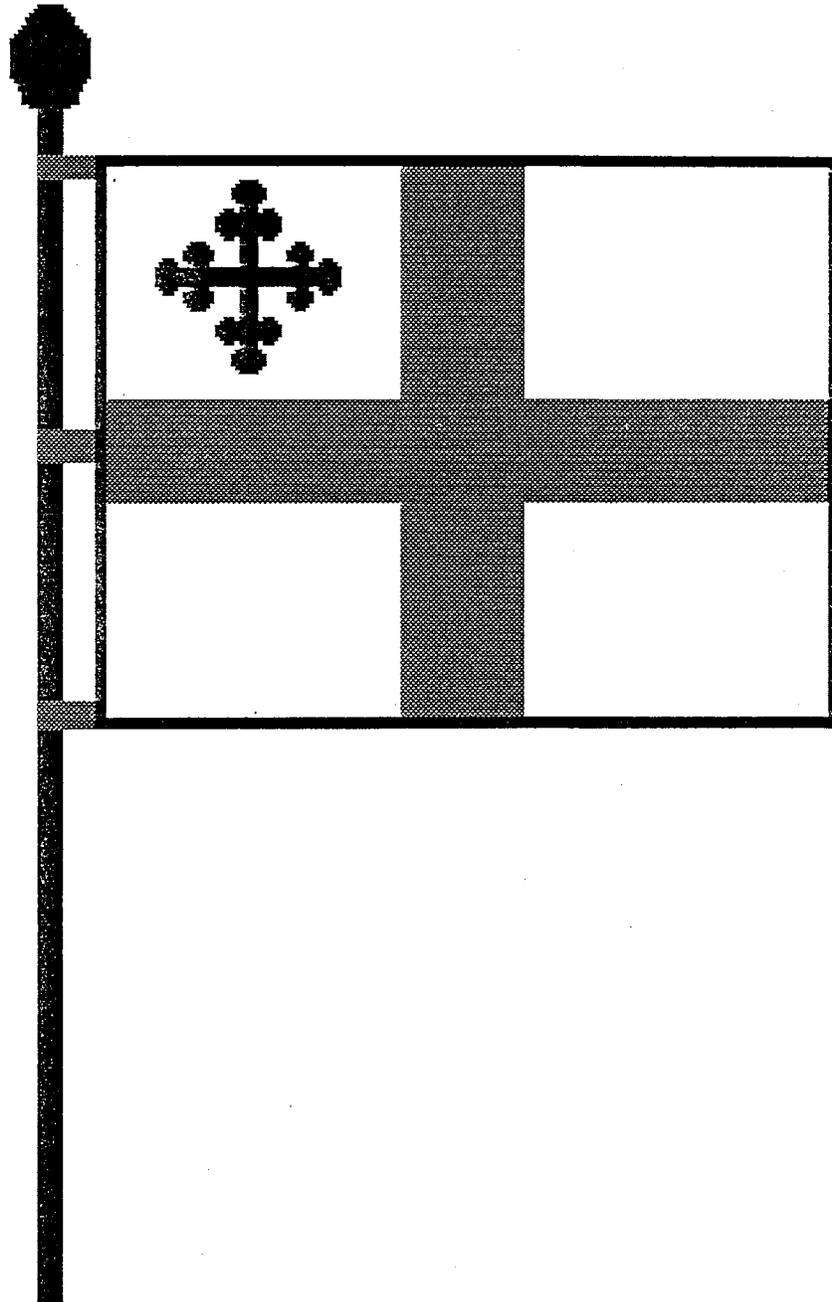


The Markland Roll of Arms



Being a listing of those personal and group devices which have been submitted to the Herald of Markland, Willelm Greycloake, as of August of 1996.

MARKLAND ROLL OF ARMS

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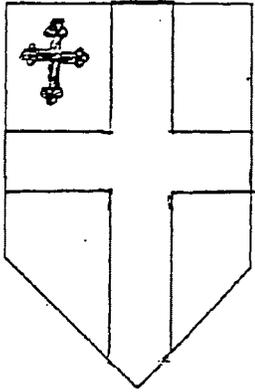
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(GROUPS with no devices (group/personal): *Hedebý, Hlenchmark, Mercenary Guild, Order of the Golden Lion, Realm of the Isles*)



Unto the Fyrd, Greetings

At last, the Markland Roll of Arms has become a reality. Taking the submissions of twenty plus years and compiling them in a format that is easy to follow seemed a monumental task, but with the help of my lady, Arduinna, it was done in record time with a minimum of fuss. We both hope that you like what we've done. There are still several devices (that we know are in use) that have never been submitted to the Herald's Office---PLEASE DO SO!!!.

Next year, if we receive enough new submissions to warrant another printing, we hope to have a little more input into design, etc. Perhaps some of those who attend the April "Herald's College" will volunteer to assist with the layout, artwork, blazoning, etc. (We'd both welcome it, that's for sure).

We hope that you enjoy perusing the Roll of Arms as much as we enjoyed putting it together. Questions regarding submissions or corrections to current submissions should be directed to the Office of the Herald of Markland, in care of the address listed on the last page of this publication.

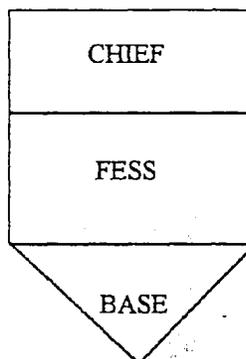
Enjoy !!.

