

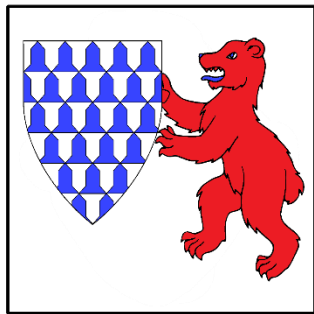
# September 2023 CL & LoAR

A Quick Summary of Changes

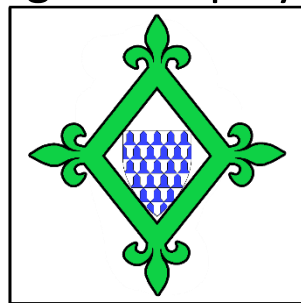
Jeanne Marie *Palimpsest*

# From Wreath: Fieldless Designs

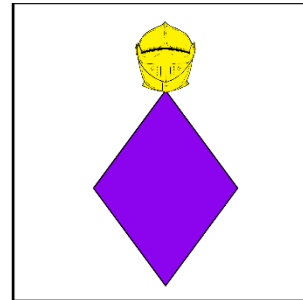
- SENA A3A2 has revised to clarify the presence of other charges removes the appearance of presumption when used with forms of armorial display in fieldless designs.
  - Forms of armorial display may not be used alone on the field unless they are uncharged and of a undivided tincture we do not protect.
  - Forms of armorial display may not be used with other charges when those charges appear to be supporters.
    - Period examples include, but are not limited to, a single supporter or two supporters holding armorial display in a variety of forms, including escutcheons, flags, and others; helms or crowns atop the armorial display; ribbons below the display; or a charge in annulo surrounding the display.



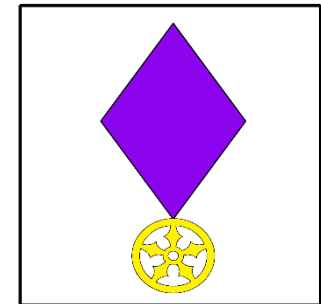
Not registerable – the bear appears to be a supporter



Registerable – the masculyn does not appear to be part of a heraldic achievement



Not registerable – the helm appears to be part of a heraldic achievement



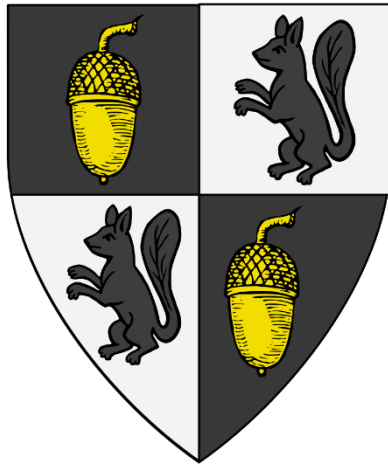
Registerable – the wheel does not appear to be part of a heraldic achievement

Emblazons courtesy of Elisabetta Tommaso di Carduci.

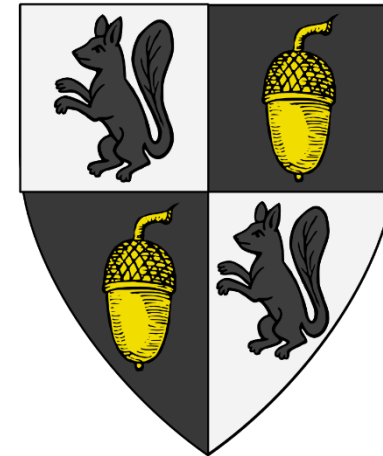
SENA A3A21 (<https://heraldry.sca.org/sena.html#A3A2>) has been updated.

# From Wreath: Augmenting Through Quarters

- SENA A3A3c has been revised to allow augmentations to be in the first and fourth quarters or the second and third quarters.



Argent, a squirrel sable, and for augmentation quartered second and third with first and fourth sable, an acorn Or.



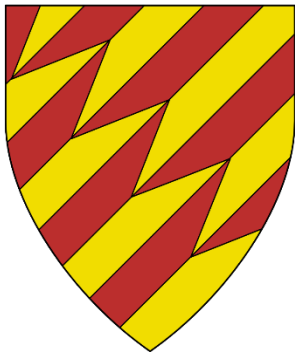
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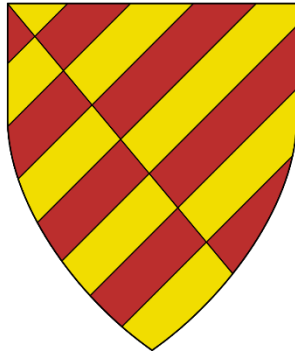
SENA A3A3c (<https://heraldry.sca.org/sena.html#A3A3c>) has been updated.

# From Wreath: Change of Style of Partition Lines

- The example in SENA A5G1c has been updated to illustrate when a DC is, and is not, allowed for multiply divided fields.

