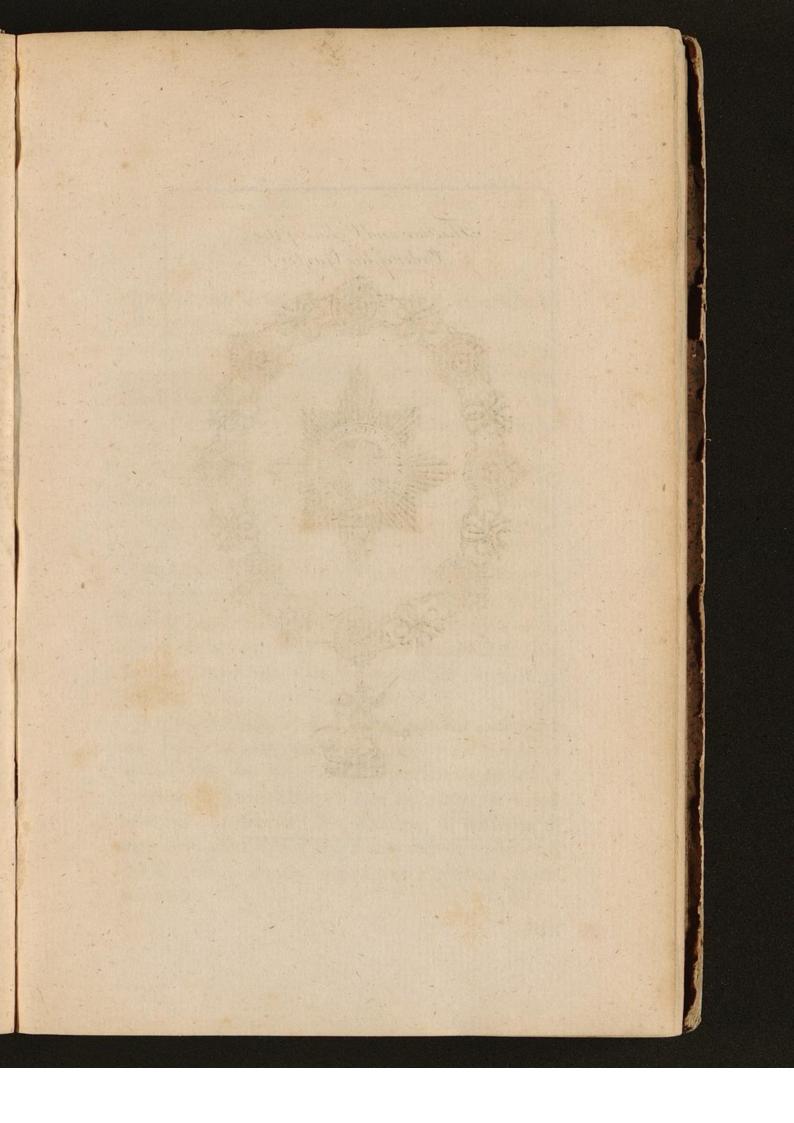
THE

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The Star and Collar of the Order of the Garter.



THE ORDER OF THE GARTER.

THE most noble order of the Garter was instituted by king Edward III. Jan. 19, 1344.

King Edward, being of a military genius, and engaged in a war for recovering of France (which defeended to him by right of his mother), made it his bufiness to draw the best soldiers of Europe into his interest.

With this view he projected the restoration of king Arthur's Round Table; and proclaimed a solemn tilting, to invite foreigners of quality and courage to the exercise.

The place for the folemnity being fixed at Windsor, he published his royal letters of protection, for the safe coming and returning of such foreign Knights as intended to venture their reputation at those Justs and Tournaments which were to be held on the 19th of January, 1344.

He provided a great supper, to begin the solemnity; and then ordaining this feast to be annually kept at Whitsuntide, he for that purpose erected a particular building in the castle, wherein he placed a round table, of two hundred feet diameter, in imitation of king Arthur's at Winchester; and thereat entertained the Knights at his own expence of a hundred pounds per week.

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This Prince (Edward) commended himself, and his companions, to the patronage of St. George, who suffered martyrdom under Dioclesian the Emperor, and was a person of greater eminence, in both the Eastern and Western churches, than any other military saint; and that his memory might be still continued, he gave them, for part of their daily habit, the image of the said saint (sitting on horseback encountering the dragon with a tilting spear) appendant to a blue ribbon, continually to be worn about their necks.

The faid King, iffuing out his garter for the fignal of a battle that was crowned with fuccess (which is supposed to be the battle of Crestly, where he took John the French King prisoner, and brought him to England; at which time he had also prisoner David King of Scotland, and by Edward his fon the Black Prince expelling the Rebels of Castile, and enthroning Don Pedro) their lawful King, he upon these glorious exploits inflituted this Order, giving the Garter preeminence amongst its ensigns, whence the select number, whom he incorporated into a fraternity, were ftyled Equites Aureæ Periscelidis, viz. Knights of the golden Garter, an order by companionship illustrated with the Emperors of Germany, Kings of France, Denmark, Portugal, Spain, Scotland, Sweden, Naples, Poland, and Arragon; befides many Princes and Dukes, as Orange, Brunswick, Burgundy, Urbin, Holstein, Guelderland, Holland, Milan, Savoy, Saxony, Wirtenberg, Ferrara, Brandenburg, &c.

The habits and enfigns of the order, with the forms of investiture, are thus:

They confift of the Garter, Surcoat, Mantle, Hood, George, Collar, Cap, and Feathers; the four first were assigned by the founder, and the rest by king Henry VIII. These are the whole habits or ensigns of the order.

The Garter has the pre-eminence, being the first part of the habit presented to foreign princes and abfent Knights, who, and all other Knights elect, are therewith first adorned; and is of so great honour and grandeur, that by the bare investiture with this noble ensign, the Knights are esteemed companions of the greatest military order in the world.

The Garter, appointed to be worn by the Knights on the left leg between the knee and calf, was instituted by the founder, as a tye of affociation in honour and military virtue, to bind the Knights strictly to himself and each other in friendship, and as an ensign of unity and combination, to promote the honour of God, and the interest of their prince and sovereign.

He also caused to be wrought in gold letters this motto, Honi soit qui mal y pense; declaring thereby the equity of his intention, retorting shame and defiance upon him who should dare to think ill of the just enterprize in which he had engaged, for the support of his right to that crown.

When the fovereign defigns to elect a companion into this order, the chancellor belonging to the faid, draws up the letters, which, passing both under the sovereign's sign manual and the signet of the order, are sent to the person by Garter principal king of arms, which is as follows: We, with the companions of our most noble order of the Garter, assembled in chapter holden this present day at our castle of Windsor, considering the virtuous sidelity you have shown, and the honourable exploits you have done in our service, by vindicating and maintaining in our just right, &c. have elected and chosen you one of the companions of our order. Therefore we require you to make your speedy repair unto us, to receive the ensigns thereof, and be ready for your installation upon the — day of this present month, &c.

The Garter, which is of blue velvet bordered with gold (having the letters of the motto of the fame), is buckled upon the leg, at the time of the election, with this ceremony:

To the honour of God omnipotent, and in memorial of the bleffed Martyr St. George, tye about thy leg for thy renown this noble Garter; wear it as the simbol of the most illustrious order, never to be forgotten or laid aside; that thereby thou mayst be admonished to be courageous; and baving undertaken a just war, in which thou shalt be engaged, thou mayst stand sirm, valiantly sight, and successfully conquer.