Wilhelm

*Wilhelm Greycloake
Herald of Markland*

A Few of the Basics

For those of the Fyrd who may not have a working knowledge of Markland (and traditional) Heraldry, we lay out a few of the basics involved:



The FIELD or ground is the front of your shield. Upon this you lay your device. Describing the device is known as "blazoning." The field is divided into three major parts: the Chief (or upper third), the Fess (or middle third), and the Base (or bottom third). It can then be further divided by the use of the Honorable Ordinaries, the Subordinaries, Lines of Partition, etc. Other charges can then be placed upon the field and all of this is your 'device.'

THE COLORS used in Heraldry are given in the French; Markland Heraldry uses Old Marklandic (English) as well:

*Azure - blue
Sable - black*

*Gules - red
Vert - green*

*Purple - purple
Blanc - white ***

*(**In the earlier days of heraldry, blanc was used to describe the color, argent was used for the metal-silver. Later on, argent was used for both white and silver.)*

THE METALS:

Or - gold

*Argent - silver***

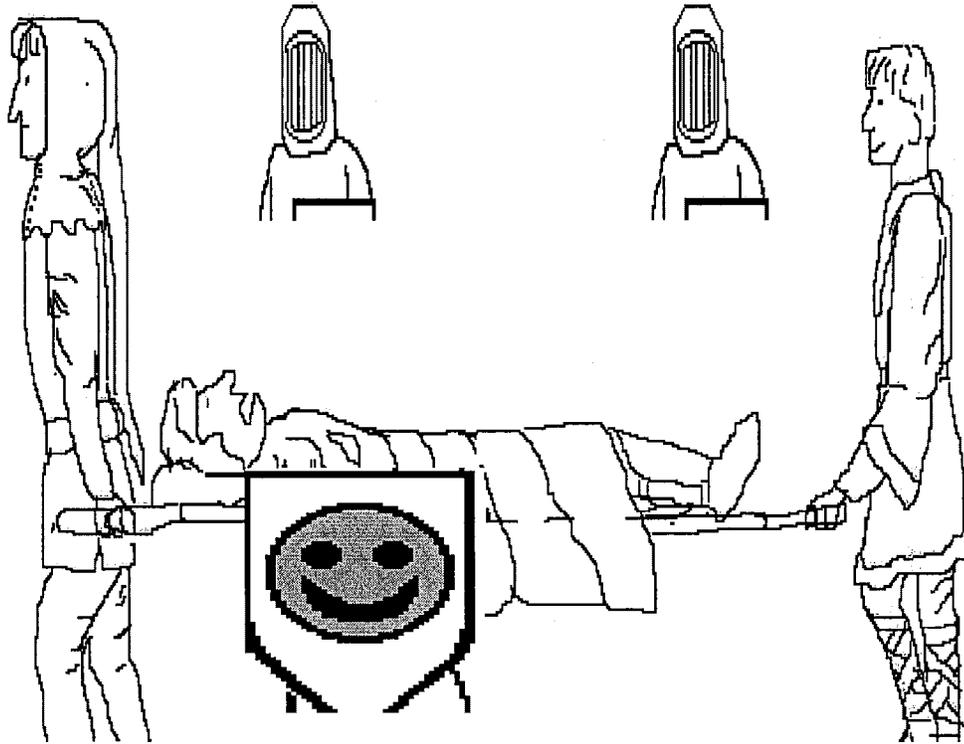
THE FURS:

In our period there were only five furs used in heraldic devices. Later on, in the 16th century on, several more were added to the list. Since only one Markland device currently uses fur of any kind (Stefan of Cambion/Steve Kiefert), we will allow this device to be the illustration for furs.

If you wish further information on Markland Heraldry, please refer to the "Heraldry" section of the Markland Compendium 1995-96 or contact the Herald of Markland at the address and phone number listed on the last page of this publication.

What happened to Lord Morgan?
He looks like he went through
a meat grinder!

The Herald who allowed his device
forgot to tell him that it acts like a
red flag before a bull when
Bjorn the Berserker sees that design.



Why it's important NEVER to make
your Herald angry at you.



CAER EDGEMERE

GROUP DEVICE: A "Russian" Eagle.



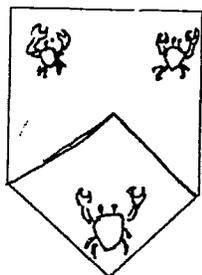
ANNA OF CAER EDGEMERE
Yarislava, Tsaritsa of all the Russias
(Anna Kueberth)

DEVICE: Or, a stag salient sable, with an orle sable



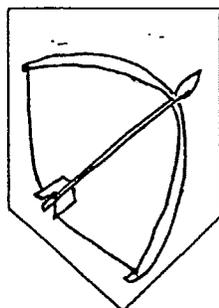
ANGHARAD OF MORFA CAER
(Cheryl Lloyd)

DEVICE: Per pale gules et argent, on a semee of caltrops two dragons combatant; all counter-changed



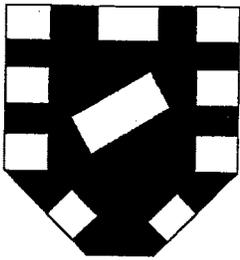
OWEN AP MADOG
Constantine, Prince of Novgorod
(Ray Lloyd)

DEVICE: Per chevron argent et gules, three crabs erect; counter-changed



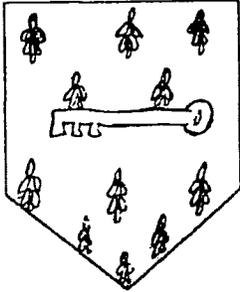
TY OF EDGEMERE
(Ty McNeer)

DEVICE: Azure, a drawn bow with arrow both argent, pointing to the sinister chief.



