

The Nottingham Quill

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Newsletter of the Barony of Nottingham Coill

News and Views

Unto the Populace of Nottingham Coill does Lady Emma send greetings,

Vivats to our new Prince and Princess, Jason Kinslae and Gerhild the Willful! Sorry for the delay in publishing this month's Quill. As many of you know I am a member of the incipient Canton of Brockshore Abbey and our group put on this year's spring Crown Tourney. To quote one our ladies, "That's the hardest I've ever worked and not gotten paid for in my life", but what an event! From the pomp and pageantry of the procession, to the great fighting clear through to the wonderful feast prepared by our very own Kingdom Seneschal, Baroness Fiona, it was a wonderful day. It turned out beautifully and I am very proud of our whole group for all the work they did.

This month's Quill will be a bit shorter than usual, but I'll make it up next month. I am expecting a new article from his Excellency and for those of you that missed it, I will also be adding some of the photos taken at Crown.

I have recently been asked what kind of articles I'd like for the Quill. So, as this is the baronial newsletter, I'd like to know what kind of articles everyone would like to read, A&S, fighting, etiquette, the choice is yours. After the recent chat on the Merry Rose about etiquette with the royals, that maybe a good place to start. Personally I'd like to see some articles about documentation, something I have a hard time with.

Yours in service,

Lady Emma



Canton-ese

News from your officers and around the Barony

From the Geneschal

If I can be of any assistance, please don't hesitate to drop me an email.

Yours In Service,

Lady Etain of Sutherland

Unto the Populace of Nottingham Coill doze your chroniclez, Lady Emma voreh flowell send greztings.

Wow what a great response I've had to last month's question! I will post the question and then choose several answers and publish them in each month's newsletter. Please try to keep your responses short and sweet, so I can publish a good variety of answers. Send your questions, answers and submissions to me at quill@nottinghamcoill.org

I look forward to hearing from everyone!

Lady Emma

Last months questions was: **What is the one "you just can't miss it" event each year?**

Nottingham Coill Baronial Birthday...I think Baronial Birthday is a must do event because I really enjoy seeing the Barony celebrated. It's always a fun event and some of my favorite people are sure to be there ☺

Lady Victoria

The can't miss event for me, for the past two years, is War of the Wings. There is so much going on, so much excitement, and a great opportunity for me to get to spend the weekend with friends from all over. I can tolerate a weekend camping in the cold for the fun I have at the event.

Lady Isolda Jourdan

This month's questions is; **What influenced your choice of time period for your persona?**

Readers Comments

Love the addition of "This Month in History", keep up the good work.

Great new format, but I would like to see more historical articles.

Can't wait to see what's "Overheard at an event", next month! - Mahaut de la Maire

Activities around the Barony

Baronial Activities

Scribal Arts Workshop

Hosted by Baroness Brig ingen Erenniagh in Greenwood, SC.
Dates vary, please contact the Baroness (Missy Looper),
ldybrigh@embarqmail.com , 864-227-0751.

Canton of Cyddlain Downs

Business Meetings:

3rd Wednesday of each month, 7:00 pm
Piccadilly Cafeteria (Dutch Square Mall)
Columbia SC

Fighter Practice:

Every Tuesday
6:00 pm (rapier); 6:30 pm (armored)
Riverfront Park, Columbia SC

Archery Practice:

3rd Sunday of each month, 2:00 pm
Camden Revolutionary War Park, Camden SC

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Canton of Falcon Cree

Business Meetings:

1st Tuesday of each month
7:00 pm
Downtown Greenville Library
Greenville SC

Archery Practice:

Monthly practice
IKAC and Royal Rounds
Email for time & location:
Archery@FalconCree.org

Garb Night & Archery Practice:

4th Tuesday of each month
7:00 pm
Email for time & location:
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Canton of Ritterwald

Business Meetings:

Quarterly

Fighter Practice:

None

Archery Practice:

Monthly
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Social:

Monthly canton gathers
Last Sunday of every month

Contact for more info:

Lord Loki Stormslove (Seneschal)

Canton of St. Georges

Business Meetings:

1st Tuesday of each month 7:00pm
Central/Clemson Library
Central, SC

Fighter Practice:

Every Sunday 11am-3pm

Easley, SC

Please email sara@dixiememories.com for location

Incipient Canton of Brockshore Abbey

Business meetings held on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at Shoney's of Hartsville.

Fighter practices; 1st and 3rd Sundays from 2-4 pm at Our Shepherd Lutheran Church, Hwy 151 Hartsville

Archery Practices; 2nd and 4th Sundays from 2-4 pm at Our Shepherd Lutheran Church, Hwy 151 Hartsville

A&S days; 1st and 3rd Sundays from 2-4 pm at Our Shepherd Lutheran Church, Hwy 151 Hartsville

We will beginning a regular monthly dance practice with details to be announced.

