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## Household of the Lady Anne (1667-1702)

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### **Household of Lady Anne (from 1683 Princess of Denmark) 1667-1702**

The household of Lady Anne began as an offshoot of that of the Duke and Duchess of York and was paid for out of their revenue. At Anne's marriage to Prince George of Denmark in 1683, the newlyweds received a grant of £20,000 per annum supplied by the king and Duke of York jointly. In addition, they had access to the ancestral lands of Prince George, estimated to be worth £17,500 per annum. (These were, in fact, signed away during the reign of William III to use as a diplomatic bargaining chip). In 1689 the Crown contribution rose to £50,000. Nevertheless, the finances of the Denmark household became a political football and were never satisfactorily resolved.

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 237; *ibid.* [1692], p. 183; A. Somerset, *Queen Anne: The Politics of Passion* (2012), p. 41; E. Gregg, *Queen Anne* (1980), p. 32.

### **Nursery**

(see also **Household of the Duke of Gloucester 1689-1700**)

### **Governess to the Children 1677-1702**

The governess made £400 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MSS. 18958, f. 8v; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 519.

By 1677	Hyde, H.,
By 1689	Berkeley, B.

### **Rockers c. 1671-1677; 1689-1692**

In 1671 three rockers were established at £70 per annum apiece to serve the Lady Anne. In 1689 there were again three rockers to serve her children.<sup>1</sup>

1. CR 1998/SS2/1, p. 9; Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v; LS 13/231, f. 50.

By 1671	Bust, E.
By 1671	Jones, C.
By 1671	Walmesly, E.

By 1689	Atkinson, E.
By 1689	Boyle, B.
By 1689	Duraine, K.

### **French Tutor c. 1677-c. 1684**

In 1677 the French tutor was established at £100 per annum.

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v.

By 1677                      De Laune, P.

### **Music Master 1667-1679**

At his appointment in 1667, the “musick-maister” to Lady Mary and Lady Anne was established at £100 per annum. By 1677, following Mary’s departure for the Netherlands, this was reduced to £70 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. *HMC VIII App.*, p. 280; Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v.

1667[?/68]24 Jan.      Robart, A.,  
By 1677                      Bannister, J.

### **Musician c. 1677-c. 1683; c. 1700-1702**

In 1677 the musician was established at £31 4s per annum. By 1700 he made £50 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 518.

By 1677                      Greeton, T.  
By 1682                      Greeton, E.

By 1700                      Paisible, T.

### **Teacher of the Harpsichord c. 1679-c. 1683**

The teacher of the harpsichord made £70 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 13.

1679 23 Oct.              Bannister, H.

### **Guitar Master c. 1677-c. 1683**

In 1677 the guitar master was established at £100 per annum. By 1682 this fell to £50.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v; Add. MS. 75388.

By 1677                      Corrbet, F.  
By 1682                      Delauny, H.

### **Singing Master c. 1677-c. 1680**

In 1677 the singing master was established at £50 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v.

By 1677                      Robart, A.

### **Dancing Master c. 1677-c. 1683**

In 1677 the dancing master was established at £100 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v.

By 1677                      Gohory, J.

### **Chamber and Bedchamber**

#### **Gentleman Usher c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the gentleman usher made £60 plus £16 in lodging money.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55

By 1684                      Jaukard, F.  
By 1687                      Sandys, H.

#### **Gentleman Waiters c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the two gentleman waiters made £56 per annum apiece. By 1685 this had fallen to £30 plus £16 in lodging money per annum apiece.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55

By 1684                      Obrien, C.  
By 1684                      Sandys, H.

By 1685	Cowper, W.
By 1687	Nott, R.
By 1689	Cooper, R.
By 1689	Leech, P.
By 1699	Harrison, E.

### **Page of the Presence Chamber c. 1701-1702**

By 1701	Humble, W.
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### **Groom of the Stole 1683-1702**

By 1684, the groom of the stole was established at £400 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55.

1683	Clarendon, F., Countess of
1685 Sept.	Churchill, S., Lady

### **Ladies of the Bedchamber c. 1680-1702**

By 1684, a single lady of the bedchamber was established at £200 per annum. By 1689 there were two.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; LS 13/231, f. 45.

1680	Churchill, S., Lady
By 1687	Spencer, Lady A.
By 1689	Beverworde, Lady C.
By 1689	Frescheville, A., Lady

### **Women of the Bedchamber (Dressers) c. 1671-1702**

In 1671 one woman of the Bedchamber was established at £80 per annum. By 1682 there were two at these wages. By 1684 there were five dressers (women of the Bedchamber). The two senior dressers, Martha Farthing and Beatrice Danvers, received £100 per annum, the rest £90. By 1689 their number had declined to four. By 1700 each dresser made £100 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. CR 1998/SS2/1, p. 9; Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v; Add. MS. 75388; Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; LS 13/231, f. 49; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 518.

By 1671	Farthing, M.
By 1679	Bust, E.
By 1679	Jones, C.
By 1679	Walmesly, E.
By 1682	Danvers, B.
By 1689	Cooper, A.
1697	Hill, A.
By 1700	Godfrey, --

### **Mother of the Maids c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the mother of the maids made £100 per annum. By 1700 this had been raised to £116.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 518.

By 1684	Cooper, J.
By 1700	Hill, A.

### **Maids of Honour c. 1683-1702**

From at least 1684 there were four maids of honour, established at £200 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55.