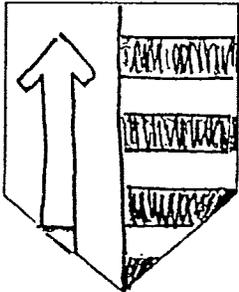
CLAN CAMBION

GROUP DEVICE: Sable, a baton sinister argent, a bordure compony argent



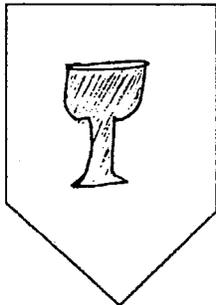
STEFAN OF CAMBION
(Steve Kiefert)

DEVICE: Erminois*, a key vert



CELESTE YEAGER
(A marshalled device with that of her former husband's device)

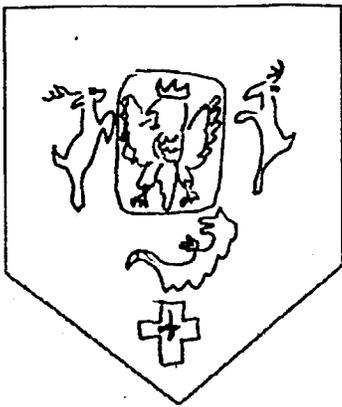
DEVICE: Barry gules and sable, marshalled with sable, a Tyr rune gules



MYFANWY
(Ellen Wilds)

DEVICE: Or, a chalice gules

(*Erminois is a heraldic "fur" composed of a gold field upon which are strewn black "tails")

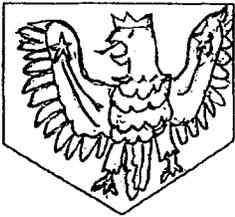


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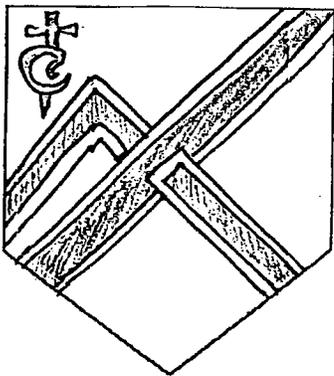
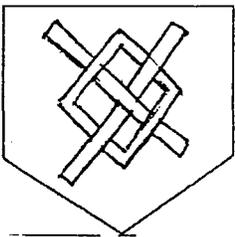
GROUP DEVICE

CHESLOV REX, KING OF POLAND
JOANNA, HIS QUEEN
(Chester & Joan Karasinski)

DEVICE: Gules, a crowned eagle displayed argent



DEVICE: Vert, a fret sable

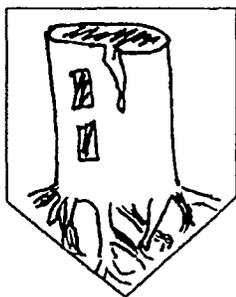


DeCONDOTTA

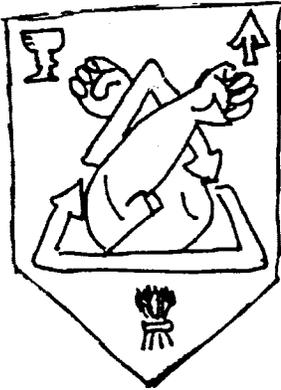
GROUP DEVICE:

BRIAN OF DeCONDOTTA

DEVICE: (Lower Marklandic)....Upon a field of gules, a rooted tower sable



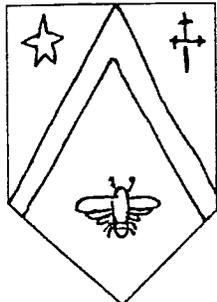
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WOLFGANG BAUMGARTNER, DUKE OF SCROUNGE
(Dave Gayda)

PERSONAL HISTORY: I, Wolfgang Baumgartner, Duke of Scrounge, Ravager of the Thrift Shops, and Champion of the poor, ungarbed masses, do hereby submit this design of my official coat of arms, to be hereafter born by me when in pursuit of my scroungy business. While my title bears no official status in the hierarchy of Markland, I feel it tends to a need which has gone a-wanting for too long, and I shall carry out my chosen vocation with all the gravity and respect of any elected position within Markland (which is to say, not one whit).

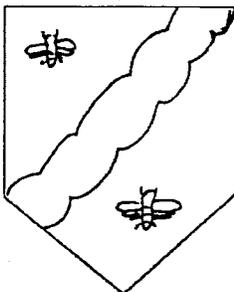
DEVICE: (Lower Marklandic)... The devices incorporated within this design link me to all the activities held dear by Marklanders. In the upper left corner, a goblet (symbol of feasting); In the upper right corner, a spearhead (affirms ties to rec fighting as well as armor and weapons manufacture); At the bottom, a sheaf of wheat (traditional symbol for garb). These devices encircle a standard recycling symbol, pierced by crossed arms (to represent my main function of gathering the necessities of our medieval lifestyle--as cheaply as possible--and passing them along to those in need).