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Special Notes

Telephone Courtesy

Please do not call any of the officers after 9PM. Keep in mind also that many of them are at events on the weekend and may not be able to return your call until the following Monday.

Email Courtesy

Please give adequate time for a response, keeping in mind that we all have busy lives. However, if you have not received a reply in a reasonable amount of time (24 – 48 hours), try sending your email again. Sometimes emails “get lost” and the recipient does not receive it.

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Moments in Our Time

May

- 1 [1328](#) - Wars of Scottish Independence end: [Treaty of Edinburgh-Northampton](#) - [England](#) recognizes [Scotland](#) as an independent nation.
- 2 [1230](#) - [William de Braose](#), 10th Baron Abergavenny is hanged by Prince [Llywelyn the Great](#).
- 3 [1568](#) - [Mary I of Scotland](#) escapes from [Loch Leven Castle](#), where she had been imprisoned by Sir [William Douglas](#).
- 4 [1494](#) - [Christopher Columbus](#) first sights land that will be called [Jamaica](#).
- 5 [1415](#) - Religious reformers [John Wycliffe](#) and [Jan Hus](#) are condemned as [heretics](#) at the [Council of Constance](#).
- 6 [1471](#) - Wars of the Roses: The [Battle of Tewkesbury](#): [Edward IV](#) defeats a [Lancastrian](#) Army and kills [Edward, Prince of Wales](#).
- 7 [1215](#) - Rebel Barons renounce their allegiance to [King John](#). This was part of a chain of events leading to the [Magna Carta](#) signing.
- 8 [1260](#) - [Kublai Khan](#) becomes ruler of the [Mongol Empire](#).
- 9 [1527](#) - [Spanish](#) and [German](#) troops sack [Rome](#); some consider this the end of the [Renaissance](#).
- 10 [558](#) - In [Constantinople](#), the dome of the [Hagia Sophia](#) collapses. [Justinian I](#) immediately orders the dome rebuilt.
- 11 [1429](#) - [Joan of Arc](#) ends the [Siege of Orleans](#), pulling an arrow from her own [shoulder](#) and returning, wounded, to lead the final charge. The victory marks a turning point in the [Hundred Years' War](#).
- 12 [1450](#) - [Jack Cade's Rebellion](#): [Kentishmen](#) revolt against King [Henry VI](#).
- 13 [1541](#) - [Hernando de Soto](#) reaches the [Mississippi River](#) and names it *Rio de Espiritu Santo*.
- 14 [1502](#) - [Christopher Columbus](#) leaves [Spain](#) for his fourth and final journey to the [New World](#).
- 15 [1671](#) - [Thomas Blood](#), disguised as a [clergyman](#), attempts to steal England's [Crown Jewels](#) from the [Tower of London](#).
- 16 [1291](#) - [Scottish nobles](#) recognize the authority of [Edward I of England](#).
- 17 [1497](#) - [Amerigo Vespucci](#) allegedly leaves [Cádiz](#) for his first voyage to the [New World](#).
- 18 [1503](#) - [Christopher Columbus](#) visits the [Cayman Islands](#) and names them *Las Tortugas* after the numerous [sea turtles](#) there.
- 19 [1534](#) - [Jacques Cartier](#) visits [Newfoundland](#).
- 20 [1310](#) - 54 members of the [Knights Templar](#) are burned at the stake in [France](#) for being heretics.
- 21 [1264](#) - The [Battle of Lewes](#), between King [Henry III of England](#) and the rebel [Simon de Montfort, 6th Earl of Leicester](#), begins.
- 22 [1328](#) - [Antipope Nicholas V](#), a claimant to the [papacy](#), is consecrated in [Rome](#) by the [Bishop of Venice](#).
- 23 [1588](#) - [French Wars of Religion](#): [Henry III of France](#) flees [Paris](#) after [Henry of Guise](#) enters the city.
- 24 [1568](#) - [Battle of Langside](#): the forces of [Mary Queen of Scots](#) are defeated by a confederacy of [Scottish Protestants](#) under [James Stewart, Earl of Moray](#), her [half-brother](#).
- 25 [1264](#) - [Battle of Lewes](#): [Henry III of England](#) is captured in [France](#) making [Simon de Montfort](#) the *de facto* ruler of [England](#).
- 26 [1483](#) - Coronation of [Charles VIII of France](#) ("Charles l'Affable").
- 27 [1509](#) - [Battle of Agnadello](#): In [northern Italy](#), [French](#) forces defeat the [Venetians](#).
- 28 [1525](#) - The battle of [Frankenhausen](#) ends the [Peasants' War](#).
- 29 [1527](#) - The [Florentines](#) drive out the [Medici](#) for a second time and [Florence](#) re-establishes a [republic](#).
- 30 [1532](#) - [Sir Thomas More](#) resigns as [Lord Chancellor of England](#).
