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## Household of Caroline, Princess of Wales (1795-1821)

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**Household of Caroline of Brunswick, Princess of Wales  
(from 1820, Queen) 1795-1821**

At their marriage in 1795, £12,253 per annum was set aside out of the Prince of Wales's newly augmented revenue for the household expenses of Caroline, Princess of Wales. In 1820 she accepted the Crown's offer of £50,000 per annum in return for leaving the country.<sup>1</sup>

1. E. A. Smith, *George IV* [New Haven, 1999], p. 78; *NDNB*.

**Council**

**Attorney General c. 1821**

By 1821                      Brougham, H.

**Solicitor General c. 1821**

By 1821                      Denman, T.

**Chamber and Bedchamber**

**Chamberlain c. 1796-c. 1801; c. 1817-1820**

By 1796                      Cholmondeley, 4<sup>th</sup> Earl of

By 1817                      Craven, Hon. K.

**Secretary to the Lord Chamberlain c. 1796-c. 1801**

By 1796                      Brent, T.

**Vice Chamberlain c. 1796-1821**

There appear to have been two vice chamberlains by the end of Caroline's life.

By 1796	Thomas, C. N.
By 1809	St. Leger, A.
By 1821	Craven, Hon. K.
By 1821	Gell, Sir W.

**Pages of the Presence Chamber c. 1796-1820**

Two pages of the Presence Chamber were appointed by 1796. One served c. 1801-c. 1808, two again thereafter.

By 1796                      Clark, J.

By 1796 Strikeman, J.  
By 1808 Roberts, S.

#### **[Keeper of the] Privy Purse c. 1795-c. 1799; c. 1801-1820**

By 1796 Vanneck, --  
By 1801 Hayman, --

#### **Ladies of the Bedchamber c. 1795-1821**

Three ladies of the Bedchamber were appointed by 1795. Their number went down to two by 1801, but rose again to three by 1809, four c. 1814-c. 1820. There seems to have been but one at the end of Caroline's life.

By 1795 Carnarvon, Countess of  
By 1795 Cholmondeley, Countess of  
By 1795 Jersey, Countess of  
1796 12 July Willoughby of Eresby, Lady  
1797 5 Apr. Southampton, Lady  
By 1799 Sheffield, Lady  
By 1809 Lindsay, Lady  
By 1811 Campbell, Lady  
By 1814 Hamilton, Lady

#### **Women of the Bedchamber c. 1795-1820**

Four women of the bedchamber were appointed by 1795, five by 1797. Their number fell to three by 1804 two by 1809, one by 1814.

By 1795 Fitzroy, --  
By 1795 Hervey, --  
By 1795 Pelham, --  
By 1795 Vernon, --  
By 1796 Lisle, --  
1796 11 Oct. Coleman, --  
1797 5 Apr. Garth, --

#### **Maids of Honour c. 1795**

Four maids of honour were appointed by 1795, but fail to appear thereafter.

By 1795 Colman, --  
By 1795 Erskine, --  
By 1795 Pointz, --  
By 1795 Bruhl, --

#### **Pages of the Backstairs c. 1796-1820**

Three pages of the Backstairs were appointed by 1796. Their number fell to two by 1801 (but see **Page and House Steward**, below), one by 1808.

By 1796	Cole, W.
By 1796	Hownham, R.
By 1796	Satchwell, R.
By 1801	Bidgood, T.
By 1808	Gosden, T.

#### **Page and House-Steward c. 1801-c. 1805; 1821**

By 1801	Gray, W.
By 1821	Hyronymous, J.

#### **Pages 1821**

Two pages made £60 per annum apiece.<sup>1</sup>

1. *CJLXXVII* (1822), 606.

By 1821	Krackler, P.
By 1821	Milburn, W.

#### **Attendant c. 1801-c. 1805**

By 1801	Bidgood, R., jun.
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#### **Mistress of the Robes c. 1795-1817**

By 1795	Townshend, Marchioness
By 1809	Glenbervie, Lady

#### **Physicians c. 1806-1820**

One physician was appointed by 1806, two by 1808.

By 1806	Underwood, M.
By 1808	Mayo, J.

#### **Surgeon c. 1802-c. 1806.**

Two surgeons were appointed by 1802. Their number fell to one by 1803.

By 1802	Edmeades, T.
By 1802	Mills, S. G.

**Surgeon Extraordinary c. 1798-c. 1805**

By 1798 Tudor, W.

**Surgeon and Apothecary c. 1803-c. 1805**

By 1803 Edmeades, T.

**Apothecaries c. 1808**

By 1808 Mills and Co.

**Chaplain c. 1800**

By 1800 Cooke, J.

**Gardiner c. 1808-1820**

By 1808 Arthur, J.

**Household Below Stairs**

**Maitre d'Hotel c. 1804-1820**

By 1804 Sicard, J.

**Man-Cook c. 1801-c. 1804**

By 1801 Sicard, J.

**Cooks c. 1804-1821**

There was one cook c. 1804-1820; four are listed in 1821.

By 1804 Vaughan, T.  
By 1821 Scabelon, J.  
By 1821 Adolphus, J.  
By 1821 Tiley, R.  
By 1821 Prockler, H.

**Coachman c. 1796-c. 1804**

By 1796 White, J.  
By 1801 Millward, G.

## **Nursery**

### **Governess to the Nursery c. 1797-c. 1806**

1797 18 Jan. Elgin, Dowager Countess of

### **Sub-Governess c. 1796-c. 1801**

By 1796 Garth, --

### **Dressers to the Nursery c. 1801-c. 1806**

Two dressers to the Nursery were appointed.

By 1801 Gagrin, --  
By 1801 Petite, V.

### **Wet Nurse c. 1796-c. 1801**

By 1796 Bowers, --

### **Seamstress to the Nursery c. 1801-c. 1806**

By 1801 Pohl, --