

LIST OF JACOBITE CLERGYMEN IN THE 1745 REBELLION

Rev. Alexander S. J. Cameron, *from* Strathglass

Regiment: Cameron of Lochiel's
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: 313

Third son of John of Lochiel and brother of Cameron of Lochiel of the '45. He was a Jesuit Priest. It is not known what part he took in the 1745 Rebellion. Taken prisoner at Morar, July 1746 and put on board HMS 'Furnace' where Captain Ferguson was ships Captain. He was not allowed a bed to lie on, except ships cables. He fell ill and Lord Albemarle ordered him to be put ashore. Ferguson refused to give him up without an order from the Duke of Newcastle. He also refused to allow any bedding or clothes to be supplied to him. Cameron died soon after HMS 'Furnace' arrived in the Thames.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 68 & 69
The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I, Scottish History Society, 1895, pages 312 & 313
Origins of the Forty-Five 1737-1746, Scottish History Society, Series 2, 1916, page 87 (footnote)
Albemarle Papers, page 48 & Catholic Highlands, page 201.

Rev. Duncan Cameron, *from* Fortingall

Regiment: Cameron of Lochiel's
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.:

Episcopalian Minister. Nothing more known about this man.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

Rev. John Cameron, *from* Fort William

Regiment: Cameron of Lochiel's
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.:

Church of Scotland Minister. Nothing more known about this man.

Reference sources:

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Rev. Thomas Coppoch, *from* Brasenose College, Oxford.

Regiment: Manchester Regiment
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: 570

Son of John Coppoch, or rather Cappock, a tailor in Manchester. Joined the Prince there by whom it is said he was appointed Chaplain to the Manchester Regiment, and was promised the Bishopric of Carlisle. Captured at Carlisle on 30 December 1746 and imprisoned at Carlisle, Chester Castle, Lancaster Castle.

In his speech before his execution he said his crime was 'for taking up arms to restore the Royal and illustrious house of Stewart' and complained of brutal treatment at the hands of Lord Mark Kerr's Dragoons when taken prisoner from Carlisle to Lancaster. Executed 18 October 1746.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 128 & 129

The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I, Scottish History Society, 1895, pages 22, 53 & 60

The Rev. Thomas Drummond, *from* -

Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 755

He was one of the party which went from Leith with Reverend Robert Forbes to join the Prince when he landed. Arrested at St. Ninian's 7 September 1745 and imprisoned in Stirling Castle 7 September 1745 then moved to Edinburgh Castle 4 February 1746. Released 29 May 1746.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 166 & 167

The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I, Scottish History Society, 1895, page xii

Rev. Father, George Duncan, *from* Glenlivet

Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 782

Was taken prisoner at Glenlivet in 1746 but released after a short imprisonment. He went to Carlisle to look after the Catholic prisoners there.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 170 & 171

Catholic Highlands page 41

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Rev. Charles Farquharson, *from* Braemar

Regiment: Non Combatant

Rank: -

Prisoner no.: 838

'Jesuit Priest. Was a witness to his brother (John) at Strathglass. He left Scotland in 1729, studied at Madrid and Douai, and in obedience to the order of his superior, Francisco Ritz, General of the Jesuits, delivered to him on 26th July, last. He returned to Scotland and, being appointed to no certain place, he went to his brother, said John'. Imprisoned at Inverness and sent to Tilbury, possibly aboard one of the prison hulks. Moved to London (Southwark) and finally placed in the custody of Dick the Messenger. Released on condition of departing the Kingdom and not returning, May 1747.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46 - Appendix Two, pages 235 & 236
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 182 & 183

Rev. John Ferguson of Strathglass, *from* Braemar

Regiment: Non Combatant

Rank: -

Prisoner no.: 845

'Jesuit. He left Scotland 1714, studied at Douai and other colleges in Flanders, and in 1729 returned to Scotland by order of the then General of the Jesuits and lived ever since in Strathglass'. Captured at Inverness. Put on board the 'Pamela', September 1746, then sent to London (Southwark) on 9 April 1747 thereafter in the custody of Dick the Messenger. Released on condition of leaving the Kingdom and not returning, May 1747.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46 - Appendix Two, page 236
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 184 & 185

The Rev. Robert Forbes, *from* Leith

Regiment: Non Combatant

Rank: -

Prisoner no.: 928

Son of Charles Forbes, Schoolmaster of Tayne, (Rayne?) Aberdeenshire. The Reverend Forbes was an Episcopal Clergyman. In 1762 he became Bishop of Ross. He died on 18 November 1775. To him we owe the 'Lyon in Mourning' which is one of the most important contemporary chronicles of the '45. When Robert Forbes heard of the Prince's landing he set off with six friends to join him but was captured at St. Ninian's, 7 July 1745 and imprisoned first in Stirling Castle the same day then sent to Edinburgh Castle, 4 February 1746 where he was kept until 29 May 1746.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 202 & 203
The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I, Scottish History Society, 1895, page xii

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Rev. Alexander Forrester, *from* Benbecula

Regiment: Non Combatant

Rank: -

Prisoner no.: 931

Roman Catholic Priest. Taken prisoner by Allan MacDonald of Knock, in Slate, Isle of Skye, 3 July 1746 and taken to Portree in Skye. Sent to Inverness and then to Tilbury, April 1747. Moved to London (Southwark). Released on condition of leaving the Kingdom permanently and never returning, May 1747.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 204 & 205

