

# LETTER OF REGISTRATION AND RETURN DECEMBER 2016

#### Unto Their Imperial Majesties, and to all unto these letters come do I, Dama Antonia Lopez-Hawk, send greetings.

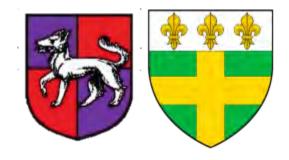
With this Letter all proposals received since the end of September will be recognized. This is the Official Letter of Registration and Return for the month of December 2016.

#### Reports were received from the following chapters:

Alhambra, Burgandy, Cathair na Caillte, Chesapeak, Fotriu, Glasgow, Lancaster, Stirling, Umbria, Var Hiem

In Service to the Empire,

# DAMA ANTONIA LOPEZ-HAWK IMPERIAL SOVEREIGN OF ARMS



#### **Partition Lines/ Field Divisions**

There are so many ways to create a unique device by using division lines. In this article, we will look at some "basic" and some "complex" lines that are safe to use in your Adrian Heraldry.

In the Heraldry manual on page 20, section V.a.1,2

- 1. A field may be divided by partition lines running in the direction of any SIMPLE ORDINARY (VII.A)
- 2. A field may be composed of multiple partition lines in the direction of SIMPLE ORDINARY, filling the area of the shield.

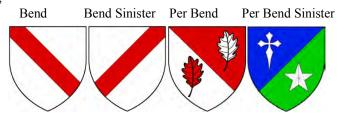
#### Part one: Bend

Using the book "A Dictionary of Heraldry" by Stephen Friar. <sup>1</sup>

**A Bend and Bend Sinister - Ordinaries**. A broad band extending from dexter chief to sinister base or sinister chief to dexter base. Charges placed on a bend correspond with the direction of the bend unless otherwise specified, as do the ermine spots and varied fields of compony, counter -compony and chequy.

**Per Bend, Per Bend Sinister** is the parting of the field. The term Parted (Scottish) or Part (English) basically mean the same as "Per" and is more often omitted as it would not be necessary. (Fox-Davies)

Here are examples;



Ok, now for some interesting variations on the bend that can be used. In the Friar book, on page(s) 216-217 are pictures of the various lines that can be used to divide your bend and create something unique to you. Please remember to do your homework. Is it period? Do I have proof that it was used?

Here are a few examples of taking a bend and making it unique to the "owner".



Per bend Vert and Azure, a bend beviled between two oak leaves Or (Alistrina Lannoon Bhallach)



Per bend indented Azure and Argent, a tree fructed and eradicated counterchanged (Antonia Lopez-Hawk)



Per bend tierced per fess counterchanged Azure and Argent, overall a seahorse Sable. (House Sable Seahorse)

As you can see, these approved devices look very complex yet follow all of the rules.

Next article, we look at the Chevron. Again a simple division, but it can also be just as interesting.

Please remember to consult with your local Herald with any questions you might have. As always, do your homework before you turn in your device. Use a good search engine, books, the reference section of the local library. ASK QUESTIONS, there are never any dumb questions when learning something new.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 1987 isbn 0-517-56665-6

#### REGISTRATION

#### **Alhambra**

Ravennah Black Device

8622 Per pale Argent and Purpure two feathers Sable and Argent within a bordure Sable

#### **Cathair na Caillte**

Rhianna Moyes

Device Sable, a unicorn rampant and contourné Or armed Gules 2116

#### **Fortriu**

Eir Crowfeeder 9544 Device

Vert, a distaff and writing quill in saltire Argent

### **Glasgow**

Sir Little John Device

Argent, on a chevron inverted Azure, three pheons Argent, in chief a horn and in base, two mulletss perced Sable

#### Lancaster

Christopher Logan Device 9682
Per pale Purpure and Argent, a Cross of Jerusalem Counterchanged

