Household of Prince Adolphus Frederick, (from 1801) Duke of Cambridge (1774-c. 1785; c. 1803-1850) and Augusta Wilhelmina, Duchess of Cambridge (1831-1889) 1785-c. 1889

By 1783, £11,000 was budgeted from the Civil List for the expenses of Princes Frederick, William, Edward, Ernest, Augustus and Adolphus. By 1803 the Duke of Cambridge had a separate allowance of £4000 per annum.¹ By 1830-31, he had been granted annuities totaling £27,000 per annum (£15,000 out of the Hereditary Revenues of the Crown, £12,000 out of the Consolidated Fund).²

1. CJ XL, 328; LVIII, 1173.
2. CJ LXXXVI (1830-31), cccxvi.

Nursery

Preceptor to Prince Ernest, Prince Augustus, and Prince Adolphus 1781-c. 1789

1781 29 Jan. Cockson, T.

Wet Nurse 1774-1775

The wet nurse made £200 per annum.¹

1. Add. MS. 178970, f. 96v.

1774 24 Feb. Hopkins, M.

Preceptors to Prince George c. 1831-c. 1837

Two preceptors to Prince George were appointed by 1831. Their number fell to one by 1834.

By 1831 Harvey, H.
By 1831 Wood, J. R.

Page to Prince George c. 1831-c. 1850

By 1831 Ramsthall, --

Attendant on Princess Augusta c. 1831-c. 1837

By 1831 Page, --
By 1836 Varndell, --

Dresser to Princesses Augusta and Mary c. 1841-c. 1851

By 1841 Varndell, --
By 1843 Fraser, --
By 1847 Petrofsky, --

Dresser to Princess Augusta c. 1851-c. 1855

By 1851 Petrofsky, --

Attendant on Princess Mary c. 1837-c. 1841

By 1837 Varndell, --

Dresser to Princess Mary c. 1841-c. 1847; c. 1851-c. 1867

By 1841 Leadley, --
By 1851 Fraser, --

Council

Comptroller and Equerry c. 1868-1889

By 1868 Paulet, Lord
By 1873 Greville, H. L. F.

Chamber and Bedchamber

Aides-de-Camp c. 1824-c. 1834

One aide-de camp was appointed by 1824; four by 1831.

By 1824 Davison, Sir W.
By 1831 Jones, --
By 1831 Kielmansegge, Count
By 1831 Marschalck, Baron
Ladies of the Bedchamber c. 1831-c. 1845; c. 1847-c. 1849

Two ladies of the Bedchamber were appointed to serve the Duchess of Cambridge by 1831. Their number fell to one by 1838, none by 1845. The office was revived by 1847. By about 1849, this officer was renamed a lady in waiting.

By 1831 Ahlefeldt, Baroness
By 1831 De Schullenberg, Countess
By 1834 Winzingerode, Baroness
By 1836 Kerr, --
By 1837 Stutterheim, Baroness
By 1841 Somerset, Lady

By 1847 Cadogan, Lady

Ladies in Waiting c. 1849-1889

By 1849, two ladies in waiting were appointed. Their number fell to one in the following year. There were two again circa 1853-1862, one therafeter.

By 1849 Bese, Baroness
By 1849 Cadogan, Lady
By 1851 Ahlefeldt, Baroness
By 1853 Suffield, Lady
By 1857 Somerset, Lady

Woman of the Bedchamber c. 1883-1889

By 1883 Mitford, --

Dresser c. 1831-1889

Two dressers were appointed to serve the Duchess of Cambridge by 1831. Their number fell to one by 1843. Two served from about 1847 to about 1850, and again from about 1873 to about 1886. Thereafter one served.

By 1831 Ahlefeldt, --
By 1831 Lloyd, --
By 1847 Freyeisen, --
By 1873 Brüere, --
Pages to the Duke c. 1813-1850

Two pages were appointed by 1813. Their number fell to one by 1826, rose to three by 1831, fluctuating between two and three 1837-1843 before settling at two in the latter year.

By 1813 Eyl, --
By 1813 Grivel, --
By 1817 Dickstahl, --
By 1831 Moon, --
By 1831 Muller, --
By 1837 Kasten, --
By 1837 Stöckmann, --
By 1838 Webb, --
By 1841 Shallcross, --
By 1842 Meyer, --
By 1842 Fratszcher, --
By 1847 Ebeling, --

Page to the Duchess c. 1831-1889

One page was appointed to serve the Duchess of Cambridge by 1831. Two served c. 1834-c. 1836 and again c. 1847-c. 1855. Otherwise, one served.

By 1831 Traun, --
By 1834 Shepherd, --
By 1847 Battlefeldt, --
By 1850 Hardy, --
By 1879 Wells, --

Physicians c. 1806-1850; c. 1883-1889

One physician was appointed by 1806, two by 1809, three by 1814, four by 1820, five by 1821, six by 1831, seven by 1842, nine by 1845, ten by 1846. After a long hiatus 1850-circa 1883, a physician was appointed to serve the late Duke’s family.