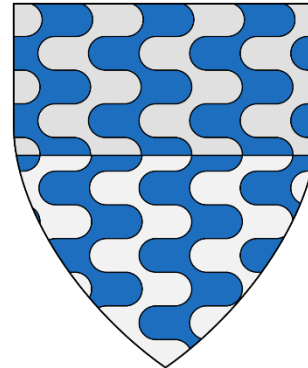


*Bendy sinister and per bend indented*

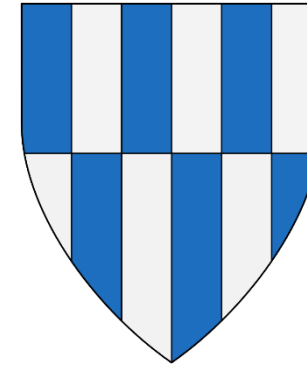


*Bendy sinister and per bend*

Not a DC – only one line of division of many is changed



*Paly wavy and per fess*



*Paly and per fess*

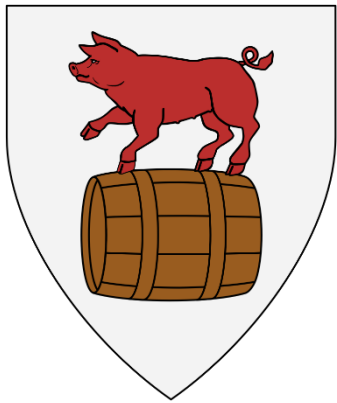
DC – all of the vertical lines have changed while the single horizontal line has not

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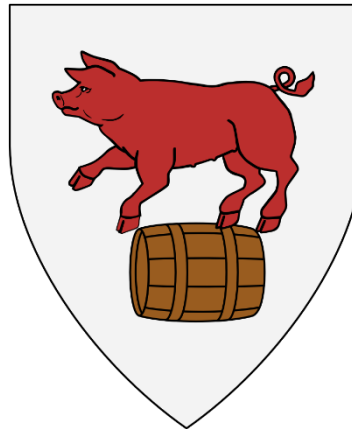
SENA A5G1c (<https://heraldry.sca.org/sena.html#A5G1c>) has been updated.

# From Wreath: On *Atop*

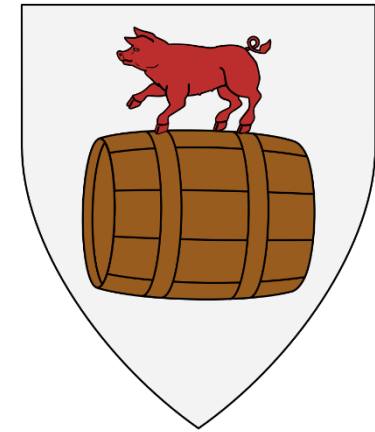
- The blazon term *atop* is similar to *conjoined* but is mainly used for animate charges and implies a more natural relationship between the charges than conjoined would. For example, *a lion atop a mount* would have its feet partially overlapping the mount, to make it appear as if the lion were actually standing on the mount.



*In pale a pig atop a barrel* - the charges are co-primary



*A pig atop a barrel* - primary pig and secondary barrel



*Atop a barrel a pig* - primary barrel and secondary pig

Emblazons courtesy of Mathghamhain Ua Ruadháin.

Glossary of Terms Appendix 1 (<https://heraldry.sca.org/coagloss.html#appendix>) has been updated.

# Glossary of Terms Table 4 Updates

- A *satyr proper* as defined as having brown goat's horns, tail, and hind legs and a human torso blazoned as defined under Human/Human Parts in the Glossary of Terms. [Ælfric Ecgeling, 09/2023, A-Atlantia]
  - Note: Armory blazoned as proper prior to the 01/2021 CL has a White/light-skinned/Caucasian human torso.
- A *wheel proper* is assumed to be made of wood and is brown. [Vagn Egilsson, 09/2023, A-Outlands]

# Glossary of Terms Table 5 Updates

- By default, the opening of a torc is to base. [Caemgen mac Garbith, 09/2023, A-An Tir]
- By default, a pair of scissors is open, points to chief. [Lijsbet die Wolf, 09/2023, A-Meridies]



*A torc*



*A pair of scissors*

Images from <http://heraldicart.org/>.

The revised version of the Glossary of Terms Table 5 is available at <https://heraldry.sca.org/coagloss.html#default>.

# From the LoAR: Names

- We currently do not have any evidence for unmarked matronymics in Old Norse. [Ærindis Hrafnildardóttir, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]
- While the locative *Drachenwald* is a registered SCA branch name, it is also a plausible constructed 15th century German locative. Therefore, it may be used here with the German article *von*. [Daria von Drachenwald, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]
- No evidence could be found that a Roman nomen was ever the final element in a feminine Roman name. [Alexandria Trebellius, 09/2023, A-Atlantia]
- There is a pattern in period English of naming military bands after their commanding officer. [Jack Mungo and Tristham Grave Filler, 09/2023, A-Ealdormere]
  - Most military bands were named from the places they came from.
  - The pattern *Band of X* may be used where X is either a locative or a full personal name.

