

*confiscated*, voted her an annuity as compensation. Com. Journ. vol. 13. p. 54.

In the year 1708, Alexander Grant was reimbursed by a vote of the House of Commons, for the waste committed by the *rebellious* clans in Scotland. Ibid. vol. 15. p. 580. 588.

In the year 1715, by the first of Geo. I. c. 24. On account of the *loyalty and zeal* which the citizens of Glasgow had shewn, in putting themselves "in a posture of defence against the rebels and traitors," Parliament, "in consideration of their losses and expences," granted "to the city a duty upon ale and beer for the space of twenty years."

By the 4th Geo. I. c. 44. the subjects who had behaved with *fidelity* to the Crown during the rebellion, and whose property had been destroyed *by the rebels*, were fully recompensed for their losses.

In the year 1717, by the 4th Geo. I. c. 8. it was enacted, "That all persons who had continued *dutiful and faithful to his Majesty*, and whose houses or goods had been burnt by the *rebels in Scotland*, or burnt or otherwise destroyed at Preston in Lancashire by the *rebels*, or his *Majesty's army*, shall be

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"fully reimbursed and repaid their losses by the respective exchequers of *England and Scotland*."

In the year 1749, the House of Commons granted to the *loyal city* of Glasgow 10,000*l.* for that sum extorted from them by the rebels. Com. Journ. vol. 25. p. 959.

In the year 1747, Doctor Swinton petitioned the Commons, for a compensation for fundry houses which had been destroyed in the preceding *rebellion* at Chester. HIS PETITION CAME DOWN RECOMMENDED FROM THE THRONE. It was considered as a petition, in the prayer of which the public honour and justice were concerned, and therefore it was received by the House of Commons, *although the time limited for receiving private petitions was expired*; and he was fully compensated for his losses, out of the aids granted to the Crown.

When the State found it necessary to the public interest and safety, to cede to France the island of St. Lucia, ample compensation was made to the Duke of Montagu, the proprietor, both of honours and revenues; there being in his case, as in that of the Loyalists, *no reservation of his property*.