RUEL KARES

DEVICE: Gules, an inverted pile or, in the dexter chief a mullet or, in sinister chief a cross daggered sable, in the base a bumblebee or. Motto: Live for God, Fight for God, Die for God.

HERRN RITTER ROGER VON SINSHEIM
1st Captain of DeCondotta
(Roger Roop)



PERSONAL HISTORY: The heraldic crest of the house of Rupp, have their roots in the Prussian city Peenemunde, located on the southern region of the Baltic. The crest can be traced back to the early 13th century, where it was one of a few duchies to escape consummate Teutonic rule (probably due to pay-offs of some kind or other). The crest has passed down to present day with little in the way of changes (lots of inbreeding, I guess?). This device is worn only on Herrn von Sinsheim's Ailettes and the shield of his 13th century crusader outfit.

DEVICE: Gules, a bend sinister way azure, between two bee volants or

DRUNKEN MERCENARY SCUM

GROUP DEVICE: None Submitted

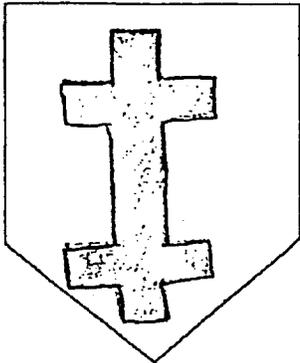


FREDRICK STROEDER VON BADEN
(Fred Schroeder)

PERSONAL HISTORY: A 14th century German mercenary who formerly fought with the Hospitallers until he became disenchanted with the fact that the Knights of the Hospitallers turned traitors to God's cause; making trading pacts with the heretics instead of sending them to hell where they belonged.

DEVICE: Or, a German eagle displayed sable; on a chief sable, three lilies argent (white)

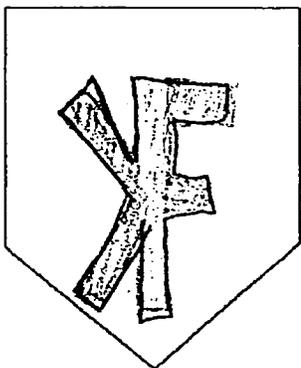
HEAD CLAN



GROUP DEVICE: Gules, a stepped cross sable

No Personal Devices Submitted

KINDER FODDER



GROUP DEVICE: Gris, a reversed "K" against an "F", both sable

NO personal devices submitted



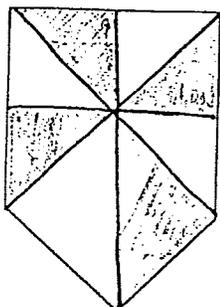
THE LONGSHIP COMPANY

GROUP DEVICE: Or, a stylized sea earn and dragon combatant both sable

ATLI VARDASON (ATTILA)
First Warlord of Markland
(Bruce Blackistone)

PERSONAL HISTORY: (If you don't know--shame on you!!!)...Atli led the first migration of the Mercenary Militia to Markland. It is said he named this first settlement "Merryland" to encourage new colonists "for it is easier to get people to come to a new land if it has a pleasant name." He became known as the First Warlord of Markland, a title his descendants claim to this day.

DEVICE: Gyronny of eight, sable and argent



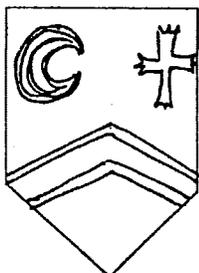
MARCH DE LA WARR

GROUP DEVICE: None Submitted

GARTH OF WESSEX, King de la Warr
(Keith Doms)

PERSONAL HISTORY: A second son of his family, he was granted his arms before his ascension to King de la Warr by Boden I, King of Markland.

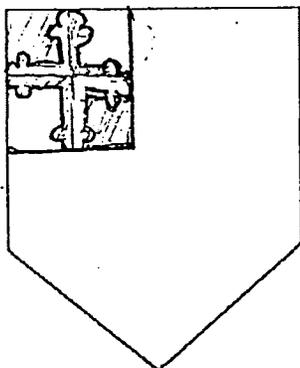
DEVICE: A dexter descrescent, sinister cross flory, and chevron of medium azure, all lined with argent, on a dark azure field.

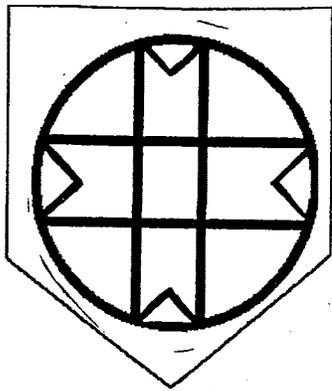


MARYLAND

GROUP DEVICE: Sable; in the canton, Quarterly gules et blanc, a cross bottony counter-changed.

NO personal devices submitted.

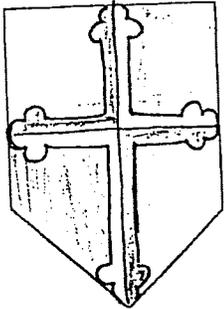




MIDGARD

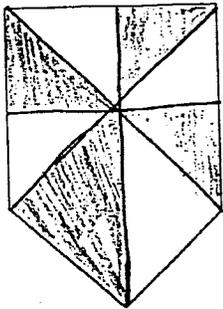
GROUP DEVICE: A black (sable) Midgard cross within a circle of black (sable), on a field of yellow (or)

SIR BARCHAN OF DINGLEBURY
Barchan the Jomsviking



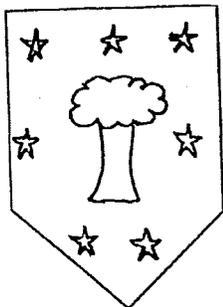
PERSONAL HISTORY: One of the Unholy Five!! With our illustrious Warlord Attila, The Earl of Stromberg, the First Wench Rhiannon, and Wilhelm Greycloake, Markland began its infamous career in re-creating battles such as Hastings and Ashdown. Twenty-some odd years later, and we're still here!!

