

# Election

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Election Communication

## Shetland Islands



### Return of the Monarchy

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# Vote for PETER TAIT

## VOTE FOR CONSTITUTIONAL REFORM

## INDEPENDENT

**God said to the prophet Jonah "there are in the city of Nineveh more than a hundred and twenty thousand people who do not know their right hand from their left". Jonah Ch4**

Jonah had been commissioned by God to go to Nineveh and deliver a message however Jonah chose to flee in the opposite direction. He paid his fare on a ship to the furthest part of the known world at the time "Tarshish" (possibly the British Isles.) However, the long and the short of the story is that Jonah was delivered back where he started. He had to accept his commission.

We live in a great civilisation, five hundred years old or more, what is its name? Behind us, or before us, are, or were, the great civilisations of Rome and Greece. Talking metaphorically, we know their names because it is blazoned on the bow of their ships. We live aboard our ship but we cannot see its name. I can go to the bow of this ship and crane my neck over the rail so as to speak. However, all I can see is the top edges of the letters. The view from the rail is partial, indecipherable, mirror writing. At least, though, I can conclude that our ship or our civilisation has a name like all previous civilisations.

**Now, if we don't know the name of the ship on which we sail, are we not just as ignorant as people of Nineveh?**

I recall the phrase from Isaiah Ch 6 v 9-10 quoted by Jesus in Mk Ch 4 v12 "they may look and look but see nothing .....". (NEB) Why make it easy for them? (Soliloquy)

### **Who is going to crack this code?**

Time to study the mirror writing, time to count the letters, time to read the runes.

I have to use different criteria to solve the problem. I can ask questions like "who is the highest person in hierarchal structural terms in our world Today?"

The central state must be free during the whole life of that particular structure. Etc, Etc. and by process of elimination, I can narrow it right down.

**My conclusion is that the name of our ship is "HMS Civilisation of The Scot" the name is important. For instance, if you wish to access the health service your name is very important.**

**Now that we know the name of our patient, the "Civilisation of the Scot", we can lay him/it on the table and give him/it a long overdue health check.**

When we do this, the problem becomes blatantly obvious, the head is in the wrong position. We might as well wind up the examination and send the patient home, while we decide what if anything we are going to do about it.

**The diagnosis is serious but the solution seems simple and within budget.**

"But there are other things wrong!" You might say. Well, there might be other things wrong but if your head was just a few degrees off-centre it would cause aches and pains all over your body and it would not be possible to define what was caused by the off-centre head and what was due to other issues.

**So, the off-centre head is the main problem.**

It is perhaps, easier for us Scots to talk in the context of civilisation because it is, after all, our baby. Others can also talk in the context of civilisation as long as they get the name right, otherwise they don't know what they're talking about.

The Civilisation of the Scot is the first Christian based civilisation and is, therefore, appropriately, the greatest civilisation ever in the history of the world.

**My motive to move the Monarchy from the bias Protestant Court of St James to the bias Christian Court of St Andrew, presumably. In the grand scale of things, it is a very small but necessary adjustment. I would not go any further. This is in the best interest of all the states in the union, and beyond.**

**Defending the current position is irrational in religious terms.**

Every civilisation so far has collapsed, except the one that we live in, however, it would be a mistake to conclude that our civilisation, in the normal course of events, does not also have a shelf life.

Ominously there are many negative issues facing us today, nuclear war, pandemics, economic collapse, dust clouds, crop failure, mass migration, social and political unrest, environmental collapse etc. None of which seem far away. Any of which could lead to the collapse of civilisation as we know it.

Nuclear war for instance would possibly lead to no ferries and no oil, the consequences for our community would be unthinkable.

The question has to be asked;  
**Is there such a thing as a great positive issue?**

I have only found one, the "Return of the Monarch".

I believe therefore, that the return of the monarch, is the greatest possible positive civilisation issue that could happen in our time, and I am giving you, the voters in this constituency the opportunity to vote for it.

Whether we can work it out or not, surely the positive is the anti-dote to the negative. Christians might say “what we need is revival.” I might agree but there can be no revival in a vacuum.

*God will not steer our ship away from any of the forementioned calamities. We have to do that but the captain must be in the appropriate position. If we are unable steer our ship away from the iceberg it may as well crash. And as Scots, we will be held more responsible than any other minority, both corporately and individually. Do not say “I/we can do nothing about it”, In this election you have the opportunity to lay your hand on the helm.*

As our ship steams on towards the iceberg, or perhaps drifts aimlessly, the captain practices laissez-faire in the mess or the galley. He doesn't know who he is, or his responsibilities. The mess or the galley may be the most salubrious and comfortable place on the ship to spend one's time but it is definitely not the captain's action station. His place is in the more austere conditions of the bridge.

If this is the case then our position is pathetic because no “course alteration” can be made, no “action station” call can be made, because the captain doesn't have the vision. “Where there is no vision, the people perish” according to proverbs Ch29 v18 (AKJV). Anyone could steer the ship away from the iceberg but they must have vision.

I don't claim to know what Gods will is. I am merely trying to work it out. Ephesians Ch 5 v17 “Try to understand what the will of the Lord is”. (NEB)

I am putting this issue to the test. 1 Thessalonians Ch 5 v21 “test everything” (NRSV) .

***I hope I have made my case so clear that even the citizens of Ninevah could understand what I am saying.***

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