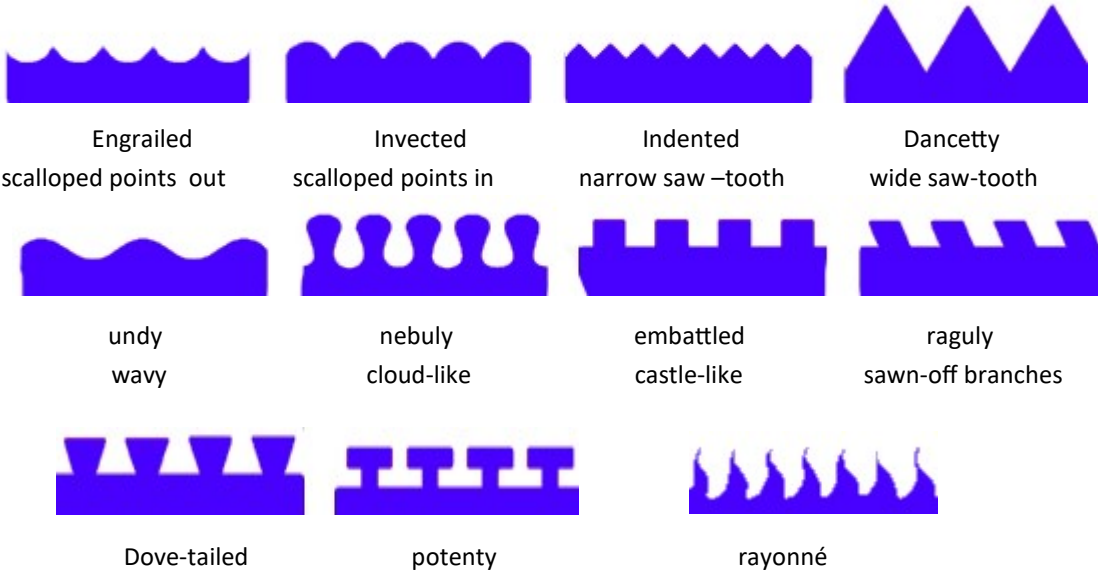


Practical Heraldry for the Self-Isolator

Week 8E— Lines of Partition

Heraldry is often made more interesting if the shapes which break up the shield are captured in other than straight lines— here are some of the commonest such treatments of lines of partition:



Galloway 1909

Here we see an example of the Scottish practice of indicating *cadency*—descent from younger son of the armiger—by means of a *bordure engrailed*.



Stodart 1871

In the 1st and 4th quarters, we see a *fess nebuly*



Burgh of Oldmeldrum 1954

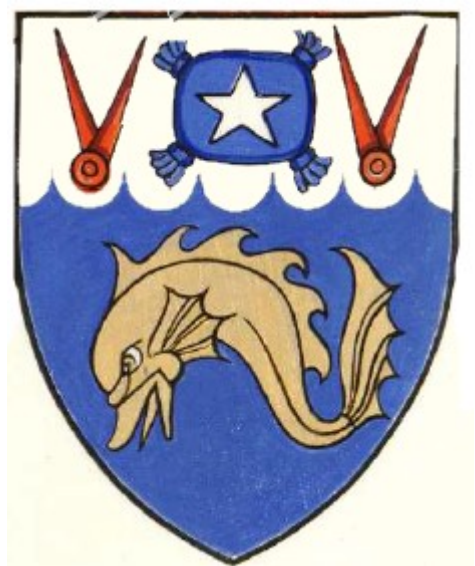
In these arms, the *fess embattled in chief and wavy in base* is clearly designed, especially with the two supporting *pallets* to represent a picture of a bridge.