DEVICE: Quarterly, gules and sable, a cross bottonnee counter-changed



IVAN CHORT
(John Montrie)

DEVICE: Gyronny of eight, gules and sable



ANNE OF BRIAR DITCH

DEVICE: Azure, a tree argent, in the midst of seven estoiles the same
(Variation: the tree is blanc outlined in silver)

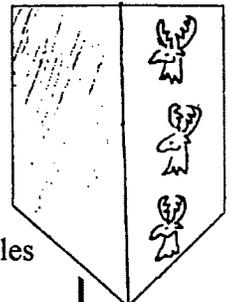
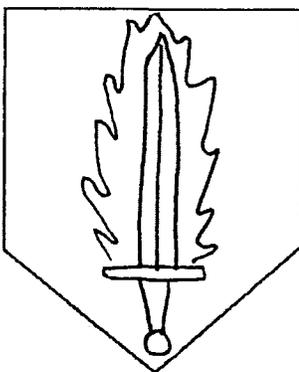
ORDER OF ST. MICHAEL

GROUP DEVICE:

ALLEN OF COMPTON
Herald of O.S.M.
(Allen Sievertson)

DEVICE: Per pale, gules and argent, three stags heads erased gules

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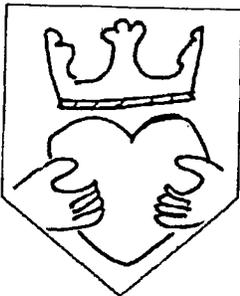
BOLESLAW THE BAD
(John Green)

DEVICE: Azure, an eagle's wing pierced with arrow argent



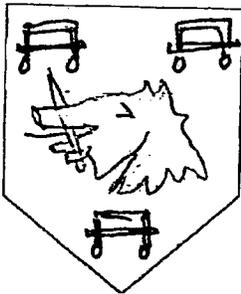
KEITH MAYFIELD

DEVICE: Azure, a lion rampant or, bearded argent



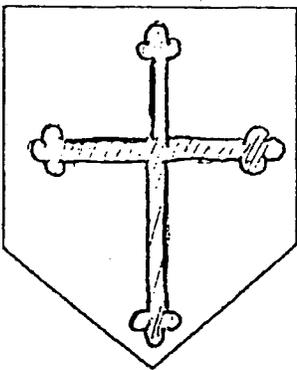
ROLAND DE ST. ALBAN
Duke of Grand Fenwick, Grandmaster of O.S.M.
(Bill Tobin)

DEVICE: Vert, a claddagh (hands argent, heart gules, crown or)



DAVE ROSE

DEVICE: Or, a boars head erased gules, biting sword azure, between
three water-bougets sable

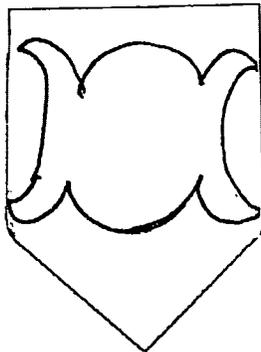


SCARLET CROSS

GROUP DEVICE: Blanc, a cross bottony gules

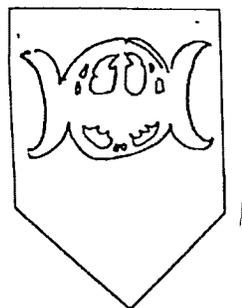
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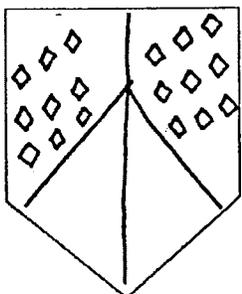
GROUP DEVICE: (Colors unknown)... Three moons in one (waxing, full and waning).

MAID MAYHEM
(Linda McNish)



PERSONAL HISTORY: Linda has been a Skraeling since the group's inception into Markland in 1981, and once held the group's highest post, Warlord. The heraldic device of Maid Mayhem reflects her loyalty to the Markland group she once led and still belongs to. She adopted this device when she was attending St. Mary's College, and it has remained her symbol ever since.

DEVICE: Azure, three moons in one argent, the full moon bearing the silhouette of a Swan displayed.



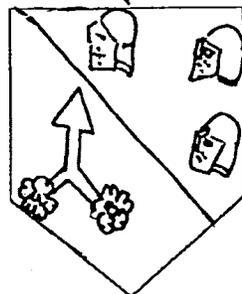
ANDREY IHORSSON
(Andrew Mychalus)

DEVICE: (1100-1199)... Per pale and per chevron sable and azure counter-changed, in the dexter and sinister quarters a semee of lozenges, also counter-changed