By 1806 Chrichton, A.
By 1809 Hume, T.
By 1814 Grosskopff, C.
By 1820 Johnson, J. E.
By 1821 Cleverly, S.
By 1831 Vesturme, L.
By 1833 Forbes, J.
By 1842  Downie, Sir A. M.
By 1845  Hawkins, F.
By 1845  Smith, W.
By 1846  Quin, F. F.
By 1850  Sieveking, E. H.

By 1883  Gull, Sir W., Kt. And Bt.

**Physician to the Duchess c. 1847-1878**

By 1847  Quin, F. F.

**Physicians Extraordinary c. 1814-c. 1830; c. 1837-1850**

One physician extraordinary was appointed by 1814. After a hiatus circa 1830-37, one was appointed by the latter year, two by 1840. Their number fell back to one by 1849.

By 1814  Vesturme, L.
By 1837  Bernard, W. D.
By 1840  Gordon, J. T.

**Surgeons c. 1805-1850**

One surgeon was appointed by 1805. Their number rose to four by 1813, five by 1823, six by 1831, seven by 1835.

By 1805  Woolrich, S.
By 1813  Doratt, J.
By 1813  Keate, R.
By 1813  Simpson, J. T.
By 1813  Woolrich, --
By 1823  Tudor, W.
By 1831  Power, J.
By 1835  Clark, G.
By 1838  Chenevix, G.

**Surgeon Extraordinary c. 1810-c. 1831; c. 1839-1850**

By 1810  Power, J.
By 1839 Andrews, J. G.
By 1841 Stafford, R. A.

Apothecary c. 1805-1850

By 1805 Brande, E. A.
By 1836 Moore, E.
By 1847 Illingworth, H. S.

Apothecary at Kew c. 1843-1850; c. 1854-c. 1874

By 1843 Scard, E.
By 1850 Hills, E. H.
By 1854 Hills, E. H.

Medical Attendant c. 1874-1889

By 1874 Duncan, --

Chaplains c. 1803-1850; c. 1879-?

Three chaplains were appointed by 1803, four by 1804, six by 1805 and so on until there were 40 by 1850. After a hiatus, a single chaplain was appointed by 1879.

By 1803 Glasse, G. H.
By 1803 Piercy, G. H.
By 1803 Sharpe, J.
By 1804 Luscombe, M. H.
By 1805 Bond, J., jun.
By 1805 Morgan, T.
By 1806 Birch, S.
By 1808 Jervis, C.
By 1809 Rowley, J.
By 1813 Clarke, C. A.
By 1813 Clarke, G.
By 1813 Crosbie, W.
By 1813 Gosset, I.
By 1813 Harrison, W.
By 1813 Kempe, T.
By 1813 Sanford, J.
By 1814 Symons, H. J.
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**Housekeeper c. 1813-1889**

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By 1866 Barnett, --

Housekeeper at Kew c. 1845-c. 1851

By 1845 Hargrave, --

Household Below Stairs

House-Steward c. 1813-c. 1879

By 1813 Urlin, --
By 1850 Owen, --

Cook c. 1843-c. 1879

By 1843 Oppermann, --
By 1873 Davidson, --
By 1874 Watson, --

Butler c. 1843-c. 1853

By 1843 Shallcross, --
By 1845 Sinden ---
By 1851 Gilbaert, --

[Servant in the] Silver Pantry c. 1847-c. 1851

By 1847 Gilbaert, --

Stables

Clerk of the Stables c. 1838-1850

By 1838 Lewis, F.

Equerries c. 1813-1850; c. 1855-c. 1868

Seven equerries were appointed by 1813, nine by 1815, ten by 1824, and thirteen by 1827. Thereafter the number fluctuated between eleven and fifteen. After a hiatus
1850-c. 1855, two equerries were appointed by the latter year. Their number fell to one by 1867.

By 1813 Cooke, Sir H. F., Kt.
By 1813 Decken, Baron
By 1813 Don, Sir G.
By 1813 Duke, --
By 1813 Fraser, --
By 1813 Hislop, T.
By 1813 Lyon, J. F.
By 1815 Keate, --
By 1815 Marschalck, Baron
By 1817 Linsingen, Count
By 1824 Davison, Sir W.
By 1824 Wylly, --
By 1825 Reynett, Sir J. H.
By 1826 Fuller, J.
By 1827 Foster, A.
By 1830 Cuyler, A.
By 1831 Durham, Sir P. C. H. C., Kt.
By 1833 Stevens, H. B.
By 1834 Wynyard, R. H.
By 1838 Cornwall, W. H.
By 1838 Knesebeck, Baron
By 1838 Schlutter, --
By 1839 Jones, --
By 1840 Rose, H.
By 1844 Mildmay, E. St. J.
By 1849 Du Plat, G. C.

By 1855 Knesebeck, Baron
By 1855 Purves, H.
By 1862 Cust, W. P.