- 31 [1568](#) - [Mary Queen of Scots](#) flees to [England](#).
- 32 [1521](#) - [Edward Stafford, 3rd Duke of Buckingham](#), is executed for [treason](#).
- 33 [1590](#) - [Anne of Denmark](#) is crowned Queen of [Scotland](#).
- 34 [1152](#) - [Henry II](#) marries [Eleanor of Aquitaine](#).
- 35 [1535](#) - [French](#) explorer [Jacques Cartier](#) sets sail on his second voyage to [North America](#) with three ships, 110 men, and [Chief Donnacona's](#) two sons (whom Cartier kidnapped during his first voyage).
- 36 [1536](#) - [Anne Boleyn](#), the second wife of [Henry VIII of England](#), is beheaded for [adultery](#).
- 37 [1568](#) - Queen [Elizabeth I of England](#) has [Mary Queen of Scots](#) arrested.
- 38 [1217](#) - The [Second Battle of Lincoln](#) is fought near [Lincoln, England](#), resulting in the defeat of [Prince Louis of France](#) by [William Marshal, 2nd Earl of Pembroke](#).
- 39 [1497](#) - [John Cabot](#) sets sail from [Bristol, England](#), on his ship *Matthew* looking for a route to the west (other documents give a [2 May](#) date).
- 40 [878](#) - [Syracuse](#) is captured by the Muslim sultan of [Sicily](#).
- 41 [996](#) - Sixteen-year-old [Otto III](#) is crowned [Holy Roman Emperor](#).
- 42 [1260](#) - [Kublai Khan](#) of the [Mongol Empire](#) sends his envoy [Hao Jing](#) and two other advisors to the [Chinese Song Dynasty](#) court of [Emperor Lizong of Song](#); while attempting to negotiate with the Song in order to resolve their conflict, [Hao Jing](#) and his fellow emissaries were imprisoned by order of the high [Chinese chancellor](#), [Jia Sidao](#).
- 43 [1176](#) - Murder attempt by the [Hashshashin](#) (Assassins) on [Saladin](#) near [Aleppo](#).
- 44 [1377](#) - [Pope Gregory XI](#) issues five [papal bulls](#) to denounce the [doctrines](#) of [English theologian John Wycliffe](#).
- 45 [1455](#) - Wars of the Roses: At the [First Battle of St Albans](#), [Richard, Duke of York](#), defeats and captures King [Henry VI of England](#).
- 46 [1430](#) - [Joan of Arc](#) is captured by the [Burgundians](#) while leading an army to relieve [Compiègne](#).
- 47 [1498](#) - [Girolamo Savonarola](#) is burned at the stake, in [Florence, Italy](#), on the orders of [Pope Alexander VI](#).
- 48 [1533](#) - The marriage of King [Henry VIII](#) to [Catherine of Aragon](#) is declared null and void.
- 49 [1568](#) - [Netherlands](#) declared [independence](#) from [Spain](#).
- 50 [1568](#) - [Dutch](#) rebels led by [Louis of Nassau](#), brother of [William I of Orange](#), defeat [Jean de Ligne, Duke of Aremberg](#) and his loyalist troops in the [Battle of Heiligerlee](#), opening the [Eighty Years' War](#).
- 51 [1218](#) - The [Fifth Crusade](#) leaves [Acre](#) for [Egypt](#).
- 52 [1487](#) - [Imposter Lambert Simnel](#) is crowned as "[King Edward VI](#)" at [Dublin](#).
- 53 [1521](#) - The [Diet of Worms](#) ends when [Charles V, Holy Roman Emperor](#), issues the [Edict of Worms](#), declaring [Martin Luther](#) an outlaw.
- 54 [1153](#) - [Malcolm IV](#) becomes King of [Scotland](#).
- 55 [1328](#) - [Philip VI](#) is crowned King of [France](#).
- 56 [1503](#) - [James IV of Scotland](#) and [Margaret Tudor](#) are married by [Pope Alexander VI](#) according to [Papal Bull](#).
- 57 [1503](#) - The [Treaty of Everlasting Peace](#) between [Scotland](#) and [England](#) is signed, which would actually last 10 years.
- 58 [1588](#) - The [Spanish Armada](#), with 130 ships and 30,000 men, begins to set sail from [Lisbon](#) heading for the [English Channel](#). (It will take until [May 30](#) for all ships to leave port).
- 59 [1453](#) - [Byzantine-Ottoman Wars](#): [Ottoman](#) armies under [Sultan Mehmed II Fatih](#) capture [Constantinople](#) after a [siege](#), ending the [Byzantine Empire](#).
- 60 [1431](#) - [Hundred Years' War](#): In [Rouen, France](#), 19-year-old [Joan of Arc](#) burned at the stake by an English-dominated tribunal.
- 61 [1574](#) - [Henry III](#) becomes King of [France](#).

For More Information

Quill Comments

Do you have any comments, questions, or suggestions for The Quill? We want to know! Please send them to quill@nottinghillcoill.org or directly to my e-mail at k.beedy@hotmail.com

Lady Emma verch Howell

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