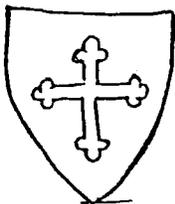
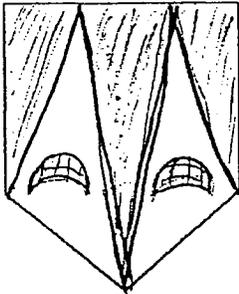
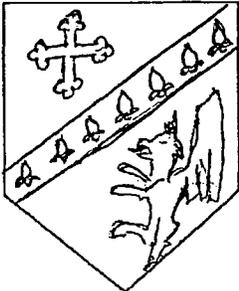
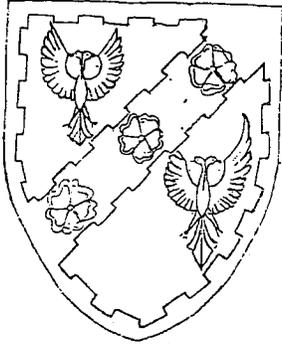
ANDREY IHORSSON
(Andrew Mychalus)

DEVICE: (1200-1300)... Per pale and per chevron sable and azure counter-changed, a dragon argent, and in the dexter chief an eight-pointed star argent



JANET THANE

DEVICE: Per bend gules and argent, 3 helms in sinister argent, a caltrop arrow or, with shaft argent; at the feet of which are 2 roses gules, seeded or



VAIRGUARD

GROUP DEVICE:

LORD BOYAR MORGAN CHARBONNEAU
(George Culp III)

DEVICE: Proper blazoning impossible as colors were not supplied prior to this printing.

ULFRICK OLAFSSON
(Richard Gieseke)

DEVICE: Vert, within a wreath of thorned vines, a stylized Celtic boar or, facing sinister

SIR OSWYN SHAROK
(David Cox)

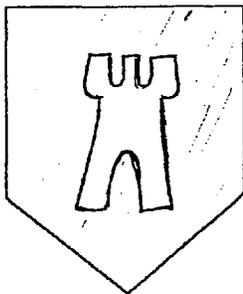
DEVICE: Azure, a cross bottony argent separated from a stylized dragon sable, by a bend sinister argent, which bears seven (??) fleur-de-lis gules

LADY BOYARIN TAUNA AELSWITH
(Donna Bowers)

DEVICE: Proper blazoning is not possible as colors were not known at the time of this printing.

ORDER OF THE RADIAN CROSS
Knightly Order of Vairguard

DEVICE: Blanc, a cross bottony or



HOUSE ADDERTON

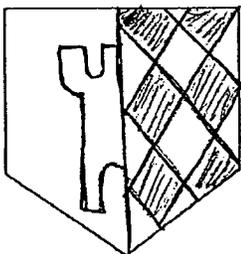
GROUP DEVICE: Gules, a gatehouse, or
(*The group device for House Adderton is also the personal device for its lord, Duke Sir Edmund Adderton (Don Canzana).
(HOUSE ADDERTON is a confederation of several households, House Adderton, The Varangian Guard, the Barony of Cashmere and the Barony of Revelwood, all of whose devices are displayed and blazoned below and on the next page.)



THE VARANGIAN GUARD

DEVICE: Per bend sinister sable and gules, a stylized dragon or, and in the dexter chief a cross bottony or

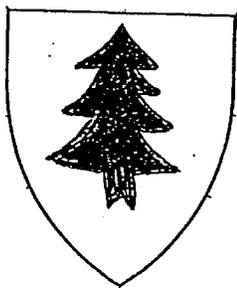
VARANGIAN GUARD



BARONY OF CASHMERE

DEVICE: Dimidiated gules, a tower or, and lozenge argent and gules

Barony of Cashmere

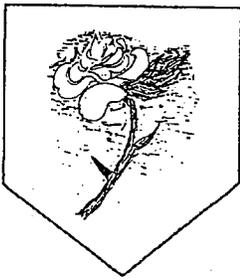


BARONY OF REVELWOOD

DEVICE: Argent, a pine tree vert

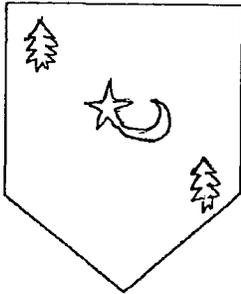
Barony of Revelwood

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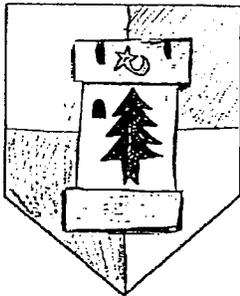
ARDEN THE INNOCENT
(Keri Fratangelo)

DEVICE: Cerulean, a rose argent, slipped vert, and thorned sable



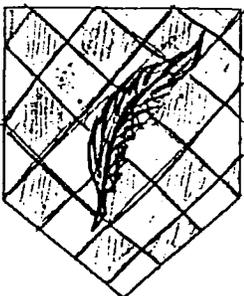
CASSIOPEA D'STOKER (nee Adderton)
(Deborah Uhland)

DEVICE: Sable, between two pine trees vert, on a bend; a five-pointed star joined by the lower sinister point to the lower horn of a crescent facing upper dexter, both argent



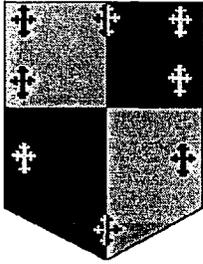
IAN MACQUADHRE
(Jon McQuarrie)

DEVICE: Quarterly vert and sable, upon a tower argent (gris?), a pine tree vert, and, upon the battlements, a five-pointed star joined by the lower sinister point to the lower horn of a crescent facing upper dexter, both or



BARON HEATHCLIFF KILFEATHER (Nee Adderton)
(Bill Hogue)

DEVICE: Lozengy gules and argent, a feather sable, leaning towards the chief sinister.