The Garter being buckled on, and the words of its fignification pronounced, the elect Knight is brought before the fovereign, who puts about his neck a fky coloured ribbon, to which is pendant the image of St. George on horseback encountering with the dragon, the whole encircled with the Garter. See Plate 5.

THE ADMONITION.

WEAR this ribbon about thy neck, adorned with the image of the blessed Martyr, and soldier of Christ, St. George, by whose imitation provoked, thou mayst so overpass both prosperous and adverse adventures, that having stoutly vanquished thy enemies, both of body and soul, thou mayst not only receive the praise of this transient combat, but be crowned with the palm of eternal victory.

His stockings and breeches (being the same) are of pearl-coloured filk, called pantaloons. On the outfide of the right knee is fixed a knot of open filver lace and ribbons intermixed, in form of a large rofe; and, a little below the knee, is placed the Garter. His shoes, which are of white fhammy, with red heels, have each a knot (as the former) on the exterior fide. His doublet is cloth of filver, adorned before and behind, and down the fleeves, with feveral guards, or rows of open filver lace, each lace having a row of small buttons fet down the middle. The cuffs are open, and adorned with the aforementioned lace and ribbons fet in small loops. At the bottom of the upper feam of each cuff, is fixed a knot of filver ribbons that fall over his gloves, which are of kid, laced at the top with filver, and adorned at the opening with a knot, as that on the cuff. His trowfers (which are of tiffue, the fame as the doublet, and adorned with two rows of lace and ribbons, intermixed and fet at a small distance, that the ground appears between them) being buckled round his waift, are in form of a pair of puft breeches, reaching to the middle of his thighs, and in this habit (having a blue ribbon spread over the left shoulder, C 3

shoulder, and brought under the right arm, with the George appendant) he proceeds from his lodgings in the castle to the chapter house, where disrobing himself of his upper garment, he is invested with a surcoat of crimfon velvet, lined with white taffata, during which time the admonition is given as follows:

Take this robe of crimfon to the increase of your bonour, and in token or fign of the most noble order you have received, wherewith you being defended, may be bold, not only strong to fight, but also to offer yourself to shed your blood for Chrift's faith, the liberties of the Church, and the just and necessary defence of them that are oppressed and needy.

After this, his fword is girt about him over his furcoat, with a belt the fame as the coat, and then bearing his cap (in his hand) which is of black velvet adorned with a diamond band, and a plume of white feathers with an heron fprig in the middle, he proceeds to his installation in St. George's chapel, being led between two Knights Companions of the order, to the feat below his stall, where (Garter king of arms having on a crimfon velvet cushion, laced and taffeled with gold, brought the mantle, collar, hood, and the book of statutes) laying his right hand on the New Testament, the oath is administered to him in the following manner:

You being chosen to be one of the honourable company of this most noble order of the Garter, Shall promise and swear by the Holy Evangelists, by you here touched, that wittingly or willingly you shall not break any statute of the faid order, or any articles in them contained, the fame being agreeable, and not repugnant, to the laws of Almighty

God, and the laws of this realm, as far forth as to you belongeth and appertaineth: so help you God, and his holy word.

As foon as the Knight elect hath taken the oath, he is led to his appointed stall, where he is invested in manner following:

The mantle, which is lined as the furcoat, is of fkycoloured velvet, adorned on the left shoulder with St.
George's cross incircled with the Garter, wreathed on
the edges with blue and gold; the mantle, being put
on him by the two Knights that led him into the choir,
is fastened about his neck with a cordon or robe-string,
made of the same coloured silk and gold twisted, the
ends whereof are made into large knobs or buttons
enriched with a caul and fringed; and whilst the ceremony of investiture with the mantle (which is tied upon the right shoulder) is performing, the following admonition is pronounced by the register:

Receive this robe of heavenly colour, the livery of this most excellent order, in augmentation of thy honour, enobled with the shield and red cross of our Lord, by whose power thou mayst safely pierce troops of thy enemies, and be over them ever victorious; and being in this temporal warfare glorious in egregious and heroick actions, thou mayst obtain eternal and triumphant joy.

The Hood, which is of crimfon velvet, and lined with white taffata, was formerly worn upon the head; but now the cap taking place, it is laid upon the right shoulder over the mantle, and fastened by the tippet, which comes across his breast, and tucks under his girdle; but this having no ceremony, we proceed to the collar.

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The collar, which weighs thirty ounces troy, of gold, was introduced by Henry VIII. and contains twenty-fix Garters enamelled, and as many knots, alluding to the fovereign of the order, and his twenty-five companions, and with the roses and mottoesis exactly formed and joined, to which is pendant the figure of St. George on horseback, in armour, incountering the dragon with a tilting spear; which medal is or gold, and may be enriched with jewels at the pleasure of the possession. See plate 2. The collar, with the George, being part of the habit, is put over the mantle and hood (being fastened on each shoulder by a ribbon), with the following ceremony.

Wear this collar about thy neck, adorned with the image of the bleffed Martyr and soldier of Christ, St. George, by whose imitation provoked thou mayst so overpass both prosperous and adverse encounters, that having stoutly vanquished thy enemies both of body and soul, thou mayst not only receive the praise of this transfent combat, but also, at the last, the endless and everlasting reward of vistory.

Then the cap and feathers being put on the head of the elect Knight, his investiture is completed; and after divine service, and several religious ceremonies and offerings at the high altar, they, with trumpets sounding, march to dinner.

About the latter end of the reign of king James the First it was decreed, that the lesser George, which heretofore was daily worn before the breast in a gold thain, should, for the more conveniency of riding or action, be worn appendant at a blue ribbon, spread over the lest shoulder, and brought under the right arm; which method still continues; the ribbon and

George is worn in time of mourning. The George is of gold, and may be enriched as the former, but is always encompassed with the Garter and motto, which that is not. See plate 5.

In the reign of King Charles II. it was ordained, that the Sovereign and Knights Companions, as also the Prelate and Chancellor, should at all times, and in all places and assemblies, when they were not adorned with their robes, wear upon their left side of their coat, or cloaks, the cross of the order, encompassed with the Garter, and to the said Cross and Garter the said King added a Silver Star of eight points. See plate 2.

For the convenience of travelling, the Knights of the Order were permitted to wear a blue ribbon under their boot, instead of the Garter; but without that and their lesser George and Star, they, by the statutes of the Order, are never to appear in public, except upon the principal feasts of the year, when they wear their collars; and then the ribbon and George is omitted.

At the great folemnity of the installation of a Knight of the Garter, his helmet, crest, sword, banner, and plate, containing his arms and titles, are set over his stall in the chapel of St. George at Windsor, as a mark of honour, and to remain during his being of that order.

No Knight elect ought to be summoned to a Chapter of Election, or is rendered sufficient of giving his vote therein, until he be compleatly installed, either in person, or by proxy.

At a Chapter held at White-hall, the 4th of February, 22 Car. II. ordained, that not any of the atchievements of an elect Knight, shall be set up in the Chapel at Windsor before he be installed, and the sees of installation paid.

In a Chapter held 1669, 21 Car. II. at White-hall, it was decreed, that the mantle of each Knight Companion, with the Book of Statutes, should be sent to Windsor, immediately after their deaths: and that the Chancellor of the Order should be obliged, by letters to their heirs and executors, to put them in mind of sending them thither. But it is to be understood, that where the mantle has been provided at the Knight's own charge, there is no obligation for returning them *.

