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DUNVEGAN ARMORIAL

One of the great and but lesser known treasures of Dunvegan Castle is the marvelous historic record known as the Dunvegan Armorial.

This superb Armorial has rarely been seen outside its home at Dunvegan Castle on the Isle of Skye in the last 250 years. The last occasion was at the Glasgow Exhibition of 1911. Compiled about 1582, probably as a Royal gift, the manuscript contains the achievements of 23 Earls, 29 Lords, and the arms of 215 Gentlemen. As a bonus, a Liber Amicorum belonging to William Shaw, Master of the King's Works in the 1580s, containing the arms and signatures of Foreign Ambassadors, was bound into the volume at an early date.

The Heraldry Society of Scotland is pleased to announce the publication of ***The Dunvegan Armorial*** in a limited edition of **only 500** copies. The volume is A4 size, with 256 pages in full colour throughout. It is bound in maroon simulated leather with the title in gold on the spine and front cover, and the arms of the Macleod of that Ilk and the Heraldic Society in gold on the front and back covers respectively.

www.heraldry-scotland.co.uk/dunvegan.html ((2012))



£ 59 to your door.

I don't know if there are any still available, but the website is still up.