

Clan JUSTICE

ARMS CREST MOTTO

Blue with a sword supporting a pair of balances. Not available

Non sine causa (Not without a cause).

JUSTICE. From the office of magistrate. Patrick Justice, priest, witnessed instrument of sasine in Perthshire, 1474 and another Patrick Justyce was tenant of the mill of Kerso, 1472. The lands of James Justeis and Thome Justeis in Scone are mentioned in 1491, and Gilbert Justeis witnessed a charter by the abbot of Scone to William Peblis in the same year. The surname is not infrequent in registers relating to the midland counties during the sixteenth century. Adam Justice, portioner of Newbigging, 1624, and seven more are recorded in Lanark Commissariot Record between 1595-1800. Patrick Justice was town councilor of Perth, 1567, Gavin Justice was indweller in Stirling, 1648, and Robert Justice was merchant in Glasgow, 1673.

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