PRELATE OF THE GARTER.

THE Prelate is the first and premier officer. His office is as ancient as the institution, and is of great honour, but he has neither falary nor pecuniary fees allowed him; he has apartments allotted in Windsor Castle, and, as often as he goes thither, he is allowed court-livery, for himself and servants, according to the degree of an Earl. This office is vested in the Bishop of Winchester for the time being.

By his oath he is to be prefent at all chapters whereunto he is fummoned; to report all things truly; to take the fcrutiny faithfully, and prefent it to the Sovereign; to keep fecret the counsels of the Order; to

* Ashmole abridged.

promote and maintain the honour of it. By his office he takes place in parliament next to the Bishop of Durham.

By a warrant under the fignet of the order, dated Feb. 19, 13 Charles II. the prelate had affigned him, for his livery of the order, one robe of purple velvet, containing eighteen yards, and ten yards of white taffaty for lining, as also the arms of St. George within the Garter, having laces, buttons and taffels of purple filk, and Venice gold; he is to wear this robe yearly on the vigil and day of St. George, whether it be in parliament, or any other folemn occasion or festival whatfoever.

The honours conferred on this officer are, that his place in all proceedings and ceremonies of the order is on the right hand of the Chancellor; his arms are impaled with those of his see, surrounded with the Garter.

He hath apartments in the castle of Windsor, situated on the north side, called Winchester Tower; when he is not invested with his robe, he wears a scutcheon of the arms of St. George, but not incircled with pearls and stones.

CHANCELLOR OF THE GARTER.

THIS office is vested in the Bishop of Salisbury for the time being. He is to keep the great seal of the order, and has place and precedence in all proceedings and sessions, next the Prelate; in all places and assemblies is ranked after the Knights, Privy Counsellors, and before the Chancellor of the Exchequer. The statutes allow allow him apartments in Windsor Castle, in the southwest Tower in the lower ward of the castle, called Chancellor's tower.

His oath, robe, and livery, in the Sovereign's court, are the fame as the Prelate's. His office is not only to feal original statutes, appointed to remain perpetually in Windsor castle, but also those copies, of which each Knight Companion is obliged to have one, are in his keeping, with letters of licence, mandates and certificates relating to the order.

The Chancellor's badge of distinction is a medal of gold, enamelled with a red rose, within a Garter of blue enamel, with this motto, Honi soit qui maly pense; and on the reverse thereof, St. George enamelled within the Garter, pendant to a purple ribbon, or gold chain.

REGISTER OF THE GARTER.

THIS officer was one of the three constituted at the first institution of the Order. His mantle is crimfon fattin, lined with taffaty, and a scutcheon of St. George's arms, embroidered on the left shoulder, but not incircled with a Garter, having tassals the same as the Prelate and Chancellor.

He has apartments in the castle of Windsor; on his breast a red book of the Order, with this device, two pens in saltire, within the Garter.

GARTER.

THE fourth officer of the Order is Garter, instituted by Henry V. with the advice and consent of all the Knights Companions, who for the honour of the Order was pleased he should be the principal Officer within the College of Arms, and chief of the Heralds.

The fervices enjoined him, relating to the Order, were, in preceding times, performed by the Windfor Herald of Arms, an officer created by king Edward the Third.

His robe is the same as the Register; be wears pendant to a chain a gold medal enamelled with the Sovereign's arms, impaled with the Cross of St. George, surrounded with the Garter, and crowned with an Imperial Crown.

BLACK ROD.

THE fifth and last Officer is the Black Rod. This Officer was instituted by the founder; according to the institution, he is to be a Gentleman of blood and arms, born within the Sovereign's dominions; and if not a Knight at his admission into the office, he is to be knighted; and, for the honour of the order, he is appointed the chief Usher in the kingdom.

In a chapter held at Whitehall, the 13th of February, 6 Car. I. it was decreed, that the office of the Black Rod should from thenceforth successively, as

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foon as the same should become void, be annexed to some one of the Gentlemen Ushers, Daily Waiters,

whom the Sovereign should appoint.

The oath given to this officer (temp. Hen. VIII.) was, "truly and faithfully to observe and keep all the ee points of the Statutes of the Order, as to him be-" longed and appertained." His mantle is the fame as the Register and Garter; it was ordained, that he or his Deputy should carry a Black Rod (whence he hath his titles) before the Sovereign, or his Deputy, at the Feaft of St. George, within the Caftle of Windfor, and at other folemnities and chapters of the Order, on the top of the Rod there ought to be fet a Lion of England. This Rod ferves instead of a mace, and has the fame authority to apprehend delinquents, and fuch as have offended against the statutes of the Order. And where he apprehends any one of the Order, as guilty of some crime for which he is to be expelled, the manner of it is, by touching them with this Black Rod; his fee for it is five pound.

He has affigned him a gold badge, to be worn pendant to a chain or ribbon, before his breast; a knot (like those in the Collar of the Order) encompassed with the Garter and Motto, being alike on both sides.

There is a house in Windsor Castle granted to this Officer by Letters Patent, during life. It is situated on the South side of the Castle in the middle ward. By the constitutions he is granted Baron's-service at the church, and livery thereto appertaining.

King Charles the First annexed to this Officer the little Park of Windsor, for ever; and not to be difposed

posed of but under the Great Seal of the Order, and that only to the Usher of the Order for the time being.

The Installation of the KNIGHTS of the GARTER; held at Windfor on the 25th of July, 1771.

(Taken from PORNY's Elements of Heraldry.)

THE ceremonies observed at the Installation of the Knights of the Order of the Garter; the particulars of which Mr. Porny, who was an eye-witness at the Installation of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, his Royal Highness the Bishop of Osnaburgh, his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, his Serene Highness the Duke of Mecklenburgh, his Serene Highness the Prince of Brunswick, the Duke of Marlborough, the Duke of Grafton, the Earl of Albemarle, and the Earl Gower, in presence of the Sovereign, at Windsor, describes as follows:

The Knights Companions, in the full habit of the Order; the Officers of the Order, in their mantles; the Knights elect, in the under habit of their Order, having their caps and feathers in their hands; and the proxies, in their ordinary habit, attended the Sovereign in the royal apartment; the Officers of Arms being in the presence-chamber, the Canons and poor Knights in the guard-chamber.

The proxies not going in the procession, retired before it began, to their chairs, at the back of the altar. About eleven o'clock the procession began to move, being called over in the following order by Garter.

Poor Knights, two and two.

Canons, two and two.

Officers of Arms, two and two.

The Knights elect, two and two;

baving their caps and feathers in their hands, viz.

Earl Gower, Duke of Grafton.

Duke of Marlborough, Earl of Albemarle.

His R. H. the Duke of His R. H. the Bishop of
Cumberland.

Ofnabruck.

His R. H. the Prince of Wales.

The Knights Companions in their Order; viz.

Marquis of Rockingham, Earl of Hertford.

Duke of Northumberland, Duke of Montagu.

Duke of Newcastle.

Duke of Kingston.

His R. H. the Duke of Gloucester.

Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, with his Rod.

The Register, Garter King The Bishop of with the book. at Arms, Salisbury, with the sceptre. Chancellor of the Order, with the purse.

The Vice Chamberlain.

Sword of State, borne by the Duke of St. Albans.

The Sovereign,
in the habit of the Order,
bis train borne by two Dukes eldest sons,
and the Master of the Robes.
The band of Gentlemen Pensioners.