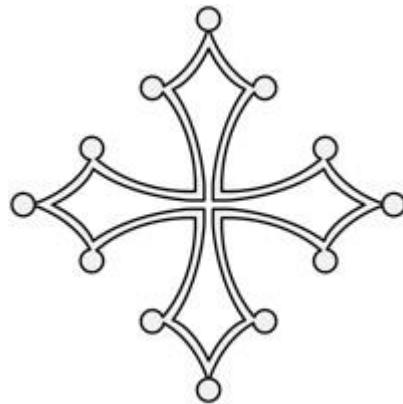


# From the LoAR: Armory

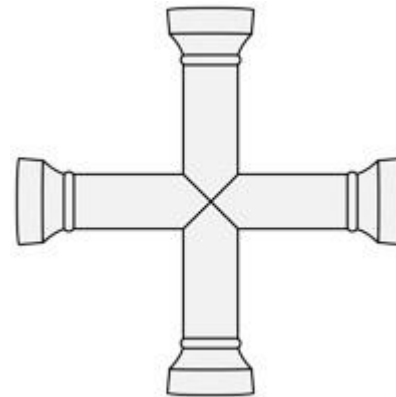
- Wreath upheld precedent that the motif of gyronny issuant from a line of division is allowed; it was a recognize motif in period. [Estienne de Bretagne, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]
- There is an SC between a cross of Toulouse and a cross capital. [Jayne Cobham, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]
- There is an SC between a cross of Toulouse and a crux ansata. [Jayne Cobham, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]



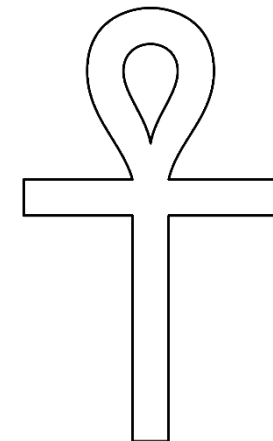
*Per fess gyronny of fourteen issuant from the line of division Or and gules and sable, a demi-roundel issuant from the line of division gules*



*A cross of Toulouse*



*A cross capital*

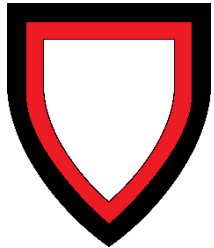


*A crux ansata (an ankh)*

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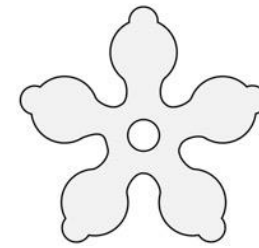
# From the LoAR: Armory

- For the purposes of SENA A3B3a, we consider bordures parted bordurewise to be "evenly divided into two parts", so they do not require good contrast between the sections.
- There is a DC between *semy* and *six charges in cross*. [Thaddaeus Starr, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]
- There is an SC between eyeglasses and a crutch. [Hrefna blinda, 09/2023, A-Atlantia]
- There is an SC between a raven close and a duck naiant. [Hrefna blinda, 09/2023, A-Atlantia]
- Cinquefoils pierced were found in period armory and thus may be used on fieldless badges. [Maria Swietiska, 09/2023, A-Lochac]
- Wreath partly overturned the precedent , "There is no difference in type between a pelican and a chough sufficient to remove the appearance of presumption." [Ronan na f-Fiacal mac Conaill and Uchtred Liefsson, 04/2022, R-Outlands]. When both are in period postures, and when there are no special attributes like vulning present in the corvid to blur the distinction, there is at least a DC between corvids and pelicans. [Robert de Mar, 09/2023, A-Lochac]



A bordure parted bordurewise

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A cinquefoil pierced

# From the LoAR: Armory

- The head of a drum is considered a minor detail for the purposes of SENA A3B1: "A charge which has minor details of the same color of the field is registerable, as long as identifiability is maintained." [Harduin of Herstal, 09/2023, A-Outlands]
- The registered badge of a branch may be used as an augmentation under the Existing Registration Allowance if it is a standard augmentation or if permission to conflict is granted by the branch. [Adele of Moondragon, 09/2023, P-Ansteorra]
  - What this means: Badges registered to groups below kingdom, which cannot be designated as standard augmentations, may nonetheless be used for augmentations. For example, a shire's populace badge could be used as an augmentation if the submitter has permission to conflict with the badge.

# From the LoAR: New Charges

- A *red panda* is an animal found in the eastern Himalayas and southwestern China. Academic articles report a 13th century Chinese pen and ink drawing of the animal. While no one seems to be able to find the report drawing, it is sufficient to the submitter the benefit of the doubt that the red panda was known to humans in period. [Gwyn Moonlight verch Llewelyn, 09/2023, A-Ansteorra]



*Red panda* in nature (Detroit Zoological Society Blog, 17 Dec. 2018, <https://detroitzooblog.org/2018/12/17/animal-welfare-a-red-pandas-eye-view/>)



*A red panda rampant gules marked argent* - registered

# Webbed Updates

- Glossary of Terms Table 4, Table 5, and Appendix 1 have been updated.
- SENA A3A2, A3A3c, A5G1c, and Appendix E4 have been updated.