

Calontir Letter of Acceptances and Returns – March 2014

Grüezen unto Mistress Dorcas, Gold Falcon, esteemed members of the Calontir College of Heraldry, and denizens of Calontir from Brigida, Saker Herald

This letter contains the results of the internal commentary that closed 28 February 2014. All accepted items were forwarded to Laurel on the 2 March 2014 ELoI, which will be discussed at their June 2014 meeting. The two items not sent to Laurel appear at the end of this letter on page 2.

Thanks to all heralds who participated in the commentary of these items.

Ich hilfe,
Brigida, Saker

Forwarded on to Laurel:

1: Jute vander Brughe - New Name Change

Old Item: *Royse Meingnes*, to be retained as an alternate name.
Submitter desires a feminine name.
No major changes.
Language (Flemish) most important.
Culture (Flemish) most important.

Jute: Found 2 times in Brussels in the years 1250-1530. Data from "Vlaamse Vrouwenamen en Hollandse Naamgeving in de Middeleeuwen" by O. Leys & J. van der Schaar, Appendix III. Found at <http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/guntram/vlaamse.htm>

vander Brughe: van der Brugghe first cited in 1466, and vander Brugghe first cited in 1465. Found at "Flemish Bynames from Bruges, 1400-1600: A-C" at <http://www.s-gabriel.org/docs/bruges/bynames-list1.html>

"Marie vander brughe" 1601, Norwich Dutch Church Register of Baptisms. The East Anglian: Or, Notes and Queries on Subjects Connected with the Counties of Suffolk, Cambridge, Essex and Norfolk, Volume 12, Google ebooks - http://books.google.com/books?id=fxI-AQAAMAAJ&printsec=frontcover&source=gbs_ge_summary_r&cad=0#v=onepage&q&f=false

2: Rodrigo Hernández of Vatavia - Resub Name

Submitter desires a masculine name.
Language (Reconquista-era Spaniard) most important.
Culture (Reconquista-era Spaniard) most important.

Rodrigo - Spanish Names from the late 15th Century" by Juliana de Luna. Found at sca.org/heraldry/names/isabella/mensgivenalpha.html

Hernández - Spanish Names from the late 15th Century" by Juliana de Luna. Found at sca.org/heraldry/names/isabella/patronymics.html. Also dated to 1376, 1540 in "Late-Period Spanish Men's Names from Seville" by Sara L. Uckelman. -- <http://www.ellipsis.cx/~liana/names/spanish/silversmiths.html>

Vatavia - local group name that was registered January 1983 as Vatavia, Shire of; changed August 1983 to Vatavia, Barony of.

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This is a resubmission at the Kingdom level. Originally submitted as Rodrigo Hernández de Castilla, this was returned because it was presuming that the client was a son of the King of Castile. Original discussion is at <https://oscar.sca.org/kingdom/kingsingleitem.php?kingdom=11&id=31412>

3: Sofya la Rus - New Name Change & New Device Change

Gules, an owl rising wings displayed argent

Old Item: *Sofya Rous*, to be released.

Old Item: *Gules, semy of acorns Or, an owl argent*, to be retained as a badge.

No major changes.

Spelling (Sofya la Rus) most important.

Sofia: "grey period" English given name - Sofia Hogbeane m. 1620 Kent, England, Batch M01846-5

Sofya: plausible alternate spelling of Sofia. The ia>ya switch seen with Imania/Ymanya s.n. Ismena; Syonisia/Dyonisya s.n. Denise; Cecelia/Cecelya s.n. Cecilia - all from "Feminine Given Names in A Dictionary of English Surnames". Found at <http://www.s-gabriel.org/names/talen/reaney>

le Rus: English byname. Symon le Rus 1253 s.n. Rous, [R&W]

la Rus: plausible alternate form of le Rus. See March 2004 LoAR re: Ophelia le Lavender "...support was found for ...Ophelia la Lavender..." From Bardsley: Cecelia la Lavender 1273, Alice la Lavender 1273 s.n. Lavender; Margery la Blak 1300s s.n. Black; Agneta la Savoner 1273 1273 s.n. Savoner. From [R&W]: William la Justis 12th century s.n. Justice, Cristina la Chaundelier 1349 Intro xlvi.

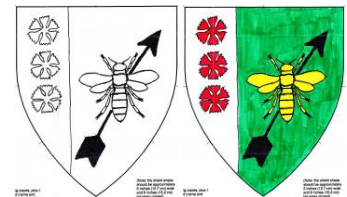
Also included was a letter to conflict.

Returned for further work:

1: Emeline de Moulineaux - New Device

Per tierce argent and vert, three pinks proper in pale and a bee Or pierced by an arrow bendwise sinister sable

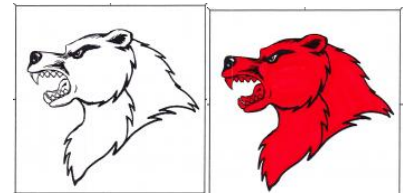
Unfortunately, this must be returned for several reasons. First, there is color on color; there's a black arrow on a green field. Second, charged tierces are not registerable. Finally, the "pinks" (AKA carnations) must have a declared color; there is no proper coloring for the flowers.



2: Giraude Benet - New Badge

(Fieldless) A bear head erased gules

Unfortunately, this submission needs to be redrawn. The 11/2001 LoAR gives guidelines for how to properly drawn erasing: "Therefore, for purposes of recreating period armorial style for erasing, the erasing should (1) have between three and eight jags; (2) have jags that are approximately one-sixth to one-third the total height of the charge being erased; and (3) have jags that are not straight but rather are wavy or curved."



It was suggested to use something similar to for "erased":