In this manner, proceeding to the chapel, they entered at the South door, passed down the South aile, and up the North aile, to the Chapter-house, the poor Knights, Canons, and Officers of Arms, dividing on either side, for the procession to pass; the Knights elect retiring to their chairs in the aile behind the altar, the Knights Companions and the Officers of the Order only entering into the Chapter-house with the Sovereign.

The Sovereign and Knights Companions being feated, Garter was commanded to introduce his Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, who was received at the Chapter-house door by the two junior Knights Companions, and conducted to the table, where the surcoat, girdle, and sword had been placed; and Garter presenting the surcoat to the two senior Knights, they invested his Royal Highness therewith, the Chancellor reading the admonition.

The Garter presented the girdle and sword; which were put on.

His Royal Highness the Bishop of Osnabruck, and his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, were then severally introduced, and invested in like manner.

Then the proxy for his Serene Highness the Duke of Mecklenburgh was introduced, and afterwards the proxy for his Serene Highness the Prince of Brunswick.

Garter then introduced the Earl of Aibemarle, who was received at the Chapter-house door by the two junior Knights Companions, and invested as before, the Register reading the admonition.

Then the Duke of Marlborough, the Duke of Grafton, and Earl Gower, were feverally introduced, and invested, as the Earl of Albemarle had been.

The Knights elect continued in the Chapter-house while the procession to the chapel was made, and the atchievements of the deceased Knights were offered; the procession passing down to the West end of the aile, and up the middle aile into the choir, in the following order:

First, the Poor Knights; who, coming into the choir, made their reverences all together; and placed themselves on each side, near the altar.

The Canons, making their reverence in like manner, went to their feats, under the stalls.

The Officers of Arms, making their reverences, flood next the Poor Knights.

The Knights Companions, in the order they walked, made their reverences; and retired under their banners.

The Register, Garter, and Black Rod, made their reverences together; and stood before their form.

The Chancellor did the like.

The Sovereign made one reverence to the altar; and, being in his stall, repeated the same, the train-bearers standing upon the steps going up to the stall; the sword of state, with the Vice Chamberlain, on the steps before, or rather under the Sovereign's stall.

The two officiating Canons were conducted to the alter by the Verger.

The Garter, with the usual reverences, taking up the banner of the late Duke of Cumberland, and holding it up, two Officers of Arms immediately joined, and making their reverences repaired to his Royal Highness the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of King-ston, being the two senior Knights; who thereupon joining, and making their reverences together, received the banner from Garter; and, being preceded by the two Heralds, advanced to the first step, where they repeated their reverences; and, coming to the rails, made one to the altar: then kneeling, they delivered the banner to the Canons, who placed it upright, at the south end of the altar.

The fword was then delivered to Garter, and offered in like manner; and then the helmet and creft; the Knights retiring under their banners.

The atchievement of the late Dute of York was offered in the same manner.

The swords of the other deceased Knights; viz. the Duke of Dorset, Duke of Newcassle, Duke of Bedford, Earl Granville, Earl of Winchilsea, Duke of Devonshire, and Earl Waldegrave, were then offered together, by the two next Knights in rotation.

Garter then furnmened the Knights to afcend into

All the Knights being in their stalls, the two seniors were summoned down to instal the Prince of Wales; and they proceeded to the Chapter house in the following order:

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Poor Knights.
Officers of Arms.

The Register.

Garter.

Black Rod.

The Chancellor.

The two fenior Knights.

And from the Chapter-house his Royal Highness was conducted to the chapel in the order as follows; viz.

Poor Knights.

Officers of Arms.

Black Rod.

Garter;

The Registers

Mantle, Hood, Great Collar, and Book of Statutes.

The Chancellor.

His Royal Highness

the

A Senior Knight. Prince of Wales; A Senior Knight.

in his furcoat and fword, carrying

his cap and feather in his hand.

All entering the choir, with the usual reverences, Garter placed the cushion upon the desk.

The two Knights conducted his Royal Highness into his stall (the Sovereign having dispensed with his taking the oath, by reason of his tender years), and Garter delivering the mantle to the Knights, they invested the Prince therewith, the Chancellor reading the admonition.

Then Garter presented the Hood to the Knights, and afterwards the Collar and George; and the Knights invested the Prince, the Chancellor reading the admonition.

Garter

Garter next presented the statute-book, which the Knights delivered to the Prince; and then placing the Cap and Feather on his head, they feated him in his stall; and the Prince, rising up, made his double reverences; and the Knights, after embracing and congratulating his Royal Highness, descended, made their reverences, and went up into their stalls, and the officers to their places.

His Royal Highness the Bishop of Osnabruck was then introduced, and installed by two senior Knights, in the fame manner as the Prince of Wales had been.

The two fenior Knights likewife installed his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, who being introduced with the usual reverences, they entered into the lower stall, where the Register administered the Oath to his Royal Highness, Black Rod holding the Book.

Then the Knights conducted his Royal Highness into the upper stall, the Chancellor and Garter entering into the lower stall, the Register and Black Rod remaining in the area.

Garter then presented the Mantle, Hood, and Collar, with which his Royal Highness was invested, the Chancellor reading the admonition: and then the statute-book was delivered; and he was installed with the fame ceremony as before mentioned.

Then the two next Knights in feniority were fummoned to install Sir Charles Frederick, the proxy for his Serene Highness the Duke of Mecklenburgh, who was conducted into the lower stall, where the Oath was administered to him under the refervations stipus lated: he was then conducted into the upper stall; and the mantle being presented by Garter, the Knights

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put it over his arm, fo that the Garter thereon age peared; he was then feated in the stall, as the Knights had been; and, during the rest of the ceremony, stood up, or leaned on the cushion, a proxy not being allowed to sit in the stall.

Sir John Griffin Griffin, the proxy for his Serenc Highness the Prince of Brunswick, was then installed in the same manner.

The Earl of Albemarle was then brought in, and installed in the same manner as the Duke of Cumberland, except the attendance of the Chancellor, the Register pronouncing the admonition.

In like manner the Duke of Marlborough, the Duke of Grafton, and Earl Gower, were feverally introduced and installed.

Divine service then began; and at the words of the Offertory, Let your light so shine, the organ playing, the officers of the wardrobe spread a carpet on the steps before the altar; and Black Rod, making his obeisances, went up to the rail of the altar on the right side, where he received from the Yeomen of the wardrobe a rich carpet and cushion, which, with the assistance of the Yeoman, he laid down for the Sovereign to kneel upon.

In the mean time Garter furmmoned the Knights from their stalls; and being all under their banners,

The Sovereign, making one reverence to the altar, descended from his stall; and then, making another reverence, proceeded to the Offering in the following Order.

Garter and the Register. The Chancellor.

Wice Chamberlain with the Sword of State.

The Sovereign, his train borne as before.

As the procession passed, the Duke of Kingston (being the fenior Knight, not of the Royal Family) making his reverence, placed himself a little behind his Majesty, on the right side, and coming against the stall of the Earl of Hertford, Lord Chamberlain, he came from under his banner, going a little behind the Sovereign on the left fide. The Sovereign coming to the rail of the altar, Black Rod delivered the offering, on his knee to the Duke of Kingston, who prefented it to the Sovereign; and his Majesty, taking off his cap, and kneeling, put the offering into the bason; then rifing, his Majesty made his reverence to the altar, another in the middle of the choir (all the attendants turning as his Majesty did, and making their reverence at the same time), and being in his stall, another; the Lord Chamberlain, and the Knight who delivered the offering, retiring under their banners, when they came opposite to them.

