

Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments, or grey or white Dresses, with black Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and Ornaments.

The Gentlemen to continue the same Mourning.

And on Friday, the 24th January next, the Court to go out of Mourning.

College of Arms, January 24, 1901.

The Earl Marshal's Order for a General Mourning for Her late Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria.

IN pursuance of an Order of His Majesty in Council, 24th day of January, 1901, these are to give public notice, that it is expected that all persons upon the present occasion of the death of Her late Majesty of blessed and glorious memory, do put themselves into the deepest Mourning. The said Mourning to begin upon Monday, the 28th day of this instant January.

NORFOLK, Earl Marshal.

Admiralty, January 24, 1901.

ORDERS for the Mourning to be worn by Officers of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines for Her late Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, of blessed memory.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have received the commands of His Majesty The King to direct, on the present melancholy occasion of the death of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, that the Officers of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines be required to wear a band of black crape round the left arm, when in uniform, as prescribed by the Regulations, and also when wearing the great coat.

The Mourning will be for six months from the date of this Order, ending 24th July.

By command of their Lordships,
EVAN MACGREGOR.

ARMY ORDER.

THE following Order is promulgated to the Army with the approval of the Secretary of State for War:—

Orders for Mourning for the Army of Her late Majesty Queen Victoria, to be worn until 24th July, 1901.

War Office, January 25, 1901.

HIS Majesty The King commands that Officers of the Army shall wear Mourning with their uniforms on the present melancholy occasion, as follows:—

Officers are to wear black crape on the left arm of the uniform and of the great coat.

The drums are to be covered with black, and black crape is to be hung from the top of the Colour Staff of Infantry, and from the Standard Staff and trumpets of Cavalry, until after the funeral of Her late Majesty.

ROBERTS, F.M.,
Commander-in-Chief.

Earl Marshal's Office, January 24, 1901.

THIS day His Most Gracious Majesty King Edward VII was, in pursuance of an Order in Council of the 23rd instant, proclaimed with the usual ceremonies.

At 9 o'clock in the forenoon, the Officers of Arms habited in their tabards, the Serjeants-at-Arms, with their maces and collars; and Deputy Serjeant Trumpeter in his collar; the Trumpeters, Drum Major, and Knight Marshalmen being assembled at St. James's Palace, the Proclamation was read in the Grand Court by William H. Weidon, E.q., Norroy King of Arms, Deputy to Sir Albert W. Woods, Garter Principal King of Arms, in the presence of the Earl Marshal of England, the Lord Steward, the Lord Chamberlain, the Master of the Horse, and many other Members of Her late Majesty's Household, with Lords and others of the Privy Council and several personages of distinction.

Deputy Garter read the Proclamation.

Then the Officers of Arms having entered Royal Carriages, a procession was formed in the following order:—

The High Bailiff of Westminster,
in his Carriage.
Horse Guards.
Trumpeters.

A Royal Carriage containing
The four Serjeants-at-Arms,
bearing their Maces.

A Royal Carriage containing
Pursuivants.
Rouge Dragon:
Everard Green.

Bluamantle: Rouge Croix:
G. Ambrose Lee. G. W. Marshall.

Heralds.
Windsor:

W. A. Lindsay, Esq.

York: Somerset:

A. S. Scott-Gatty, Esq., H. Farnham Burke, Esq.,
in a Royal Carriage.

A Detachment of Horse Guards.

The Procession, flanked by the Horse Guards, moved from St. James's Palace to Temple Bar, and Rouge Dragon Pursuivant of Arms, alighting from the carriage, advanced between two trumpeters, preceded by two of the Horse Guards, to the barrier, and after the trumpets had sounded thrice, demanded in the usual form admission into the City to proclaim His Royal Majesty King Edward VII; and being admitted, and the barrier again closed, Rouge Dragon was conducted by the City Marshal and his Officers to the Lord Mayor, who was in attendance in his State carriage, when Rouge Dragon delivered to his Lordship the Order in Council, which the Lord Mayor, having read, returned, and directed the barrier to be opened; and Rouge Dragon being re-conducted to his place in the Procession it then moved into the City; the High Bailiff of Westminster filing off at Temple Bar.

At the corner of Chancery-lane York Herald read the Proclamation; then the Lord Mayor, Aldermen, Recorder, Sheriffs, Chamberlain,