THE WHITE COMPANY

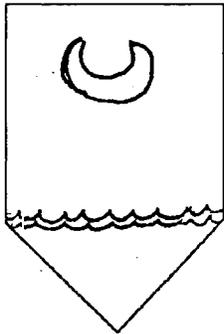
GROUP DEVICE: Quarterly or and azure, an orle of crosslets
bottony counter-changed



WILHELM GREYCLOAKE

Herald of Markland, Captain of The White Company
(William Marlow)

PERSONAL HISTORY: Wilhelm Greycloake the 1st was a Saxon who left England after the Vikings and Normans raided it in 1066; he said that "it wasn't the same anymore." He became a merchant and a mercenary, a trait carried down the line through his sons and grandsons. The current Wilhelm Greyloake is Captain of The White Company, a 14th century mercenary corp which had an illustrious history in Italy.



DEVICE: Argent, within a bordure gules, a wyvern azure

ARDUINNA, GREYCLOAKE'S LADY (Mary Marlow)

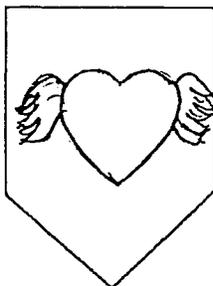
DEVICE: (Lower Marklandic)...In a sky of sable, a crescent moon or, above a silver highlighted sea of dark azure. (Moon =knowledge and is in crescent phase as "there is always more to learn". Sky=darkness of mind/life before learning, Sea="water" or "life", illuminated by knowledge.) The family motto is thus: Knowledge is the Light of Life.



WILLIAM MONTAGU DU VERT

First Lieutenant, The White Company
(Bill Quick)

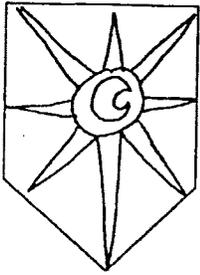
DEVICE: Or, a griffin vert



JEANNIE MACDOUGAL (Joan Mercer Milstead)

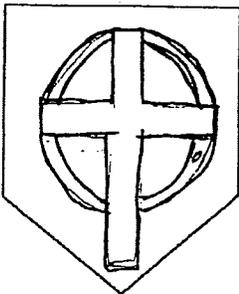
DEVICE: Gules, a winged heart argent

Unaffiliated or Former Markland Members & Groups



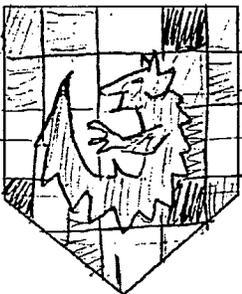
MELUSINE DE GODERYVA
(Debbie Admins)

DEVICE: Azure, a moon argent encircled in sable, upon a sun radiant or



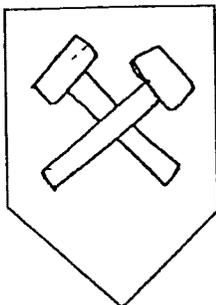
ISLE OF SKYE
Clan Device

DEVICE: Azure, upon an annulet argent, a cross argent; upon the lower arc of the annulet a dolphin azure



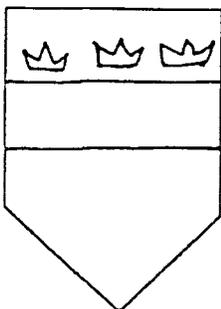
SEANNE ALANSYN
Dux Draconis Artis
(Rick Allison)

DEVICE: Checky of azure, vert, argent et sable, a dragon sable



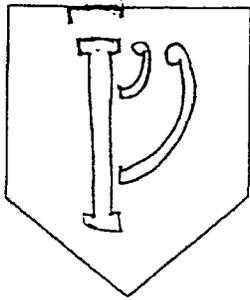
LARRY BERGMAN

DEVICE: Or, two hammers in saltire sable, headed gules



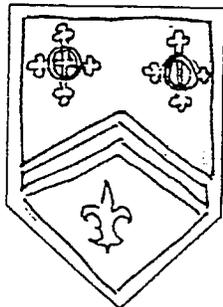
BORK
(Jim G. Lande)

DEVICE: Vert, a fess argent, in chief three ancient crowns or



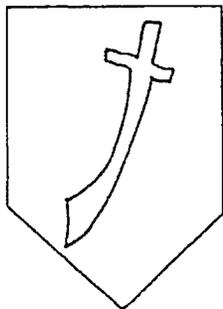
DOCTOR GANDALF
(Erik Fleischer)

DEVICE: Sable, a Tolkien "G" rune or



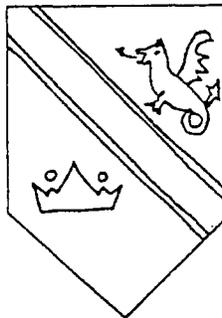
ALBERT HUANG

DEVICE: Argent (white), within a bordure argent (silver), and between a chevron azure, fimbriated argent, two crosses or, above, and a fleur-de-lis gules, below



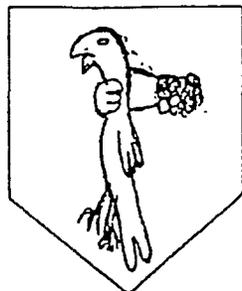
MAX THE "KNIFE"
(Max Hyre)

DEVICE: Or, a scimitar purple



ROY B. JOHNSEN

DEVICE: Per bend azure and sable, a wyvern rampant or above, an Earl's crown below of same, a bend gules fimbriated or.



