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THE BLACK WATCH ARE WI DEST
FIGHTERS IN THE BRITISH ARMY

When the Regiment Was Formed it Was an Experiment,
Which Has Been a Fortunate One for Great Britain—
Some of the Exploits of the Corps.

In the order of precedence of the
military regiments of the British army
here are just forty-one names placed
before the Black Watch. If this order
depended on military fame instead of as
it does, on the date of first enrolment, it
would be difficult to decide if a single
regiment of the whole army should be
placed before this famous body of fight-
ers.

They have fought (says the writer of an
article in the "Leisure Hour") in at least
twenty-two of these are accorded as
"honors" on the colors; and long though
this list may be, it must be remembered
that it was not until 1740 that they really
started their career.

It was in 1730, or thereabouts, the High-
lands being then in a state of smouldering
rebellion, that a loyal Highlander, Dun-
can Forbes of Culloden, proposed to the
British Government that the Highlanders
themselves would possibly prove the best
men to keep their fellows in order.

HOW THEY WERE FORMED.

It was a risky step, but the Govern-
ment agreed; meditating, doubtless,
that if these unruly men must inevitably
be fighting some one, it could do no harm
to pay them to fight on the right side.

So the six "independent companies" were
formed—three of 100 men, and three of
only 75—and quartered throughout the
Highlands on what was practically police
duty; sometimes catching up a raiding
party that had started after Lowland
cattle, now quailing two rival clans; and
generally, representing the Hanoverian
Kings in a land where these were none
too dearly loved.

From the first they were known as the
"Black Watch," for they wore a tartan
of black and blue and green, which seem-
ed sombre beside the red-coated regu-
lars. So well did these Highland Watch-
men do their work, that in 1740 the Gov-
ernment resolved to raise a complete re-
giment with the companies for a basis.

It was done, and almost immediately the
new regiment was ordered to march to
London.

The inhabitants on the way turned out
to see the notorious wild savages of
the North, and great was their surprise
to find that in times of peace the
Highland fighter was a polished gentle-
man. Even the King himself did
not know the men he had sent for; and
when two of the regiment appeared
before him to show their skill with the
broadsword and the battle-axe, he pre-
sented them each with a guinea, which
was promptly tossed to the porter at the
gate.

The campaign in 1790 against the
French Republicans was mainly in Flan-
ders, and it was during it that the re-
giment won its "red heckle," the vulture
feather in its bonnet. It happened thus:
The 11th Dragoons had retreated before
the French attack, leaving behind their
two guns in the possession of the enemy.

THEY WON THEIR SPURS.

Seeing the situation, the Highlanders
immediately charged, and brought the
guns into safety. For their reward they
still wear the red feather of the Dragoons,
who were crowned with a white one in its
place.

In the Crimean War the Highland
Brigade was under Sir Colin Campbell,
and it was before the battle of the Alma
that they received those famous orders:
"Now, men you are going into action.
Remember this—whichever is wounded—
no matter what his rank—must lie where
he falls till the bandmen come to attend
him. No soldier must go carrying off
wounded comrades. If any man does such
a thing his name shall be stuck up on the
oars of his parish church." Kinglake
tells us that the brigade went into the
battle with a "joyous, assuring cry," and
the weird bagpipes played an accompani-
ment.

GLORIOUS EXPLOITS.
The Black Watch went—still under Sir
Colin Campbell—to the relief of Lucknow.
The regiment was also at Tel-el-Kebir,
which was, however, a small affair. But
at Tamai, soon after the fighting was
done; when the British square was broken
by the Arabs 60 of the 2d were killed,
while only 20 were wounded—a sure proof
of how hard the fanatical tribesmen
struck home.

The soldier with an earnest cause, even
though a mistaken one, always makes a
hard fighter. The "Auld Forty-Twa" has
a unique record, perhaps not the least
memorable fact being that the wi dest fight-
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themselves the most orderly in peace.

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