

free and Independent Constitution under him whose Ancestors have reigned over us for so many Generations.

In so honourable good and just a Cause, we cannot doubt of the Assistance, direction and blessing of Almighty God who has so often rescued the Royal Family of Stuart, and our Country from sinking under Oppression.

Your punctual observance of these Orders is expected, for the doing of all which this shall be to you and all you Employ in the execution of them a sufficient War-rant.

Given at Bracmar the 9th of Sept. 1715
To the Baillie and the rest of the Gentlemen of the Lordship of Kildrummy.
Mar.

Invercauld, Sept. 9, at Night 1715.

Jocke,

YE was in the right not to come with the 100 Men ye sent up to Night, when I expected four times the Number; it is pretty thing when all the Highlands of Scotland are now rising upon their King and Countrys account, as I have accounts from them since they were with me, and the Gentlemen of our Neighbouring Lowlands, expecting us down to join them, that my Men should be only refractory, is not this the thing we are now about, which they have been wishing these 26 Years, and now when it is come and the King and Countrys cause at stake, will they for ever sit still and see all perish.

I have used gentle means too long, and so I shall be forced to put other Orders I have in execution, I have sent you enclosed an Order for the Lordship of Kildrummy, which you are immediately to intimate to all my Vassals; if they give ready Obedience it will make some amends, and if not ye may tell them from me, that it will not be in my power to save them (were I willing) from being treated as Enemys by those who are ready soon to joyn me, and they may depend on it that I will be the first to propose an order their being so. Particularly let my own Tenants in Kildrummy know, that if they come not forth with their best Arms that I will send a Party immediately to burn what they shall miss taking from them, and they may believe this not only a Threat, but by all that's Sacred I'll put it in execution, let my loss be what it will, that it may be example to others, you are to tell the Gentlemen that I'll expect them in their best Accoutrements on Horseback and no excuse to be accepted of; go about this with all diligence, and come your self and let me know your having done so, all this is not only as ye will be answerable to me, but to your King and Country.

Your assured Friend and Servant,

To John Forbes of Invercaw,
Baillie of Kildrummy.

Sic Subscribitur Mar.

Whereas a Letter was directed to the Right Honourable Robert Walpole, Esq; proposing to discover Matters of great Importance, signed G. D. Notice is hereby given, that the said Letter is received, and that if the Person who wrote it will come to Mr. Walpole's Lodgings at Chelsea any Morning before Nine a Clock, and make out what he therein proposes, he shall receive all due Encouragement and Protections.

Whereas upon Apprehension of an intended Invasion I have received several strict Orders from his Majesty and Council to put the Militia of the County of Middlesex and Liberty of Westminster into a Condition fit for Service, and having thereupon directed the Lieutenant to review the several Regiments and Companies, and they having made their Report to me, that upon the said Review they found the several Companies very defective in their Numbers: This is therefore to require the several Colonels and Captains of the several Regiments of Foot and Troops of Horse within the said County and Liberty to take effectual Care that their several Troops and Companies be fully compleated as the Act of Parliament requires against the next Review, where I the Lord-Lieutenant will be present; and that no Officer whatsoever upon this Extraordinary Juncture do presume to connive at any Defaulters: And all Persons concern'd are hereby required to take Notice, that they do provide such Men, Horses and Arms as are fit for Service, as they shall answer the contrary at their Peril.

Holles Newcastle.

Note, That the Red and Blue Regiments will be reviewed on Thursday the 29th Instant, the Westminster Troop of Horse on Tuesday the 4th of October next, as before advertised; Highgate Battalion of the County Regiment on the 3d and 4th of October next, and the other Battalion on the 4th and 5th; and the County Troop of Horse on Thursday the 11th of October next, in the usual Places respectively. And whereas it was inserted in the Daily Courant of yesterday the 23d that the County Regiment of Middlesex were to be drawn out on the 4th and 5th of October next; this is to give Notice, that they are to be drawn out on the 3d, 4th and 5th of the same Month.

Thomas Madocks, first Cashier of the Bank of England, being appointed Receiver of the Contributions for raising 910000 l. and also 169000 l. for the publick Service, by Sale of Annuities after the rate of 5 l. per Cent. per Ann. redeemable by Parliament, gives Notice, that daily Attendance is given at the Bank from 9 to 12 in the Forenoon, and from 2 till 5 in the Afternoon, for receiving the same. And that a Discount after the rate of 8 l. per Cent. per Ann. will be allowed on all Monies paid in from the time of Payment to the 29th of September; together with a Premium of 20 s. per Cent. upon the whole Contribution, or Consideration Money advanced and to be advanced, and for the four last Payments a Discount of 5 l. per Cent. per Ann. from the Times of Payment after Michaelmas to the respective Days limited for Payment thereof.

The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company give Notice, that a general Court of the said Company will be held at their House in Broad-street, London, on Wednesday the 28th Instant, at 11 of the Clock in the Forenoon, being one of the half yearly