

# THE PURSUIVANT

Greetings from Lord Bernard the Nameless,  
Acting Golden Peach Pursuivant for the Barony of the  
Far West. This missive is being sent to all canton  
heralds and their deputies, baronial officers, the  
Baron and Baroness, and the Vesper Principal Herald.  
This is NOT the Baronial newsletter nor is it intended  
to be. It is designed solely for the information of the  
heralds and other interested individuals. If you would  
like to get the Baronial newsletter, please subscribe to  
the Far West Tidings through the Baronial  
Exchequer.

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Okay folks! Where are your reports? I haven't  
heard from most of you in months! It is a requirement  
of your positions to report regularly. Failure to report  
can put your canton at risk. If you don't believe me,  
try contacting Warrior's Gate. They have gone into  
suspension. That means there is no longer a canton in  
Korea!

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I just received a copy of the West Kingdom  
Ceremony Book. It details all the ceremonies that we  
perform during courts. If you don't have a copy of this  
valuable resource, I highly recommend it. I would  
suggest that you get your group to buy the Ceremony  
Book for your office. Then when you turn your office  
over, your successor will have the same information.  
Unfortunately the Ceremony Book doesn't include the  
ceremonies that are unique to the Far West. But it is  
my hope to have those ceremonies printed up in the  
pages of this newsletter so that all of you will have  
that information as well. The Ceremony Book is  
available through the Vesper Herald, price \$15.

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Speaking of getting your copy of the Ceremony  
Book, I would also suggest that you subscribe to the  
Minutes of the College of Heraldry. This publication  
has all the latest goings on at each meeting of the CoH.  
Since we aren't able to attend these meetings, the

Minutes is the best way to find out what's happening.  
The cost is only \$15.00 a year and it comes out every  
month. (Which is certainly more regular than the  
Pursuivant!) Write to the Vesper Herald for a  
subscription.

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Hirsch: Robert the Huntsman and Paul of  
Cheshire (both from Warrior's Gate) are no longer  
within this Barony. They have returned to the U.S.A.  
and have named no successors.

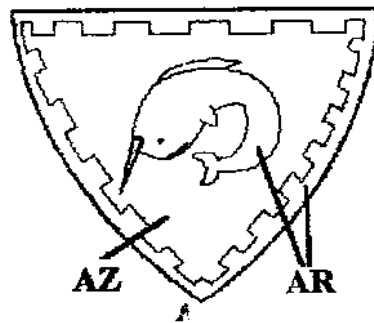
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Marie: I agree with your letter, I personally see  
no reason not to add Robert de Fecamp to the roster  
as a PE-at-Large. I will pass on your letter with my  
recommendation to Vesper.

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Kurtys: I owe you many apologies! Your copy of  
the March Pursuivant got misplaced and was never  
mailed to you. I just found it under a pile of other  
papers on my desk. I am including it with this  
missive. Also I would like to offer my advice  
regarding the submission you sent me.

Putting a vert bordure on your azure field would  
have violated the color on a color rule. I suggest that  
you get rid of the orle and put an embattled bordure  
argent instead. The example below (Azure a



narwhale embowed naiant within a bordure embattled  
argent) does not conflict significantly with anything  
that I found in the Ordinary and Armorial of the SCA.