

Calontir Letter of Acceptances and Returns – October 2013

Grüezen!

Unto Dorcas, Gold Falcon, and the esteemed members of the Calontir College of Heraldry does Brigida, Saker herald send greetings.

Here are the results of the internal commentary that closed on 18 October 2013. All accepted items were forwarded to Laurel on the 30 October 2013 ELoI. Items not sent to Laurel appear at the end of this letter on pages 4-5.

Forwarded to Laurel:

1: **Cesare di Lodovico Malefici** - Resub Name

Submitter desires a masculine name.

No changes.

Client requests authenticity for 15th century Florentine.

Language most important.

Culture most important.

Note: His previous submission, Lochloinn Mac Aoidh, was returned in May 2013 for auditory conflict with Lachlan MacKay.

These name elements are found in Italian Names from the Online Tratte of Office Holders 1282-1532 by Aryanhwy merch Catmael. Found at <http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/italian/tratte/>

Cesare: 16 instances

Lodovico: 534 instances

Surname element found at FLORENTINE RENAISSANCE RESOURCES: Online Tratte of Office Holders 1282-1532

Edited by David Herlihy, R. Burr Litchfield, Anthony Molho and Roberto Barducci. Surname site is at <http://www.stg.brown.edu/projects/tratte/doc/TLSURNAM1.html>

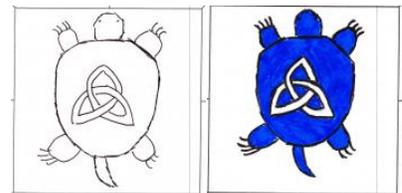
Malefici: 16 instances

Was accidently entered as Cesare _de_ Lodovico Malefici on the submission papers. Corrected here after email correspondence from client.

2: **Drust Loc** - New Badge

(Fieldless) On a tortoise azure a triquetra argent.

Blazon was changed from “turtle” to “tortoise” at Kingdom. In heraldry, a turtle is a dove.



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3: Emma Ziegler - New Name Change & New Device Change

-Old Item: *Amira bint Timurhan*, to be released.

-Old Item: *Per bend sinister wavy argent and azure, a bird volant to sinister chief and another volant to dexter base counterchanged*, to be released.

Submitter desires a feminine name.

Sound (Sounds like) most important.

Emma: <Emme> Feminine Personal Name found on page 115 in German Names by Hans Bahlow trans & rev. by Edda Gentry. Masc.

<Emmen> name of a chronicler in the 16th c. Found on Family Search Historical Records: Amma Elisabetha Beck christening 1643 Mosbach, Baden C95185-1; Emma Groemlich 1585 Mosbach, Baden M93705-1; Emme Weillems marriage 1622 Amsterdam, Noord-Holland Netherlands M01225-0; Emme Douwes marriage 1618 Amsterdam, Noord-Holland, Netherlands M01225-0

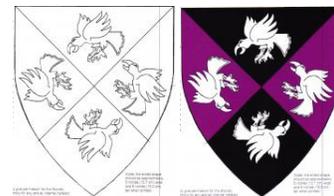
<Emma> Found on Family Search Historical Records: Emma Maurer, born 18 September 1582 in Schiltach, Baden C93828-3; Emma Kirner born 21 November 1550, M00519-0; Emma Spaecht christened 17 August 1600 in Menzingen, Baden C93504-1

Ziegler is found as an Occupational by name meaning "brick-maker". Found on page 572 German Names by Hans Bahlow trans & rev. by Edda Gentry. Found on Family Search Historical Records: Verena Ziegler Marriage 1578 Waldsut, Baden M92524-1; Agnesa Ziegler marriage 1598 Hohenzollern, Prussia M92056-1; Georgius Ziegler marriage 1616, Jagstkreis, Wuerttemberg M94041-1

Dutch and German are in the same naming group.

4: Freygeirr Finnsson - New Name & New Device

Per saltire sable and purple, in chief a raven striking argent, in dexter a raven palewise inverted striking argent, in sinister a raven palewise striking argent, in base a raven reversed and inverted striking argent



Submitter desires a masculine name.

No changes.

Freygeirr: Found in Old Swedish as Fröger. Runic examples include the nominative forms faraukiR, fraikaiR, fraykaiR, the genitive forms frekis, frihas, frikis, the dative form frauikiRi and the accusative forms faruki, [frauikiR], frikiR, fryke. FJ pp. 343, 349 s.nn. Frey-, -geirr; CV p. 196 s.v. geirr; NR s.nn. FrøygæiRR, Frøy-, -gæiRR. Found at: <http://www.vikinganswerlady.com/ONMensNames.shtml>

the element Frey-: The first element Frey comes from Primitive Scandinavian *froujaR "lord." As with other words in the Scandinavian languages, this word became a god's name (OW.Norse

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Freyr: Old Danish and Old Swedish Frø). As a personal name-element, Frey- means in part "lord," but also signifies the god. Found at:

<http://www.vikinganswerlady.com/ONMensNames.shtml>

The element -geirr: The second element -geirr is identical with Old Icelandic geirr, "spear". Found in the runic nominative forms [aker] and akiR. Found at:

<http://www.vikinganswerlady.com/ONMensNames.shtml>

Finnsson:

Finnr- The name Finnir and the related form Fiðr are from OW.Norse finnr "Sámi; Laplander," and by extension came to mean "magician" as well, since the Finnar were all considered to be powerful magic workers. The name is very common throughout Scandinavia from very early onwards. Found in Old Danish as the personal name Fin and as a by-name, Find. Also found in Old Swedish as Fin, and in OW.Norse as Finnir or Fiðr. Runic examples include the nominative forms finr, fiþr and the accusative form fin. Anglo-Scandinavian forms include Fin, Finni, Fyn. GB p. 9 s.nn. Finnir, Fiðr, Finni; FJ pp. 82, 348 s.nn. Finnir, -finnr; NR s.nn. Finnir/Fiðr, Finn-. Found at: <http://www.vikinganswerlady.com/ONMensNames.shtml>

Finnr- Old Norse finnr = 'Sámi, Laplander, Finn' [Kristoffer Kruken og Ola Stemshaug: Norsk Personnamnleksikon (1995)] [Lena Peterson: Nordiskt runnamnslexikon (2002)] [Roland Otterbjörk: Svenska förnamn (1979)] (original meaning: 'wanderer' [Roland Otterbjörk: Svenska förnamn (1979)]) Found at: <http://www.nordicnames.de/wiki/Finnr>

The suffix -son is attached to the genitive form of the father's name. Finnir thus changes to Finn to make the byname.

Copies of the documentation were included, except for Freygeirr.

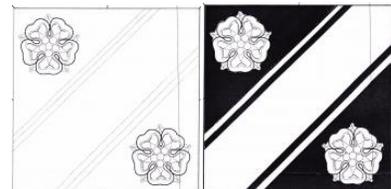
Submission form was for "Freygeirr Finnirson" but the byname was incorrectly formed. Email permission was received from the client to change Finnirson to Finnsson.

Based on the December 2012 LoAR Cover Letter, it is believed that this device follows Appendix K of SENA of "For groups with four or more charges: in cross, in saltire, in pale, in fess, in (fess in) chief, in bend, in bend sinister, semy, in annulo, an orle of charges."

5: Gabriel andvaka Kjotvason - New Badge

OSCAR finds the name registered exactly as it appears in August of 2004, via Calontir

Sable, a bend sinister cotised argent between two roses argent.
This submission is to be associated with *Andrea Auditore da Venezia*



This badge was a resubmission at the Kingdom level. The alternate name is on the Calontir LOI of 6 August 2013

6: Gregorii Vladimir Borondinskii - New Name

Gregorii - variant of Grigorii, 14th century. (Wickenden)

Vladimir - multiple examples in Wickenden. Pagan name until Vladimir the Great was canonized.

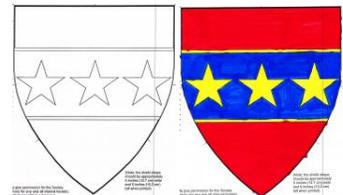
The use of a double given name combining a Christian name (Gregorii) with a Native name (Vladimir) is noted in Wickenden's discussion of given names in his introductions. It is also listed in SENA Appendix A.

Borondinskii - based on patronymic variants of Boroda: Borodinskoi, borotinskii (Wickenden, 3rd ed.) Use of a descriptive name pattern for Russian is listed in SENA Appendix A.

7: Vincent de Vere - New Name & New Device

Gules, on a fess azure fimbriated, three mullets Or.

Submitter desires a masculine name.
Sound most important.



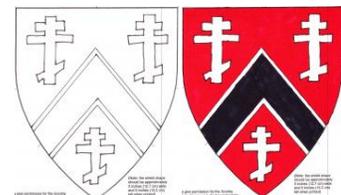
Vincent: English masculine given name found in "Late Sixteenth Century English Given Names" by Talan Gwynek. Found at <http://heraldry.sca.org/names/eng16/eng16.html>, noted as occurring 8 times. Article dates names between 1581-1595.

de Vere: English surnames found in Bardsley under the heading, 'Vere, Vear, Veare' as Henry de Vere, dated 1605. Withycombe notes under the heading 'Vere' that de Vere was the surname of the Earls of Oxford until the 17th century.

Returned:

1: Gregorii Vladimir Borondinskii - New Device

Gules, a chevron sable fimbriated between three Russian Orthodox crosses argent.



Unfortunately this needs to be returned for a redesign. This device conflicts with Harold Graybear (reg. 05/2000 via Ansteorra), "Gules, a chevron sable fimbriated Or between three bears rampant argent." There is a DC for the type of secondary, but none for the tincture of the fimbriation.

Also conflict with Margareta Knotte (reg. 08/2011 via Gleann Abhann), "Gules, a chevron sable fimbriated between three pitchers argent," with a DC for the type of secondary.

Commentors noted that the fimbriation should be slightly wider as well.

2: Sawbina Fahy - New Device

A gyronny of eight, azure and purpure, a butterfly argent.

Unfortunately, this needs to be returned for a redraw. SENA A.3.B.3.d (<http://heraldry.sca.org/sena.html#A3B3d>) requires that fields divided into more than four parts must have good contrast between the parts. Blue against purple does not have good contrast.

Commentors noted that: <insert field here>, a butterfly argent appears clear of conflict. It was also suggested that some slight internal detail be added to the butterfly to make it easier to be identified.

Ich hilfe,
Brigida von München, Saker