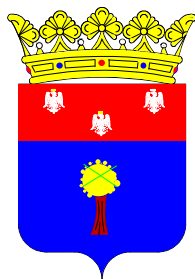


Lante Montefeltro della Rovere



Description of Arms :

Troncato : nel 1°, di rosso a tre aquillette d'argento coronate d'oro 2 e 1 (Lante) ; nel 2°, d'azzurro alla rovere sradicata d'oro con i rami passanti in doppia croce di Sant'Andrea (della Rovere).

Principal Title : Duke Lante Montefeltro della Rovere.

Creation : See text.

Subsidiary Titles : Duke of Bomarzo (XVI century).

Family Name: Lante Montefeltro della Rovere.

Family History : This is a XIV Century family, originally from Pisa. It provided a senator in Rome in 1380.

The Emperor Wenceslas IV, who reigned as Germanic Emperor 1378-1419, created the sovereign marquisate of Massa di Lumi in their favour. Since then, they have provided the Church with three cardinals in 1606, 1743 and 1816..

During the XVI Century, Marcantonio Lante married Lucrezia della Rovere and was obliged to add her name to his. In exchange, he was created Duke di Bomarzo by Pope Innocent X (1644-1655). The della Rovere family, apart from being dukes of Urbino, also gave the Church Pope Sixtus IV (1471-1484) and Pope Julius II (1503-1513). These two gifted men have left us with the Sistine Chapel and the works of Michelangelo, protected and encouraged by the latter.

As a sideline, it is worth mentioning that the Lante family also inherited the duchy of Santa Croce di Magliano, which has since passed first into the Falconieri family and then into that of Graziosi.

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Marcantonio Lante, 1st Duke of Bomarzo
by = Lucrezia della Rovere

Vincent, Duke of Lante

= Elisabeth, C. Sassi della Tosa

Jules (1789-18783), Duke of Lante Monfeltro della Rovere
= (1818) P. Marie Colonna (1799-1840)

Louise
(1799-?)

Pierre
= Angela ?

Charlotte
(1821-?)

Livie
(1823-?)

Catherine
(1828-?)

Antonio (1831-?), Duke of Lante Monfeltro
= (1866) Mathilde Davis

Pierre
(1867-?)

Angela
(1868-?)

Frederic
(1870-?)

Ludovico
(1871-?)

Marianita
(1873-?)

Louis
(1880-?)

Duke don PIETRO LANTE
MONTEFELTRO DELLA ROVERE