Fess dancetty
Mumford 1995



A chevron embattled
Theobald-Hicks 1996



A chief inverted
Larned 2000



A saltire rayonée
Glasgow Western Infirmary 1968



a chief wavy
Guild 1968



a saltire engrailed
Pringle 1984



A bendlet sinister breasted
Morrison 1988



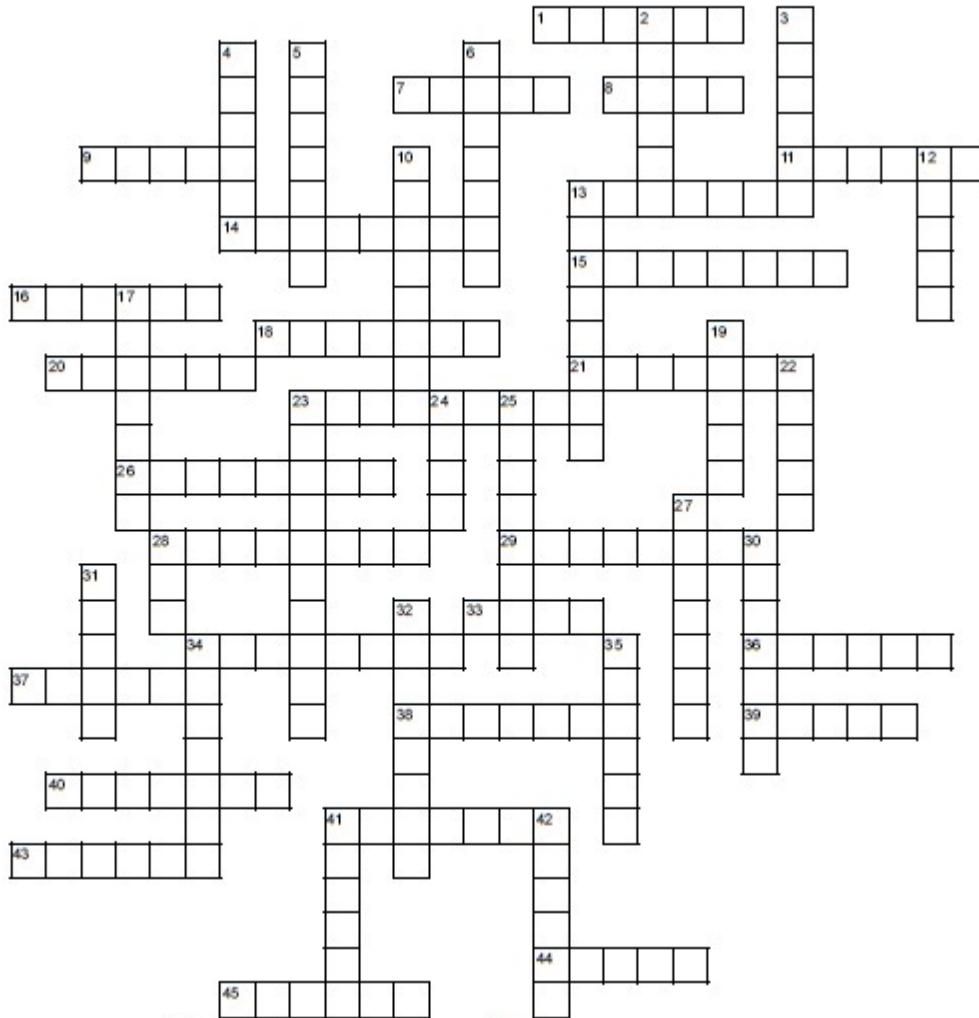
per fess indented
Lang 1909



a cross raguly
Liston 1817

Jumbo Heraldic Crossword

Week 8 of Heraldry for the Self-Isolator



Across

- 1 seated
- 7 broken into horizontal stripes
- 8 a shakefork, Y shape
- 9 a bishop's hat
- 11 a lawyer's sleeve
- 13 marks of younger sons
- 14 a thin frame, often flowered
- 15 heraldic colours and metals
- 16 diamond outline
- 18 standing still
- 20 a star
- 21 rampant, of a stag
- 23 oval-shaped shield
- 26 facing each other
- 28 a very thin horizontal strip
- 29 rampant, of a gryphon
- 33 a thick diagonal line from top left
- 34 back to back
- 36 a herald's tunic
- 37 heraldic description
- 38 a thick border
- 39 blue
- 40 describing hooves or nails
- 41 arrow-shaped
- 43 rectangular shape
- 44 knotted as in a tail
- 45 emptied, so outline only

Down

- 2 moved down the shield
- 3 showing the palm of the hand
- 4 silver
- 5 describing animal's mask
- 6 describing colours by abbreviations
- 10 lying down with head up
- 12 the top section of a shield
- 13 lines running parallel to eg a bend
- 17 fiendish trap to lame horses
- 19 having several diagonal stripes
- 22 antler's horns
- 23 five-leaved plant
- 24 a frame round the inside of a shield
- 25 head facing out, no neck visible
- 27 punning on the armiger's name
- 28 a thinnish horizontal strip
- 30 a red circle
- 31 bricked for a burgh coronet
- 32 describing the limbs
- 34 a ring
- 35 checked
- 41 cleanly cut off at the neck
- 42 swimming horizontally