During the Sovereign's return, the Officers of the wardrobe removed the carpet and cushion whereon his Majesty had kneeled, leaving the first carpet and two cushions for the Knights; and Black Rod returning to his place,

All the Knights thus standing under their banners, two Officers of Arms joined, with usual reverences, and went to his Royal Highness the *Prince of Wales*, who thereupon making his reverences in the middle of the choir, was conducted to the altar, and made his offering; and returning in the same order, went into his stall, where making his reverence, he sat down.

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Then the next Knight, or Knights, in feniority, being companions, offered in like manner; and so on till all the Knights and proxies had offered.

Divine service being ended, Garter summoned the Knights under their banners, juniors sirst; which done, the Poor Knights made their reverences, and went out of the choir; then the Canons, then the Officers of Arms, then the Knights, then the Officers of the Order, then the sword of state, and the Sovereign as before; thus proceeding to the great West door of the Chapel, and up the South aile, out at the South door, to the upper court of the Castle; but the proxies went in procession no farther than the South door of the Chapel, where the mantles were delivered to the Sextons.

The Drums and Trumpets halted at the foot of the stairs; the Poor Knights fell off on either side in the Guard Chamber; the Officers of Arms in the Presence Chamber; the Knights Companions divided on either side above them; the Sovereign, having the Officers before him, went under the state, where he saluted the Knights, by pulling off his cap and seathers; and then retired till dinner-time.

A LIST of the KNIGHT'S COMPANIONS of the noble order of the GARTER, from the first in-stitution.

Fifty-fix Knights made by King Edward III.

EDWARD, prince of Wales.

Henry, Duke of Lancaster.

Thomas Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick.

Peirs Capitow de la Bouch.

Ralph, Earl of Stafford.

William Montacute, Earl of Salisbury.

Roger Mortimer, Earl of March.

Sir John Lisle.

Sir Bartholomew Bergherft,

Sir John Beauchamp.

Sir John Mohun.

Sir Hugh Courtenay.

Sir Thomas Holland.

Sir John Grey.

Sir Richard Fitz Simon.

Sir Miles Stapleton.

Sir Thomas Wale.

Sir Hugh Wrottefley.

Sir Nele Loring.

Sir John Chandos.

Sir James Audley.

Sir Otho Holland,

Sir Henry Eam.

Sir Sanchet Dabridgecourt.

Sir Walter Pavely. Richard of Bourdeaux. Lionel, Duke of Clarence. John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster. Edmund, Earl of Cambridge. John de Montford, Duke of Brittany. Humphry de Bohun, Earl of Hereford. William de Bohun, Earl of Northampton. John Haftings, Earl of Pembroke. Thomas Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick. Richard Fitz Alan, Earl of Arundel. Robert Ufford, Earl of Suffolk. Hugh, Earl of Stafford. Ingelram de Courcy, Earl of Bedford. Guifcard D'Angoulesme, Earl of Huntingdon. Edward, Lord Spencer. William, Lord Latimer. Regnold, Lord Cobham. John, Lord Nevil of Raby. Ralph, Lord Baffet of Drayton. Sir Walter Manny. Sir Thomas Ufford. Sir Thomas Felton. Sir William Fitz-Warrin. Sir Francis Van-Halle. Sir Alan Boxhall. Sir Richard Pembruge. Sir Thomas Wright. Sir Thomas Bannister. Sir Richard de la Vache. Sir Foulke Fitz-Warrin.

Sir Guy de Brian.

Twenty-eight Knights installed in the Reign of King Richard II.

Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester.

Henry of Lancaster, Earl of Derby, afterwards King

Henry IV.

William, Duke of Guelderland.

William of Bayaria, Earl of Offrevant.

Thomas Holland, Duke of Surry.

John Holland, Duke of Exeter.

Thomas Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk.

Edward, Duke of Albemarle.

Michael de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk.

William Scroop, Earl of Wiltshire.

William Beauchamp, Lord Bergavenny.

John, Lord Beaumont.

William, Lord Willoughby.

Richard, Lord Grey.

Sir Nicholas Sarnsfield.

Sir Philip de la Vache,

Sir Robert Knolles.

Sir Simon Burley.

Sir John D'Evereux,

Sir Bryan Stapleton.

Sir Richard Burley,

Sir Peter Courtenay.

Sir John Burley.

Sir John Bourchier.

Sir Thomas Granston.

Sir Lewis Clifford.

Sir Robert Dunstaville.

Sir Robert Namur.

Twenty-five Knights installed in the reign of King Henry IV.

Henry Prince of Wales, afterwards King Henry V.
Thomas, Duke of Clarence.
John, Duke of Bedford.
Humphry, Duke of Gloucester.
Thomas Beaufort, Duke of Exeter.
Robert, Count Palatine, afterwards Emperor.
John Beaufort, Earl of Somerset and Marquis of

Dorfet.
Thomas Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel.
Edmund, Earl of Stafford.
Edmund Holland, Earl of Kent.
Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland.
Gilbert, Lord Talbot.
William, Lord Roos.
Thomas, Lord Morley.
Edward Charlton, Lord Powys.

John, Lord Lovel. Hugh, Lord Burnell. Sir John Cornwall. Sir William Arundel. Sir John Stanley.

Sir Robert Umfreville. Sir Thomas Rampston.

Sir Thomas Erpingham,

Sir John Sulbie,

Sir Sanchet de Tranc.

Twenty-fix Knights installed in the reign of King Henry V.

Sigifmond, Emperor of Germany. John, King of Portugal. Erick, King of Denmark. Philip, Duke of Burgundy. John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon. William de la Pole, Duke of Suffolk. John Mowbray, Earl Marshal. Thomas Montacute, Earl of Salisbury. Richard Vere, Earl of Oxford. Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick. Thomas, Lord Camois. John, Lord Clifford. Robert, Lord Willoughby. William, Baron Bardolph. Henry, Lord Fitz Hugh. Duke of Briga. Sir John Robsert. Hugh Stafford, Baron Bourchier. Sir Walter Hungerford. Sir Simon Fellbridge, Sir John Grey. Sir John Dabridgecourt. Sir Lewis Robfert. Heer Tanke Clux. Sir William Harrington. Sir John Blount.

Forty-three Knights installed in the reign of King Henry VI.

Albert II. Duke of Austria, afterwards Emperor.

Frederick, Emperor.

Edward, King of l'ortugaf.

Alphonio, King of Naples:

Cafimir, King of Poland.

Edward, Prince of Wales.

Peter, Duke of Coimbre, brother to Edward King of Portugal.

Henry, Duke of Viseu, Brother to Edward King of Portugal.

William, Duke of Brunfwick.

Richard, Duke of York.

John Beaufort, Duke of Somerfet.

Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerfet.

Jasper, Earl of Pembroke, afterwards Duke of Bed-

John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk.

Humphrey Stafford, Duke of Buckingham.

Gaston De Foix.

John De Foix.

Albo, Earl of Averanches:

John, Earl of Arundel:

Richard Nevil, Earl of Salifbury.

Richard Nevil, Earl of Warwick.

John Talbot, Earl of Shrewfbury.

John Talbot, Lord Talbot.

James Butler, Earl of Wiltshire.

William Nevil, Lord Fauconberg, afterwards Earl of Kent.

