



ARMS Blue with a chevron between two stars at the top and a silver

crescent in base.

CREST Not available

MOTTO None

MACCANISH. Thomas MacKanyss was burgess of Glasgow, 1524. John M'Caniss in Ballechragan in record, 1664, and Alexander M'Canish of Garvalt in record, 1698. "It is very probable that the present day MacAnish, MacAinish, and MacAinsh families of Perthshire are descended from the old MacCanish sept of Atholl, and. also that they were not of MacInnes or MacAngus origin, but really a branch of the MacNish stock in Atholl'. But d. MACAN.GUS.

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