole environed of a laurel wreath, all Or.”) have been retained as “ancient arms”.



## RETURNS

The following item has been RETURNED for further work:

**Griffinsvale, Canton of.** Name and device. Quarterly azure and sable, a griffin segreant within a laurel wreath Or. Unfortunately, the Laurel staff returned the group name, ruling that all the examples of English place names which combined a given name or surname in the possessive with a descriptive noun used a descriptive noun derived from Old English or Old Norse rather than from French. They indicated that, if the name used a descriptive noun for a valley that came from Old Norse or Old English, the name would have been registerable and suggested several possibilities. Of these suggestions the form closest to the previously submitted name would be Griffinsdale, although the Laurel staff also suggested Griffinsclough, Griffinscombe, Griffinsdall, Griffinsdell, or Griffinsden as “plausible Middle English placenames”. Since the name was returned, the device had to be returned as well since holding names cannot be created for territorial groups.



Your servant,

**Alisoun**