

Procession of the Marriage of the Prince
of Wales, with the Princess of Saxe Gotha
March 10th 1735/6

Lord Delawar went Ambassador to
Saxe Gotha, to attend upon Her Highness to England.
Lord North, Lord of the Bed Chamber to His Royal
Highness, Lady Erwin, Lady of the Bed Chamber to
Her Highness, and Mrs Clavering Woman of the
Bed Chamber to Her Royal Highness went to Mr
Walpole's House at the Hague, where Her Highness
staid one Night, and went the next day on Board the
William and Mary Yacht which brought her
Her to Greenwich.

Her Highness was Lodged in the Palace there
two Nights, during which time His Royal Highness
made Her several Visits, and the Duke of Cumberland
with a Compliment from the King.

On Tuesday the 27th day of April, Her
Highness set out from Greenwich, for St. James's in
His Majesty's Coach, Attended by an Equerry. When
Her Highness came to Lambeth, she crossed the Water
to Whitehall, in His Majesty's Barge, from thence she
was carried in His Majesty's Chair to the Great Steps
in the Privy Garden, of His Majesty's Palace St.
James's, where His Royal Highness received her, and
conducted her into the Great Drawing Room, and
presented her to the King Queen and all the Royal

Family, attended by the Nobility who were summoned to be there in their Wedding Cloaths. Her Highness Dined that day, with the Prince, the Duke, and the four Princesses, in the Prince's Apartments. The Nobility and Gentry were summoned again, at seven o'clock in the Evening. The Knights of the Garter Thistle and Bath in their Collars. The Procession began about Nine o'clock from the Great Drawing Room, The Bride, led by the Duke, preceded by the Drums, Trumpets and Herald's, Conducted by the Lord Chamberlain, Vice Chamberlain, and Col. Townshend Gentleman Usher of Honor for the day. Her Train supported by four young Ladies, Daughters of the Dukes of Grafton, Richmond, Devonshire and Earl of Pomfret; The Bridegroom preceded by his own Servants, and Mr. Herbert Gentleman Usher of Honor for the day, supported by the Earl of Scarborough, and Earl of Wilmington, Bachelor Knights of the Garter.

His Majesty, preceded by the Lords in the manner He goes to Chapel, upon a High Festival, with Herald's, and Gentlemen Pensioners.

Her Majesty led by Her Lord Chamberlain, and Master of the Horse, followed by the Princesses, and Ladies of Quality. The Procession went down the great Stairs into the Chapel, the Horse Guards lining the Passages below Stairs,

The Ceremony was performed by the Lord Bishop of London Dean of the Chapel.

The King and Queen, attended by their Clerks of the Closet. After the Ceremony the Procession returned back in the same manner, only the Prince was conducted by the Duke of Argyll, and the Duke of Rutland Married Knights of the Garter. They remained in the Great Drawing Room, till Supper was upon the Table, from thence they proceeded to the Ball Room.

The King and Queen at one end of the Table, The Prince and Duke upon the Right Hand of the King, The Princess, and four Princesses upon the left Hand of the Queen, The Prince's Hat and Gloves held by Mr. Herbert and the Princess's Fan and Gloves, held by Col. Townshend. After Supper they retired to the Prince's Apartments, where, as soon as they were in Bed, the Stocking was thrown, by the four young Ladies that supported the Train, and all the company passed through the Room.

Reception of the
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