

T H E
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Of the most NOBLE

Order of the Garter.

Wherein is set forth

An ACCOUNT of the Town, Castle, Chappel, and College of *Windsor*; with their several Officers: The Foundation of the ORDER by King *Edward III.* With the Statutes, and Annals at large, as they have been altered and amended.

An ACCOUNT of the *Habits, Ensigns,* and Officers of the Order. The Ceremonies of Election, Investiture, and Instalment of Knights: The manner of their Feasts, and the Duties and Fees, payable on these Occasions. Some Account of the *Founders,* with an exact List of all that have been installed since the first Institution, and their several Coats of Arms emblazon'd.

To which is prefix'd,

A DISCOURSE of Knighthood in General, and the several ORDERS extant in *Europe.*

Collected by ELIAS ASHMOLE, Esq; Windsor Herald, at the Command of King Charles II. Now compared with the Author's Corrections in his Library at Oxford, faithfully digested, and continued down to the present Time.

The Whole illustrated with proper Sculptures.

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