

Breaking News Archive - From 23 September 2003

29 March 2005

"Beyond belief !!" -

Some early comment

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27 March 2005

"Beyond belief !!" -

The SCRO experts who made the Shirley McKie/Marion Ross 'identifications' are employed in quality control verifying other experts identifications.

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Your comment !!!

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25 March 2005

'That was the week that was'

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Your comment !!!

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21 March 2005

SCRO Primary Inspection 2004 - some observations.

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Your comment !!!

20 March 2005

Scottish Print Bureau "still cannot be trusted."

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17 March 2005

SCRO Primary Inspection 2004 - A detailed critique of this report goes online on this site shortly.

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14 March 2005

MOJO reprieved

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12 March 2005

'That was the week that was'

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11 March 2005

A conference 'Justice for All?' will be held in Glasgow this November. Among the issues for discussion will be the background to Shirley's case, the misuse of the subjudice rule by the authorities to stifle debate and the constitutional position of the Lord Advocate. The date, venue and ticket arrangements will be announced soon.

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9 March 2005

Henry Fauld's request

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5 March 2005

'That was the week that was'

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3 March 2005

More letters.

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2 March 2005

'David and Goliath'

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28 February 2005

Letters: 'Deja Vu'

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24 February 2005

'The 11th Truth'

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21 February 2005

'That was the week that was'

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19 February 2005

The '10 Truth Challenge' update.

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16 February 2005

The '10 Truth Challenge' - responses.

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The Lord Advocate - Freedom of information.

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14 February 2005

Take the '10 truth' challenge.

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7 February 2005

'That was the week that was.'

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4 February 2005

'Expert Witnesses' - how far should they be liable?

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28 January 2005 8 January 2004

'The Marion Ross murder' - the debate continues

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27 January 2005

'The Marion Ross murder' - An interesting idea from Australia.

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23 January 2005

'That was the week that was.'

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19 January 2005

The Shirley McKie Case goes on tour.

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17 January 2004

Freedom of Information Act requests.

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10 January 2005

Letter to all Chief Constables: One acknowledgment but no replies.

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6 January 2005

'That was the year that was!'

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29 December 2004

**'BBC Scotland' -
review**

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**'Fingerprints in print' - the discussion continues
(cpex.com - detail chat board - 'CAC Article)**

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26 December 2004

'Cops snub fingerprint pioneer's memorial' - Sunday Mail

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23 December 2004

'Law Society' - Forensic training planned for 2005

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21 December 2004

'Fingerprints in print' - debate

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19 December 2004

'That was the week that was!'

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13 December 2004

'The Herald' - 'GMC and Law Society' - letters page 2/3

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12 December 2004

"That was the week that was."

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7 December 2004

'The Firm' - 'Forensic foul-ups' - Shirley McKie speaks out about the shocking miscarriage of justice that almost killed her.'

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6 December 2004

42 MSP's pledge their support

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2 December 2004

Reflections on the past week

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29 November 2004

'Law Society' apology.

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27 November 2004

'The Scotsman' letters - "Freedoms endangered."

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25 November 2004

'The Herald' letters
(page 6) - "experts and identity cards."

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23 November 2004

'Forensic Science and Crime Detection in Scotland' - A paper by Iain McKie.

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19 November 2004

News update

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17 November 2004

Lesson from America? - "To disagree was not an expected response,"

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16 November 2004

Police /SCRO – Where were you?

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15 November 2004

Henry Faulds memorable day.

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12 November 2004

'Tribute to fingerprint pioneer.'

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10 November 2004

Alex Neil MSP complains at Lord Advocate's sub-judice ruling.

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9 November 2004

'**Campaigner of the year**' - STV at 11 pm on Thursday 11 November.

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8 November 2004

Lord Advocate hides behind the sub-judice rule.

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5 November 2004

Shirley will meet a group of MSPs at the Scottish Parliament on 16 November to discuss cross party support in her case against the Scottish Ministers and SCRO.

3 November 2004

The **Law Society** - a help or a hindrance?

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1 November 2004

Shirley to attend **Henry Faulds** memorial unveiling in Beith on 12 November.

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Link to Fauld's site

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31 October 2004

Click on '**Friends of Shirley**', read the latest letters and send Shirley an e-mail.

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29 October 2004

World's experts at inauguration of memorial to 'Henry Faulds' pioneer in fingerprint identification in Beith, Ayrshire on Friday 12 October.

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27 October 2004

'Judge for Yourself'

A new book by L A Naylor contains an analysis of the Shirley McKie case.

"The relevant marks either belong to Shirley McKie and Marion Ross or they don't. If they don't.....then SCRO experts are either incompetent or criminal."

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25 October 2004

Campaigner of the Year award.

Shirley and Iain McKie shortlisted.

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"the worst injustice since our Parliament was re-born"

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24 October 2004

SCRO take note!!

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22 October 2004

The Herald 'Campaigner of the Year nominations'.

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21 October 2004

Fergus Ewing MSP challenges the Minister for Justice.

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20 October 2004

Civil hearing date

Shirley's civil hearing seeking damages from the Scottish Ministers/SCRO will start on Tuesday 7 February 2006 lasting for 5 weeks.

18 October 2004

Letter to all MSP's:

Further to my letter of 26 April 2004 seeking cross-party support for my daughter's case I am writing to update you on events.

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17 October 2004

Alan McNamara Fingerprint Appeal
will be held on 19/20 October 2004 at the Royal Courts of Justice in London.

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16 October 2004

The Scotsman

Fingerprint experts must explain error under oath

MARCELLO MEGA

SENIOR fingerprint experts will be forced to explain in court under oath why they mistakenly insisted a print found at a murder scene had been left by a police officer.

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14 October 2004

Stop Press

The Scottish Ministers have dropped their appeal against Shirley's civil hearing granted by Lord Wheatley last year.

This opens the way for a full hearing of the facts in her case that will take place for 5 weeks starting in February 2006. While further delay only adds to the continuing trauma for Shirley there is a deep satisfaction that the Scottish Ministers, Lord Advocate and leading figures at the Crown Office, Strathclyde Police, ACPOS and SCRO will be called to give an account of their actions. They will have to swear to

tell the truth the whole truth and nothing but the truth and at last openly account for their actions and failures to act.

We are in the process of gathering evidence about the murder investigation and would urge any readers with information to contact us confidentially. We are particularly interested in and have already traced some witnesses who were working in Ms Ross's home before 1997 and who were associated with SCRO and Strathclyde Police at that time.

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10 October 2004

The Portland lawyer arrested by FBI agents after his fingerprint was incorrectly matched to one found near the Madrid train bombings filed a lawsuit Monday against the U.S. government,

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30 September 2004

Iain McKie debates with forensic scientists.

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Remember to e-mail your address book about this site and spread the word. As more and more people become involved pressure increases on the SCRO and Scottish Justice System to finally resolve this 8 year long struggle.

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27 September 2004

Thanks for all the messages of support coming in and replies will be made as soon as possible. A selection of letters is shown under 'Friends of Shirley'. As the site develops we will be adding more background material to the case and providing a legal update.

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DNA profiling benefits the judicial process

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The Danger of using fingerprint evidence in trials.

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*A packed Press Conference yesterday heard how new technology will allow the non-expert to see what the experts have known for years - SCRO is wrong. **Click here for links about the press conference.***

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'The FBI apologized to Brandon Mayfield on Monday, saying it had erroneously identified his fingerprint on a bag of detonators found near the site of the deadly March 11 terror attack in Madrid, Spain.'

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