

Greetings!

It is Domesday time. The heraldic report is due December 31st from all heralds and pursuivants that wish to keep their warrant. Regional Herald's have until January 15th. A new Domesday Report has been loaded up on the Dragon Herald's page. Please utilize the new form. We no longer want local pursuivants to send us an Order of Precedence. We only want to see that you have checked it and list any corrections you have observed. Also, be sure to include your membership number, as all officers must be members. Remember, no report, no warrant.

A note from the Pelican Queen of Arms: "A submission this month raised the issue of the quality of documentation available from MacLysaght, Irish Surnames. This book is about modern names and provides modern forms of both Gaelic and Anglicized spellings. At one time, this book was the best reference we had for Irish names, but this is no longer the case. Because MacLysaght provides few if any dates, and because the forms given in this work are explicitly modern, it is no longer acceptable as sole documentation for Irish names."

The following is a blazon correction from Laurel:

Arwyn of Leicester. Purpure crusily Latin, a Bouchier knot, a bordure Or.

The following elements have been registered by Laurel:

Constance Joyce. Name.

Gredechin Kyferin von Sachsen. Name.

Gunnarr of Tirnewydd. Holding name and device (see RETURNS for name). Argent, in pale three golpes.

Gwyneth verch Ieuan. Name.

Qal`at Ja`far, Shire of. Branch name.

Raphael Delchambre. Name and device. Per pall gules, argent and azure, a cross of Santiago Or and two lions combatant counterchanged.

The following elements were returned by Laurel. Personal letters will follow:

Etienne Saintier. Device.

Gunnarr Sigurðar son. Name. His device was registered under the holding name Gunnarr of Tirnewydd.

Did I mention that if there is no Domesday report, your warrant will expired?

In Service,

Thorvald