TM DESSERT SET FOR PRINCESS

Worcester, home of the Royal Porcelain Company, is busy creating the exquisite dessert service which is the wedding present to Her Royal Highness of the Brigade of Guards. It will be months before the unrivalled craftsmen of this historic company complete the order, but specimens will be ready for the public display of presents at St. James's Palace. Today's work with the methods used in 1750 on the first royal porcelain, made for George the Third.

The Art Director, Mr. C. B. Simmends, A.B.C.A, personally worked out the application of the designs. Onto transfers the designs are pressed by apparatus used for the last hundred years. The colours are Imperial Red and Gold. In addition to the dessert survive the Guards are presenting a cream dinner service. Taken from the press the transfers are attached to each plate, to outline the design. By this simple technique is decorated the famous China which has long been in great demand throughout the Western world.

Each separate piece is the work of superme artists. Rach carries a badge of one of the five regiments of the Brigade of Guards.... Together they form a wedding present worthy of a future Queen. Her heyel Highwese will have to exercise the greatest care in the washing-up.