

Atlantian October 2013 Letter of Decision

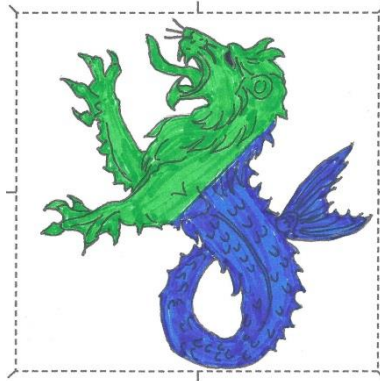
Dame Hróðný Rognvaldsdóttir, Golden Dolphin Herald of Atlantia, sends balmy autumnal greetings to her fellow heralds. Here are the few items submitted to Laurel in our September 2013 Letter of Intent.

I wish to thank these heralds for their invaluable aid: Alisoun MacCoul of Elphane (Metron Ariston), Beatrice Shirwod, Catguistl of Tintagol (Silver Shark), Domenico Barbieri da Mantova (Boreas), Etienne Le Mons (Vexillum), Gunnvor silfraharr (Orle), Sabine Berard, Sovany Barcsi Janos (Black Raven Herald/Manatee Herald). There is little chance that I would have made the decisions shown here without their advice and support.

ACCEPTANCES

Greenlion Bay, Canton of - New Badge

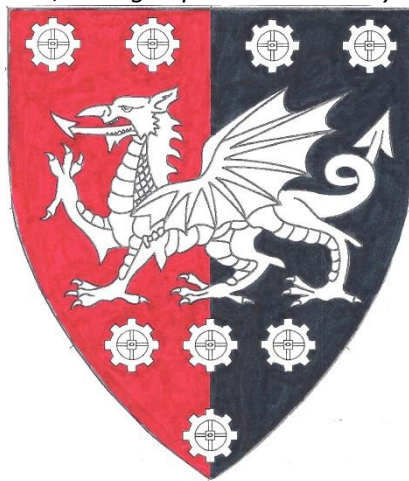
(Fieldless) A sealion per bend sinister vert and azure.



Consulting Herald: Catriona MacClane

Vlad Iliescu - New Name & New Device

Per pale gules and sable, a dragon passant and semy of cogwheels argent.



Consulting Herald: Domenico Barbieri da Mantova, Boreas Pursuivant

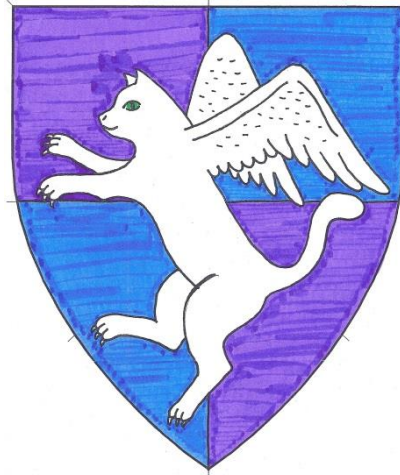
The submitter is aware of the (recently modern) Romanian history professor Vladimir Iliescu who caused a great international uproar by publically denying the existence of the Holocaust in Romania.

While we doubt that the name will be considered 'protected', it seemed fair to contact him over that. During the phone conversation at 3:30, October 25, 2013, he gave Golden Dolphin permissions to fill in the interiors of the cogwheels so they'd show the gules and sable rather than the white interior as first submitted.

RETURNS

Petyr of Turnbery - New Device

Quarterly purpure and azure, a winged cat rampant argent.



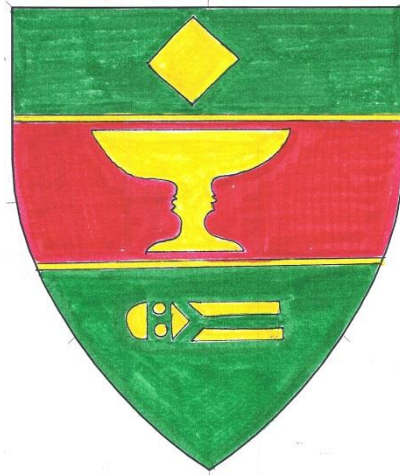
Consulting Herald: Storvik Novice Tourney Consult Table

This is being returned for conflicts with Alienore di Paravano, "*Per saltire gules and sable, a winged lion rampant, wings elevated and addorsed, argent*" and William Alexander MacAvoy, "*Per chevron inverted gules and azure, a natural winged tiger segreant argent, striped sable*", having one distinct change from each.

His previous device submission, "*Quarterly purpure and azure, a winged cat passant wings elevated and addorsed argent.*" was submitted with the name Petyr of Turnbery in the Midrealm and returned during October, 2003, for conflict with Barony of Windmaster's Hill, "*(Fieldless) A winged cat passant, forepaw extended, wings elevated and addorsed, argent.*" & Alain FitzWilliam l'Aileleon, "*Per pale Or and gules, a winged lion statant argent.*" The March, 2004, LoAR registered the name as Petyr of Turnbery, noting that the Middle had modified the submitted Petyr to Peter but that it could be supported and so Laurel had changed it back at the same time as the locative was changed to the documentable Turnbery from Turnberry.

Sajah bint Habushun ibn Ishandiyar al-Hajjaji - New Device

Vert, on a fess gules fimbriated between a lozenge and a penbox, a chalice Or.



Consulting Herald: Etienne Le Mons de Anjou, Vexillum Pursuivant

The submitter's name was registered in November, 1999. Her previous device, "*Per chevron vert and argent, three crosses fleury argent and a brown hippopotamus statant guardant proper*", registered through Atlantia in February, 2006, was proposed for release on Atlantia's Letter of Intent dated July 12, 2013. Originally slated for returning for a redrawing to increase the width of the fimbriation, after consultation with the submitter she has withdrawn this device and will be submitting a different version in the next letter.

As Metron Anistor noted, "However, it is instructive to read the notes on that registration of the much simpler device of Kara Saruca bint Abdullah ("*Azure, on a fess Or between two crescents argent an Arabic pen box sable.*"):

"While there would be a step from period practice for the use of an Arabic pen box in core style, the overall design here can be documented as Saracenic heraldry under the Individually Attested Patterns rules of SENA A4. While the IAP was not documented and commenters did not address the issue directly, a commenter pointed out Master Da'ud's paper on Islamic Heraldry (found at <http://www.appletonstudios.com/MamlukHeraldry2001.pdf>), and documentation for the overall design could be found there. Please note that in the future, the Sovereigns may decline to do the research that, properly, should have been done by the submitter and their consulting herald." Since this submission uses the Arabic pen box, I would think that it would be strongly advisable to address the issue of the use of fimbriation and the other charges in Saracenic armory."

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