Squire Hadassah Device 8501
Quarterly Argent and Gules, in 2 and 3 a triquetr interlaced with an annulet Or, upon a bend Sable four inverted escallops bendwise Argent

## **Stirling**

Wallace Dunmore Device 7419
Sable, a pall Gules fimbriated, in chief a tree blasted and eradicated, two griffins combatant Argent

Archery Guild of Stirling Badge 30-02 Quarterly, Azure and Vert, in 1 and 4 two arrows inverted crossed in saltire Argent

#### **Umbria**



Sgath Faol Flag 03-00

Per pale Argent and Sable five wolves passant in saltire Counterchanged



Sgath Faol Badge 03-00

Per pal Argent and Sable a wolf passant Counterchanged



Kendra de Dannon Device 4766

Argent, on a bend Azure two sets of halberts crossed in saltire Argent, in bend sinister two unicorn heads erased Azure maned and armed Or

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Edward McMasters Device 1570

Sable, a bend sinister Azure fimbriated Argent, a wolf passant Argent



Gules McMasters Device 9339

Azure, a bend sinister Argent a wolf passant Sable

Marcus Decour Nero Device 6103
Argent, a pair of wings displayed Sable, surmounted by a cross patonce Gules

Dmitry Ivanovich Device 8620

# Var Heim

Godiva Device 9565

Purpure, a bend Sable fimbriated overall a horse rampant Argent

Per bend sinister Azure and Sable, a bear rampant Argent

#### **CORRECTIONS:**

None

#### TRANSFERRED:

From: Kincora To: Stirling

BARONY OF TIR TAIRNGIRE

Per fess Vert and Sable, a lozenge Argent

BARONY OF WEST HAVEN

Paly Gules and Sable, a unicorn's head erased Argent

BENTWOOD RAIDERS

Quarterly Azure and Or

Quarterly Or and Azure

Quarterly Azure and Or, 1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> an axe and a sword in saltire inverted, and in base three annulets interlaced one-and-two, all Or

COUNTY OF PHOENIX

Or, a phoenix Gules

HOUSE OF AVIGNON

Per pale Purpure and Argent, three chevronels Counterchanged

HOUSE OF KESSLER

Vert, a chevron Or between three lozenges Argent

HOUSE OF KINLOCH

Per chevron Sable and Vert, a bird volant Contourné Argent

HOUSE OF WESSEX

Sable, a cat passant Argent

House Avernus

Per fess Sable and Gules, two wolves combatant, in chief a crescent Argent

HOUSE CAER MORRIGU

Argent, a raven on a branch, wings addorsed Sable, within a bordure Gules

HOUSE CLAN MAGNI

Gules, four hammers in a cross bases conjoined to an annulet Argent

HOUSE CLOPHILL

Per chevron inverted Or and Sable, two halberds in saltire Or

HOUSE DANNADA

Per saltire Gules and Azure, in 2 and 3, lion's heads caboshed Or

HOUSE GLEN NA GALT

Purpure, a moon decrescent Or

HOUSE LOGI AV FRAMI

Sable chapé Or, a torch enflamed Sable

HOUSE NA GAEL

Argent, a chevron Purpure, and three thistle blooms Purpure leaved and stemmed Vert

HOUSE PACT DE LOUPES

Quarterly Purpure and Argent, a wolf-print Counterchanged

HOUSE PAPYRUS

Azure, three rolls of parchment Argent, tied Gules sealed Or

ISLES OF KINCORA

Vert, two lions passant in pale Argent

MARCH OF MERCIA

Quarterly Or and Gules, 1<sup>st</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> dragon passant contourné Gules

MARCH OF TARTARUS

Sable, a tricapitatied wolf rampant Argent

ORDER OF THE PHOENIX RISING

Gules, a phoenix rising and in chief rayonné Or

PRIDE OF KINCORA

Vert, a lion maintaining a sword Argent

RETURNED:

REINSTATE:

None

RELEASE:

HELD OVER:

**Cathair na Caillte** 

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Held over for further review.

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