No. II.—Bills of Cravings of the Sheriff of Northumberland for 1715, of Expenses incurred by him relative to the Rebellion in that Year.

(Communicated by Wm. Dickson, Esq., of Alnwick, Sept., 1836.)

THE originals are in the office of the Clerk of the Peace for Northumberland, and are Nos. 93, 94, 95, and 96, of the Michaelmas Sessions Papers for the year 1717. The Sheriff in the year of the rebellion was John Johnson, of Bebside, Esquire.

The accounts of Sheriffs being made up at the Exchequer yearly, to Michaelmas day, it is probable that those of the Sheriff who succeeded Mr. Johnson would contain a portion of the expenses. It would be curious to see the accounts of those two Sheriffs, as allowed by the officers of that Court, since it cost, £104. 5s. 6d., over and above the ordinary charge, to pass the account of Mr. Johnson, and sue out his quietus.

No. 93.

AN ACCOUNT OF CHARGES DELIVERED IN ON ACCT. OF THE POSSE COM.

		£. s. d.	1	£	. 5.	d.
Paid John Robson		7 7 4	To Wm. Jackson, Junr		10	
Pd. Henry Hankin		1 2 0	To Joseph Forster	-	16	10
To John Potts		3 1 1	To George Noble	. 2	16	0
To Thos. Henderson		4 3 3	To Mr. Baxter		_	6
To Wm Elliott	• •••	0 11 10	Disburst by ye High Sheriffe		_	-
To Joseph Forster		2 6 5	Paid Bailiffs for going with Messenger	s, 3		0
To Tho Browne	• • • •	1 1 6	Paid ye other Bailiffes p ordr	. 9		
To Tho Johnson	•••	2 13 0			•	6
To Mr Adam Filbridge	•••	4 7 7	Mr Warreners Bill		16	_
To Tho Henderson	• •••	1 13 4	Thos. Haggerston for dispersing warrt	s.]	10	0
To charge of Benwell Hor	rse	16 0 7	To ye Drummer		10	
To Mr Andrew Kennedy	•••	25 14 0	To Joseph Crispe ye armourer	. 2	0	0
To Mr John Donkin	•••	21 7 8				
To Fergus Potts	•••	\dots 2 3 0		140	3	8
To Wm. Jackson, Senr	•••	3 15 0				

			£.	s. d.	1			£.	5.	d.
Paid Mr Campbell	•••		3 1	4 0	Pd. John Donkin more	•••	•••	6	11	10*
Pd. Wm Todd	•••	•••	3	1 10	Pd. Dorothy Pattison	••	•••	4	11	4
Pd. Mattw Watson	•••	•••	0	2 6	Pd. Widow Bland	•••		0	13	0
Pd. Wm Stoker	•••		0 1	2 11	Pd. Wm Stewart	•••	•••	0	19	4
Pd. Bar Drydon als Usher	•••	•••	1	6 9						
Pd. Widow Raw	· • •	•••	0	6 8	1			23	1	8
Pd. Alexr. Hall	·	•••	ì	1 6						

No. 94.

Northumbr. S/. Ad gener. quarter. Sessiofi Pacis Dñi. Ris tent p Adjorfi apud Moothall in eodm Com. prd scdo die Februar. anno rni Dni Georgij nunc Ris Magn Britan &c. tertio cora Johne Douglas et Robto Coatsforth ar. et al. Sociis suis Justic dci dni Ris ad pacem p Com pd conservand nec non &c.

Mr. Robt. Loadsman late Undersheriff Ordered That he pay all such psns as are now unpd. for maintaining the Posse Comitat. & that after he has paid the same he then give an account to two or more of the Justices of the Peace of all the Money he has laid out on the acct. some time before next Sessions. Given under the Seal of the Sessions at the Sessions aforsd.

Ex. & Tho: Ord Cler. Pacis.

₽ Cur.

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Upon Examinacon Wee find Vouchers for one hundred and forty pounds paid by Mr. Loadsman late Undersheriffe and that since he has pursuant to the above written order paid Twenty-three pounds one shilling and eightpence & produced Vouchers for ye same, all which we allow except six pounds eleven shillings and ten pence paid John Donkin. Witnesse our hands ye 27th Day of Aprill Anno Dni 1717.

(Signed)

JOHN OGLE.

ED. DELAWAY

ED: DELAVAL. JOHN DOUGLAS.

No. 95.

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Pd.	to gett, my acco	ot. passed			•••	•••			15	
Pđ.	to Phill: Tullie	Esq for se	ervice in	ye ac	et. passi	ing	•••	21	10	00
	the Chancellrs.		***	••.	·	•••	•••	21	10	00
	Mr. Bradshaw		•••	•••	•••	••	•••	07	10	06
							1	04	05	06

N. B. The Sheriffes acct. might have been passed in fourteene days but expecting a great Sume on acct. of the Posse Com. was deteined nine weeks longer which created a great expence.

Jur. in Cur. p Robert Loadsman to the above sd Sume of 104 · 05 · 6 being pd. over and above the ordinary charge of passing his Acct and suing out his quiets.

* Not allowed.

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Nº 96.

Northumbr. John Johnson Esq late Sheriffe of the County aforesaid for the year er Michas 1715 craveth allowance of the Sumes following being expended &c. dutime of his Sherriffality, vizt:—	iding att
$f_{ m mp}$ rs. \pounds . s.	d.
For bringing Thomas Hetherington & David Latimore from Carlisle by Habs Corps.—Hetherington was tryed in Northd. condemned & hanged 05 10	00
For dispersing Proclamacons being very numerous in the said year 15 00	00
For distributing the Acts of Parliament for the Land Tax and attending the Commissrs for putting the same in Execuçon 08 00	00
For Carpetts, Cushions, & other necessaryes for ye Courts at ye Assizes 05 06	08
For Dyett & garding Anthony Steel & Robt. Whitfield from the last Sumer Assizes	
to the 14. November being 3 months 01 10	00
Pd. for returning two Knights of the Shire & two Burgesses for Morpeth 00 12	00
Going to Mr. Thos. Forster, the late Member of Parliament wth Mr Speakers letter for him imediately to attend the House 03 10	00
To charges of Bayliffe's & other men 3 days with the Kings Messenger to take the late L ^d . Darwentwater , , 15 00	00
For a Bailiff riding post to Carlisle wth an express from the Justices of Northumbd- concerning the Rebellion being begun in order to secure that City from the Rebells	00
For the Sheriffs Clerk & two Bailiffes expences by order of the Earl of Scarborough Ld. Livetennt of the County in going to Rothbury &c. as Spies 06 08	00
For the Undersheriffe & men to goe to Shields wth Ld. Scarboroughs warrt to seize great Gunns & Arms there belonging to Collier Shipps and to take away	
ferry boats for the space of 3 days 15 00	00
For Seamen to remove Arms and Ferry boats 10 00	00
For the charge of Keels	00
For drawing Associacon to stand by King George wth advice of Councill p Ld. Scarboroughs order	00
For the Undersheriffe & Clerk & four Bailiffes passing thro' the County by order of the Lord Scarborough to get the Associacon signed & expences 30 00	00
130 00	08

Charged for Raising the Posse Com. 300% out of which I had only allowed me ... 167

Tot. allowd. ..