Richard

ford:

Richard Widville, Earl Rivers. Henry Bourchier, Viscount Bourchiere John, Viscount Beaumont. John Sutton, Baron Dudley. Thomas, Lord Scales. Sir John Grey. Ralph Butler, Lord Sudeley. Lionel, Lord Welles. John Bourchier, Lord Berners. Thomas, Lord Stanley. William, Lord Bonville. John, Lord Wenlock. John Lord Beauchamp of Powyck. Thomas, Lord Hoo and Haftings. Sir John Ratcliffe. Sir John Falstaff. Sir Thomas Kyriel. Sir Edward Hall.

Thirty-fix Knights installed in the reign of King Edward IV.

Ferdinand, King of Naples.

John, King of Portugal.

Edward, Prince of Wales.

Charles, Duke of Burgundy.

Hercules d'Este, Duke of Ferraro.

Francis Sfortia, Duke of Milan.

Frederick, Duke of Urbin.

Richard, Duke of York, son of King Edward IV.

George Duke of Clarence.

Richard,

Richard, Duke of Gloucester. John Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk. John Howard, Duke of Norfolk. John De la Pole, Duke of Suffolk. Henry Stafford, Duke of Buckingham. John Nevil, Lord Montague. Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorfet. James, Earl Douglas. Willam, Earl of Arundel. Thomas, Earl of Arundel. Anthony Woodvile, Earl Rivers. William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke. John Stafford, Earl of Wiltshire. Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland. John Tiptoff, Earl of Worcester. Galliard, Lord Duras. John, Lord Scroop of Bolton. Walter Devereaux, Lord Ferrars. Walter Blount, Lord Montjoy. William, Lord Haftings. Sir John Aftley. Sir William Chamberlain. Sir William Parr. Sir Robert Harcourt. Sir Thomas Montgomery. Lord Montgryson of Apulia. Ferdinand, King of Castile and Leon.

Seven Knights installed in the reign of King Richard III.

Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk.

Thomas, Lord Stanley, afterwards Earl of Derby.

Francis

Francis, Viscount Lovell.
Sir John Coniers.
Sir Richard Ratcliff.
Thomas, Lord Burgh.
Sir Richard Tunstall.

Thirty-seven Knights, installed in the reign of Henry VI.

Maximilian, King of the Romans, afterwards Emparor of Germany.

John, King of Portugal. John, King of Denmark. Philip, King of Spain. Alphonfo, King of Naples. Arthur, Prince of Wales. Henry, Duke of York. Ubaldus, Count Urbini. Edward Stafford, Duke of Buckingham. Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorfet. John Vere, Earl of Oxford. Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland. George Talbot, Earl of Shrewfbury. Henry Bourchier, Earl of Effex. Richard Grey, Earl of Kent. Edward Courtney, Earl of Devon. Henry Stafford, Earl of Wilts. Edmund de la Pole, Earl of Suffolk. Charles Somerset, Earl of Worcester. Gerald Fitz Gerald, Earl of Kildare John, Viscount Welles. George Stanley, Lot Strange. VOL. I.

Sir William Stanley.
John, Lord Dynham.
Robert Willoughby, Lord Brooke.
Giles, Lord Daubeny.
Sir Edward Poynings.
Sir Edward Woodvile.
Sir Gilbert Talbot, of Grafton.
Sir John Cheyney.
Sir Richard Guilford.
Sir Thomas Lovell.
Sir Thomas Brandon.
Sir Reginald Bray.
Sir Rees ap Thomas.
Sir John Savage.
Sir Richard Poole.

Fifty-two Knights, inftalled in the reign of King Henry VIII.

Charles V. Emperor of Germany.
Ferdinand, King of Hungary.
Francis, King of France.
Emanuel, King of Portugal.
James, King of Scotland.
Henry Fitzroy, Duke of Richmond, &c.
Julian de Medicis.
Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford.
Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk.
Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk.
John Sutton, Earl of Northumberland.
Anna, Duke of Montmorency.
Henry Courtney, Earl of Devonshire,

William

William Parr, Earl of Effex.

William Paulet, Marquis of Winchester.

William Howard, Earl of Surrey.

Thomas Bullen, Earl of Wiltshire.

William Fitz Alan, Earl of Arundel.

John Vere, Earl of Oxford.

Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.

Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland.

Francis Talbot, Earl of Shrewfbury.

Philip Chabot, Earl of Newblanch.

Thomas Manners, Earl of Rutland.

Robert Ratcliff, Viscount Fitzwater.

Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland.

William Fitz Williams, Earl of Southampton.

Thomas Cromwell, Earl of Effex.

John Ruffell, Earl of Bedford.

Thomas Lord Wriothesley, afterwards Earl of Southampton.

Arthur Plantagenet, Viscount Lisle.

Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers, of Chartley, afterwards Viscount Hereford.

Edward Howard, Admiral of England.

George Nevil, Lord Abergavenny.

Thomas West, Lord de la Warr.

Thomas Dacre, Lord Gillefland.

Thomas, Lord Darcy.

Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley.

William Blount, Lord Mountjoy.

Edward Stanley, Lord Montcagle.

Sir William Sandes, afterwards Lord Sandes.

Henry, Lord Marney.

Thomas Audley, Lord Andley.

Sir John Gage.

Sir Henry Guilford.

Sir Nicholas Carew.

Sir Anthony Brown.

Sir Thomas Cheney.

Sir Richard Wingfield.

Sir Anthony Wingfield.

Sir Anthony St. Leger.

Sir John Wallop.

Thirteen Knights, installed in the reign of King Edward VI.

Henry II. King of France.
Henry Grey, Duke of Suffolk.
Henry Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland.
Edward Stanley, Earl of Derby.
Francis Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon.
William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke.
Thomas Seymour, Lord Sudely.
Thomas West, Lord de la Warr.
George, Lord Cobham.
Edward Clinton, Earl of Lincoln.
William, Lord Paget.
Thomas, Lord Darcy of Chiche.
Sir Andrew Sutton, afterwards Dudley.

Eight Knights, installed in the reign of Queen Mary.

Philip, King of Spain.

Emanuel, Duke of Savoy.

Henry Rateliff, Earl of Suffex.

Anthony

Anthony Brown, Viscount Montague.
William, Lord Howard of Effingham.
William, Lord Grey of Wilton.
Edward, Lord Hastings.
Sir Robert Rochester.

Fifty-three Knights, installed in the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

Maximilian, Emperor of Germany. Charles IX. King of France. Henry III. King of France and Poland. Frederick, King of Denmark. Adolphus, Duke of Holstein. John Cafimir, Count Palatine. Francis, Duke of Montmorency. Thomas, Duke of Norfolk. Frederick, Duke of Wirtemberg. William Parr, Marquis of Northampton, Thomas Percy, Earl of Northumberland. George Talbot, Earl of Shrewfbury. Henry Stanley, Earl of Derby. William Somerfet, Earl of Worcester. Henry Manners, Earl of Rutland. William Haftings, Earl of Huntingdon. Ambrose Sutton, Earl of Warwick. Francis Ruffell, Earl of Bedford. Henry Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, Robert Sutton, Earl of Leicester. Walter Devereux, Earl of Effex. Edward Manners, Earl of Rutland.

Henry Radcliff, Earl of Suffex.

Robert Devereux, Earl of Effex.

Thomas Butler, Earl of Ormond and Offory.

Gilbert Talbot, Earl of Shrewfbury.

George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland.

Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland.

Edward Somerfet, Earl of Worcefter.

Robert Ratcliff, Earl of Suffex.

William Stanley, Earl of Derby.