By 1684	Drummer, K.
By 1684	Nott, B.
By 1684	Talbot, --
By 1684	Temple, --
By 1685	Ogle, D.
By 1685	Wentworth, A.
By 1694	De Vick, E.
By 1694	South, A.
By 1694	Wentworth, I.
By 1699	Frowde, L.
By 1699	Godfrey, C.

### **Pages of the Backstairs c. 1671-1702**

By 1671 a single page of the Backstairs was established at £60 per annum. By 1684 two pages of the Backstairs made £60 per annum apiece. By 1692, their number had risen to four. By 1700 their emoluments had been raised to £65 per annum apiece.<sup>1</sup>

1. CR 1998/SS2/1, p. 9; Add. MS. 18958, f. 8v; Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1692], pp. 184-85; *ibid.* [1700] III, 519.

By 1671	Langton, H.
By 1684	Quin, H.
By 1687	Brown, J.
By 1687	Roche, A.
By 1692	Bonin, J.
By 1692	Brown, E.
By 1692	Foster, J.
By 1699	Abrahall, G.

#### **Page c. 1689-1692**

By 1689	Walters, H.
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#### **Laundress to the Body c. 1677-1702**

In 1677 the laundress to the body made £60 per annum; by 1682 this was raised to £70; and by 1684, she made £80 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 9; Add. MS. 75388; Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55.

By 1677	Farthing, M.
By 1692	Atkinson, E.

#### **Laundress c. 1689-c. 1692**

By 1689	Jones, E.
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#### **Seamstress (from 1682 Seamstress and Starcher) c. 1677-1702**

In 1677 the seamstress made £10 per annum. By 1682 the seamstress and starcher received £40 per annum. By 1700 this had been raised to £90.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 9; Add. MS. 75388; Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 518.

By 1679	Rainsford, A.
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### **Necessary Woman c. 1671-1702**

In 1671 one necessary woman made £20 per annum. By 1677 this was raised to £30.<sup>1</sup>

1. CR 1998/SS2/1, p. 9; Add. MS. 18958, f. 9; Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55

By 1673	Ridgeway, D.
By 1677	Foyston, M.

### **Servant c. 1689-?**

By 1689	Hutchinson, M.
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### **Lady of the Robes 1673-1677**

1673	18 Mar.	Villiers, Lady F.
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### **Chapel**

#### **Chaplain c. 1683-1702**

From 1684 there were two chaplains at £100 per annum apiece.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238.

By 1684	Graham, W.
By 1684	Younger, W.
By 1701	Pratt, S.

#### **Closet Keeper c. 1689-1702**

By 1694 the closet-keeper was established at £25 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1694] II, 275.

By 1689	Lucas, C.
By 1694	Watkins, H.



## **Household Below Stairs**

### **Cook c. 1677-1702**

In 1677 the cook made £38 5s per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 9; Add. MS. 75388.

By 1677                      Nicholls, J.

### **Laundress to the Table c. 1677-c. 1684**

In 1677 the laundress made £50 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 18958, f. 9.

By 1677                      Robson, J.

## **Stables**

### **Master of the Horse c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the master of the horse received £266 13s 4d in salary, £56 for horse liveries, £20 for sadler's ware, £36 for a footman and £30 for a groom, for a total of £408 13s 4d.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 239; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55.

1683 28 July              Murray, Lord C.  
By 1685                      Berkely, J.

### **Equerry c. 1679-1702**

In 1685 the equerry received £100 in salary plus £28 for a horse livery. By 1700 this had been raised to a total of £145 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 520.

By 1679                      Bellasis, S.  
By 1689                      Chudleigh, H.

## **Pages of Honour c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the two pages of honour received £100 per annum apiece.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 240; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55.

By 1684	Danvers, J.
By 1684	South, --
By 1685	Barry, E.
By 1689	Harrison, --
By 1692	Masham, S.
By 1692	Wroth, C.
By 1699	Gough, M.
By 1699	Pulteney, T.

### **Footmen c. 1683-?1702**

By 1684, six footmen made £36 plus £5 1s for linen and trimming per annum apiece. Their number fell to five in 1685 before rising to eight by 1687.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 238; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1687], p. 214; LS 13/231, f. 45.

By 1685	Oliver, T.
By 1685	Peach, W.
By 1685	Potter, W.
By 1685	Schuyll, H.
By 1685	Webbe, L.
By 1689	Bernard, J.
By 1689	Bernard, T.
By 1689	Caddick, H.
By 1689	Church, R.

### **Coachmen 1685-?1702**

In 1684 three coachmen made £36 and received an additional £36 per annum for a postillion and a helper apiece. By 1687, there were three postillions. Their wages increased to £86 per annum apiece by 1700.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 240; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1687], p. 218; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 520.

By 1685	Foyston, G.
By 1685	Rookes, I.
By 1685	Warde, J.

### **Grooms c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 the two grooms made £30 apiece. By 1689 there was only one “riding groom.” In 1700 he made £53 per annum.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 240; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; LS 13/231, f. 49; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 520.

By 1685                      Beetham, J.

By 1685                      Rogers, J.

### **Chairmen c. 1683-1702**

In 1684 two chairmen made £36 per annum each. By 1700 their emoluments had risen to £39 17s 6d.<sup>1</sup>

1. Chamberlayne [1684], p. 240; Add. MS. 15897, f. 55; Chamberlayne [1700] III, 520.

By 1685                      Wethersby, E.

By 1685                      Wethersby, W.