TOM THE MAUDLIN
(Tom Conroy)

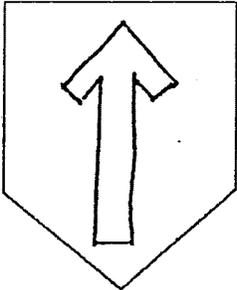
DEVICE: Sable, a dead plucked chicken or, held about the neck by a couped arm in fess mailed argent



SIR ROBERT MALLORY

Earl of Chichester
(David di Pietro)

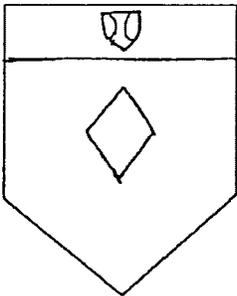
DEVICE: Azure, a lion rampant or



RAGNARR THE BOLD

(Jim Cooper)

DEVICE: Sable, a Tyr rune gules

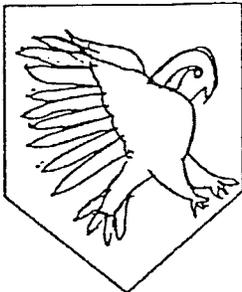


RHIANNON

First Wench of Markland
(Ceecy Nucker)

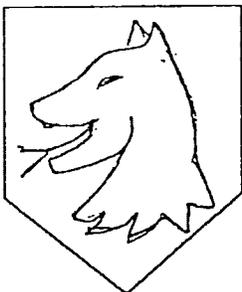
PERSONAL HISTORY: Rhiannon was one of the Unholy Five who brought Markland into being.

DEVICE: Sable, a lozenge or, and on a chief of same, an inescutcheon sable, faunches argent



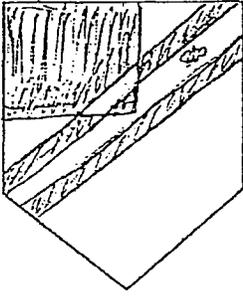
RHYSELYN

DEVICE: Vert, a kestrel or



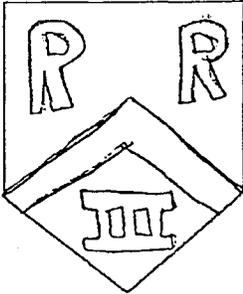
MICKEY ROCKS

DEVICE: Sable, a wolf's head erased or, langued gules



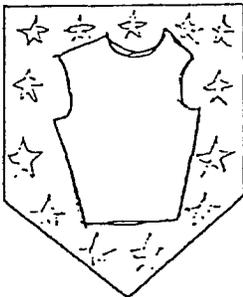
SEAN RUBA-RUBA
(Sean Fitzpatrick)

DEVICE: Quarterly, the first vert, remaining argent; in the second a cockade gules, between two bendlets counter-changed vert and argent



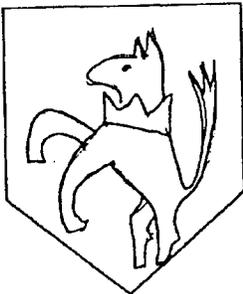
RICHARD RUDISELL III

DEVICE: Azure, between a chevron or, two R's above and a Roman III below of same



JEFF SHAFFER

DEVICE: Azure, a senee of estoiles argent, a breastplate of the same



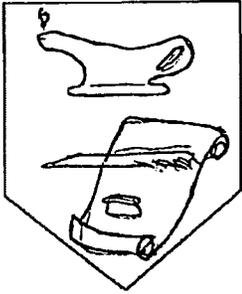
DON STALLONE

DEVICE: Argent, a stallion salient sable, eyed gules; about the neck an ancient crown or



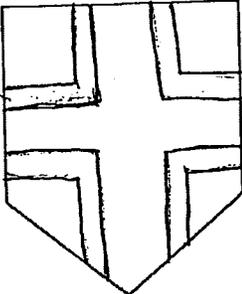
STOMPER

DEVICE: Sable, an eagle displayed sinister or, langued gules



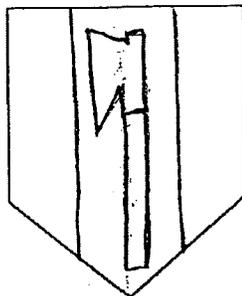
MEREDITH TAYLOR
Sister Scholastica

DEVICE: In chief a lamp or, above a scroll on which rests ink and quill, both of same. (Field color unknown)



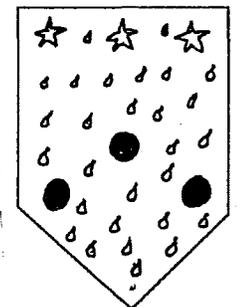
TYR TOLEFSON
(Steven Johnson)

DEVICE: Azure, a cross voided and fimbriated argent



VLAD THE IMPALER
(Doug Sheffler)

DEVICE: Vert, on a pale argent, a battle axe sable, headed gules



KRIEGER'S COMPANY
Group Device

DEVICE: Gouty, 3 hurts per chevron; in chief 3 mullets or

Thus ends the listing of heraldic devices born by the many and sundry members of The Markland Medieval Mercenary Militia, both past and present, who have submitted them for inclusion in the "Markland Roll of Arms". If your device is not listed within, or you have more information for the Rolls, please send it to the following address:

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