Arthur, Lord Grey of Wilton.

Charles, Lord Effingham, afterwards Earl of Not-tingham.

Edmund Bruges, Lord Chandes. Rudolph, Emperor of Germany. Henry Cary, Lord Hunfdon. William Cecil, Lord Burghley. William Brooke, Lord Cobham. Henry, Lord Scroope, of Bolton. Thomas Sackville, Earl of Dorfet. Henry IV. King of France. Thomas, Lord Burgh. Edmund Lord Sheffield, Earl of Mulgrave. Thomas Lord Howard, of Walden. George Cary, Lord Hunfdon. Charles Blount, Lord Mountjoy. Henry Brooke, Lord Cobham. Thomas Lord Scroope, of Bolton. Thomas Cecil, Lord Burghley and Earl of Exeter. Sir Henry Sidney. Sir Christopher Hatton. Sir Francis Knolle. Sir Henry Lee.

Twenty-fix Knights, installed in the reign of King James I.

Christian IV. King of Denmark.

Charles Prince of Wales, afterwards King of England.

James, Duke of York.

Frederick, Count Palatine.

Maurice, Prince of Orange.

Christian, Duke of Brunswick.

Frederick, Duke of Wirtemberg.

Ulricus, Duke of Holstein.

Ludovicus, Duke of Lenox.

Henry Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton.

John Erfkin, Earl of Marr.

William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke.

Henry Howard, Earl of Northampton.

Robert Cecil, Earl of Salifbury.

Thomas Howard, Viscount Bindon.

George Hume, Earl of Dunbar.

Philip Herbert, Earl of Montgomery.

Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel.

Robert Carr, Viscount Rochester, afterwards Earl of Somerset.

Thomas Erfkin, Vifcount Fenton.

William Lord Knolles, afterwards Earl of Banbury.

Francis, Earl of Rutland.

George Villiers, Duke of Buckingham.

Robert Sidney, Earl of Leicester.

James, Marquis of Hamilton.

Esme Stuart, Duke of Lenox.

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Twenty-five Knights, installed in the reign of King Charles L

Gustavus, King of Sweden. Charles, Count Palatine of the Rhine. Henry, Prince of Orange. Claude de Lorain, Duke of Chevreuse, William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury. James Hay, Earl of Carlifle. Edward Sackville, Earl of Dorfet. Henry Rich, Earl of Holland. Thomas Howard, Earl of Berkshire. Theophilus Howard, Earl of Suffolk. William Compton, Earl of Northampton. Richard Weston, Earl of Portland. Robert Bertie, Earl of Lindsey. William Cecil, Earl of Exeter. James, Marquis of Hamilton. James Stewart, Duke of Lenox. Henry Danvers, Earl of Derby. William Douglas, Earl of Morton. Algernon Percy, Earl of Northumberland. Charles, Prince of Wales, afterwards King of England.

Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford.

James, Duke of York, afterwards King of England.

Rupert, Count Palatine of the Rhine.

William, Prince of Orange.

Bernard, Duke D'Espernon.

Forty-seven Knights, installed in the reign of King Charles II.

Maurice, Count Palatine of the Rhine. James Butler, Duke of Ormand. Edward, Count Palatine of the Rhine. George Villiers, Duke of Buckingham. William, Duke of Hamilton. Thomas Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton, William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle. James Graham, Marquis of Montrofe. James Stanley, Earl of Derby. George Digby, Earl of Briftol. Henry, Duke of Gloucester. Henry-Charles, Prince of Tarente. William de Nassau, Prince of Orange. Frederick, Marquis of Brandenburgh. John Gasper, Count de Granville. George Monk, Duke of Albemarle. Edward Montague, Earl of Sandwich. William Seymour, Duke of Somerfet. Aubrey de Vere, Earl of Oxford. Charles Stewart, Duke of Richmond. Montague Bertie, Earl of Lindsey. Edward Montague, Earl of Manchester. William Wentworth, Earl of Strafford. Christian, King of Denmark. James Scot, Duke of Monmouth. James Stewart, Duke of Cambridge. Charles XI. King of Sweden. John George, Duke of Saxony.

Christopher Monk, Duke of Albemarle. John Maitland, Duke of Lauderdale. James Cecil, Earl of Salisbury. Henry Somerfet, Marquis of Worcester. Thomas Butler, Earl of Offory. William Ruffell, Earl of Bedford, Henry Bennet, Earl of Arlington. Henry Jermyn, Earl of St. Albans. Charles Fitz Roy, Duke of Cleveland, John Sheffield, Earl of Mulgrave. Henry Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, Thomas Ofborne, Earl of Danby. Charles, Count Palatine of the Rhine. Henry Fitz-Roy, Duke of Grafton. Charles Fitz-Roy, Duke of Richmond, William, Duke of Hamilton. George, Prince of Denmark. George Fitz-Roy, Duke of Northumberland, Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerfet.

Five Knights, inftalled in the reign of King James II,

Henry Howard, Duke of Norfolk.

Laurence Hyde, Earl of Rochester.

Henry Mordaunt, Earl of Peterborough.

Lewis Durasfort, Earl of Feversham.

Robert Spencer, Earl of Sunderland.

Fifteen Knights, installed in the reign of King William and Queen Mary.

James Butler, Duke of Ormond. Frederick, Duke of Schomberg.

William

William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.
Charles Sackville, Duke of Dorset.
William, Duke of Brunswick.
John George, Duke of Saxony.
Charles, Duke of Shrewsbury.
Frederick I. King of Prussia.
William, son of Princess Anne.
William Bentinck, Earl of Portland.
John Holles, Duke of Newcastle.
Thomas Herbert, Earl of Pembroke.
Arnold Joost Keppel, Earl of Albemarle.
James Douglas, Duke of Queensbury.
George Lewis, Elector of Brunswick, afterwards King of England.

Thirteen Knights, installed in the reign of Queen Anne.

Wriothesley Russell, Duke of Bedford. John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough. Mynhardt, Duke of Schomberg. Sidney, Lord Godolphin.

George Augustus, Elector of Hanover, afterwards King of England.

William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.
John Campbell, Duke of Argyle.
Henry Grey, Earl of Kent.
Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort.
Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford.
John Paulet, Earl Paulet.
Robert Harley, Earl of Oxford.
Charles Mordaunt, Earl of Peterborough.

Twenty-

Twenty-one Knights, installed in the reign of King George I.

Those with * before their names are the present Knights. Those with † died before installed.

Charles Pawlet, Duke of Bolton. John Manners, Duke of Rutland. Lionel Sackville, Earl of Dorfet. Charles Montagu, Earl of Hallifax. Frederick Lewis, Prince of Brunfwick, Ernest Augustus, Duke of York. Charles Beauclerc, Duke of St. Albans. John Montagu, Duke of Montagu. Thomas Holles Pelham, Duke of Newcastle, James Berkeley, Earl of Berkeley. Evelyn Pierpoint, Duke of Kingston. Charles Spencer, Earl of Sunderland. Charles Fitz-Roy, Duke of Grafton, Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln. Charles Paulet, Duke of Bolton. John Manners, Duke of Rutland. John Kerr, Duke of Roxborough. Richard Lumley, Earl of Scarborough. Charles, Vifcount Townshend. Charles Lenox, Duke of Richmond. Sir Robert Walpole.

Thirty-three Knights, installed in the reign of King George II.

Wiliam Augustus, Duke of Cumberland. Philip Dormer Stanhope, Earl of Chesterfield.

