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The Crown consists of a purple velvet cap with ermine border and holds 2,868 diamonds, 273 pearls, 17 sapphires, 11 emeralds, and 5 rubies.

## Ald. Robert Vyner (The Diary of Samuel Pepys)

Anne Boleyn was beheaded in 1536 and her ghost is said to haunt the Church of St Peter ad Vincula in the Tower, where she is buried. There were also two large sets of red copes, one of eighteen, and the other of twenty-two, evidently intended for the processional use of the whole staff of ecclesiastics on special occasions.

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The stipend and commons of the dean were valued at 66 13 s. Further difficulties arose in July, 1384, when nine of the canons lodged a complaint against their warden, who was usurping the chancellor's power of visitation, expecting them to appear before him; both parties were summoned to appear before the chancellor's commissary at Westminster.

## Visiting the Crown Jewels

As with Royal palaces, ownership is regarded as and passes from one monarch to the next. It was fashioned to closely resemble the medieval crown, with a heavy gold base and clusters of semi-precious stones, but the arches are decidedly Baroque.

## The Tiny Cell called was the Most Feared Room in the Tower of London

To the eight existing chaplains he added fifteen other canons, a warden and twenty-four poor or infirm knights.

## The Tower of London—Historic Monument to a Turbulent Past

For the coronation of Mary II, the wife and joint sovereign of William III, a more elaborate gold sceptre with dove was commissioned in 1689.

**Collegiate churches: Windsor (St George's chapel)**

Its purple velvet cap is trimmed with ermine. I have a photo of the cloister, however the memorial is on a side wall so is at too much of an angle to read any of the names. It has not been used since and is now a part of the Crown Jewels.

**Priory Church of the Order of St John**

George the Martyr, and St.

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