Richard

Richard Boyle, Earl of Burlington.

William Charles Henry Friso, Prince of Orange.

William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.

Spencer Compton, Earl of Wilmington.

William Capel, Earl of Effex.

James, Earl Waldegrave.

Charles Beauclerc, Duke of St. Albans.

Charles Spencer, Duke of Marlborough.

Evelyn Pierpoint, Duke of Kingston.

William Bentinck, Duke of Portland.

* George, Prince of Wales, now King of England.

Frederick, Duke of Saxe-Gotha.

Charles, Margrave of Anfpach.

* Frederick, Prince of Heffe-Caffel.

* Thomas Osborne, Duke of Leeds.

John Ruffell, Duke of Bedford.

William-Ann Keppel, Earl of Albemarle.

John, Earl Granville.

Edward Augustus, second son of Frederick Prince of Wales, afterwards Duke of York.

* William, Prince of Orange.

* Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln, now Duke of Newcastle.

Daniel Finch, Earl of Winchilsea.

* George Montagu, Earl of Cardigan, now Duke of Montague.

William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.

Henry Howard, Earl of Carlifle.

* Hugh Percy, now Duke of Northumberland.

* Francis, Earl of Hertford.

James, Earl Waldegrave.

* Ferdinand, Prince of Brunswick.

Charles Wentworth, Marquis of Rockingham.

Richard Grenville, Earl Temple.

Ten Knights, installed in the reign of King George III.

- * William-Henry, of Brunswick, third son of Frederick Prince of Wales, now Duke of Gloucester.
 - * John Stuart, Earl of Bute.
 - * George, Prince of Wales.
 - * Frederick, Bishop of Osnabruck.
- * Henry Frederick, Duke of Cumberland, fourth fon of Frederick Prince of Wales.
 - * Adolphus Frederick, Duke of Mecklenburg Strelitz.
- * William Charles Frederick, hereditary Prince of Brunfwick.

George Keppel, Earl of Albemarle.

- * George Spencer, Duke of Marlborough.
- * Augustus Henry, Duke of Grafton.
- * Granville Leveson, Earl Gower.
- + Henry, Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire.
- + William, Earl of Rochford.
- + George, Earl of Hallifax.

The following are not installed.

- * Frederick North (commonly called Lord North), fon and heir apparent to Francis, Earl of Guilford.
 - * Thomas, Vifcount Weymouth.
 - * Charles, Duke of Richmond.
 - * William, Duke of Devonshire.
 - * Charles, Duke of Rutland.

- * William, Earl of Shelburne.
- * William-Henry of Brunswick, third son of King George III.

Dr. Brownlow North, Bishop of Winchester, Prelate of the Order.

Hon. Dr. Shute Barrington, Bishop of Salisbury, Chancellor.

Hon. and Rev. John Harley, D. D. Register.
Ralph Bigland, Esq. Garter Principal King of Arms.
Sir Francis Molyneux, Bart. Usher of the Black Rod.

FEES

Due to the King's fervants from all perfons that receive the honour of Knighthood.

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To the Earl Marshal of England	3	13	4
To the Kings, Heralds, and Pursuivants of Arms	8	10	0
To the Gentlemen Ushers of the privy chamber		0	0
To the Gentlemen Ushers Daily Waiters	5	0	0
To the Grooms of the Privy Chamber	5	0	d
To the Gentlemen Ushers Quarter Waiters	4	0	0
To the Knight Harbinger	3	6	8
To the Gentlemen and Yeomen Harbingers	5	6	8
To the Serjeant at Arms	5	0	0
To the Robes office	4	0	0
To the Pages of the Bed Chamber	4	0	0
To the King's Barber.	1	0	0
To the Wardrobe office	2	5	4
To the Serjeant and office of the Trumpet	3	0	0
To the Gentlemen of the Cellar and Buttery	I	12	0
To the Sewers of the Bed Chamber	2	0	0
To the Grooms of the Chamber	1	0	0
To the Serjeant Porter	1	0	0
To the Porters at the Gate	I	0	0
To the Yeomen Ushers	1	0	0
To the Yeomen of the Month	I	16	0
To the Closet Keeper of the Books, &c.	0	10	Ö
To the Surveyor of the Ways	0	10	
To the Surveyor of the Dreffer, &c.	0	10	0
To the Pages of the Presence	0	10	0
To the Drum Major	0	13	4
To the King's Footmen	0	2	0
To the King's Coachmen	0	10	0
To the Corporals of the Guards of the King's body	5	0	0
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Installation Fees and Dues to the Officers and College of Windsor, paid by the Knights of the Order of the Garter. (From Pote's History and Antiquities of Windsor Castle.)

Dean and Canons.

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A Stranger King	20	0	0
A Stranger Prince	10	0	0
A Prince of Wales	20	0	0
A Duke		.0	THE STATE OF THE S
A Marquis	8	6	8
An Earl		13	10/10
A Vifcount	5	16	8
A Baron	5	0	0
A Knight Batchelor	3	6	8

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A Stranger Prince	8	10	0
A Prince of Wales	16	0	0
A Duke.	8	10	0
A Marquis	6	15	0
An Earl	5	10	0
A Vifcount	4	0	0
A Baron	4	0	0
A Knight Batchelor.	. 3	0	0

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Register of the Order.

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Garter.

Fees for each Knight's Robe.

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A Prince of Wales	60	0	0
A Duke	55	0	0
A Marquis	50	0	0
An Earl	45	0	0
A Vifcount	40	0	0
A Baron	35	0	0
A Knight Batchelor	30	0	0
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A Stranger Prince	20	0	0
A Prince of Wales	40	0	0
A Duke	35	0	0
A Marquis	30	0	0
An Earl	25	o	0
A Viscount	20	0	0
A Baron	15	0	0
A Knight Batchelor	io	0	0

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A Stranger King	20	0	0
A Stranger Prince	20	0	o
A Prince of Wales	40	0	0
A Duke	20	0	0
A Marquis	18	0	0
An Earl	16	0	0
A Vifcount	14	0	0
A Baron	12	0	0
A' Knight Batchelor	10	0	0

Fees to the Sovereign's Servants, to be paid by every Knight of the Order of the Garter. E

	Cellar	Pantry	Buttery	Sewers	Quarter Waiters	Yeomen Uthers	Grooms of the Chamber	Uthers of the Hall	Yeomen Harbingers	Veftry	Serjeant Porter	Mafter Cook	To the Porters	Drum and Fifes	Knight Harbinger	To the Musicians, four Companies	To the Serjeant Trumpeter	To the Trumpets	To the Wardrobe			Tocs to the political
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Fees Due to the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod for Installment of Knights of the Garter.

	£.	s.	d.
The Prince 100 marks	66	13	4
A Duke	20	0	0
A Marquis 25 Marks	16	13	4
An Earl 20 Marks	12	13	4

Note, three cushions after their installments are his Fees.

The Lodge and little Park at Windsor belongs to him as being appointed him by the Order, with the meads. The Hay is disposed of by him. The Deer being served, he has the of keeping twelve Milch Kine. The Vineyard belongs to him, for which the King having the House for several offices, as Gentleman-Usher in the Castle, he hath two Fee Bucks and two Fee Does.

At the Arraignment of any Knight of the Garter, his upper Robe belongs to him.

When he is fent abroad to any Prince with the Garter, and an Order that he is to be employed, his allowance for ordinary and extraordinary is from his Majesty, per Diem £. 4.

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