The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I, Scottish History Society, 1895, page 178

Rev. John Gordon, *from* Presshome, Enzie, Banff

Regiment: Duke of Perth's

Rank: Chaplain

Prisoner no.: 1084

Aged 39 years, son of Peter Gordon, Wadsetter at Birkenbush. 'A Popish priest'. 'Went to Perth with recruits and afterwards followed the rebels'. After Culloden a party was sent to his house to remove all his books of which he had a large number. These books were all burnt at Cullen of Boyn. Imprisoned in Aberdeen Tolbooth. Discharged on bail, 13 March 1747.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 240 & 241

The Lyon in Mourning Vol. I I, Scottish History Society, 1895, page 164

Rev. Alexander Gordon, *from* Gairnside

Regiment: Monaltrie and Balmoral

Rank: Clergyman

Prisoner no.: -

Chaplain to the regiment. Nothing more known about this man.

Reference sources:

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The Rev. Alexander Gordon, *from* Aboyne

Regiment: French Service
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: 1063

One of the family of Gordon of Glencat near Aboyne. According to the Catholic Directory he was 'of the Glencat family', son of John Gordon of Barrack. He entered the Scots College at Douai in 1718 and was sent to the mission in Scotland in 1734 serving at Glencairn. Captured at Inverness on 17 April 1746 and died in captivity in May 1746, three weeks after being taken prisoner.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 232, 233 & 235
Scots Magazine vol. xvi, page 211
Catholic Directory, 1853
Catholic Highlands, page 79

The Rev. James Gordon, *from* -

Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 1073

An ordained Priest. Captured and imprisoned at Carlisle on 30 December 1745 and sent to London (Southwark). Acquitted during August 1746.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 236 & 237
Scots Magazine viii, 294

The Rev. Peter Gordon, *from* -

Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 1087

Priest at Braemar. Was apprehended in 1746 and imprisoned at Aberdeen. Menzies of Pitfodels stood bail for him and he returned to Braemar. Discharged.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 240 & 241

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The Rev. Robert Gordon, Bishop of Gordon, *from* London
Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 1088

Arrested for 'treasonable practices'. There is doubt about his identity. In his petition he asked to be allowed to go to any Catholic country, and was sent to Holland on 28 February 1746; there he was described as a 'Romish priest'. He appealed from London Newgate Prison for release in February 1746. Was confined in a Messenger's house. Released.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 240 & 241

Killian (William?) Grant, *from* -
Regiment: Gordon of Glenbucket's
Rank: Other Ranks
Prisoner no.: -

Priest in the Order of St. Benedict. Escaped

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

The Rev. John Grant, *from* Glenurquart, Inverness-shire
Regiment: -
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 1169

Aged 34 years. He was taken at Inverness, 9 May 1746 and during June 1746 was sent south aboard the 'Dolphin' which left Inverness on 10 June 1746 for London. Imprisoned in Tilbury Fort. He was 'Minister of the Gospel in Urquhart'. He was accused of 'explaining the Pretender's Manifesto from the Pulpit'. This he denied, and claimed to have acted on the side of the Government throughout and to have suffered grievously at the hands of the MacDonald's in consequence. His own chief, Ludovic Grant, suspected him and had him taken prisoner and in due course he was sent to London with the Grants of Sheuglie. He gave evidence in his own favour in London in August 1746 and was discharged on bail, during September 1746 to stand trial in Edinburgh in the following December, there he was again discharged on 4 December 1746.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 258 & 259

Origins of the Forty-Five 1737-1746, Scottish History Society, Series 2, 1916, pages 313, 322 & 331

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Rev. James Grant, *from* -

Regiment: Non Combatant
Rank: -
Prisoner no.: 1162

Aged 40 years, a Priest. Arrested at Barra and imprisoned at Inverness. On 10 June 1746 was put on board the 'Jane of Alloway' for London. Released July 1747.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 256 & 257

Rev. George Law, *from* Aberdeen

Regiment: Stoneywood's (Aberdeen)
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: 1524

Aged 40 years. Listed as Chaplain to the Pretender. Described as a 'nonjurant-minister'. Was at the siege of Stirling and the battle of Culloden. He was captured at Culloden (*16 April 1746*) and sent to London where he was imprisoned in London (Southwark) Prison. In December 1746, he was tried for his life and acquitted after a long trial.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
Historical Papers 1699-1750 Vol. II, New Spalding Club, 1894 - Inverness Prisoner List 19 April 1746, pages 611 to 614
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 332 & 333

The Rev. Robert Lyon, *from* Perth

Regiment: Forfarshire (Ogilvy's)
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: 1618

Aged 35 years. Incumbent of the Episcopal Church in Perth. He joined the Prince when he marched through to Edinburgh, especially as many of his congregation had also done so. He was appointed to Lord Ogilvy's Regiment and served with it throughout the campaign and at his own expense. Arrested at Invercarty, Montrose 13 May 1746 and imprisoned at Montrose 15 May 1746, then Edinburgh Canongate 13 August 1746. He was sent to Carlisle on 8 August 1746. Although he never bore arms he was found guilty of high treason and levying war. In his last speech he referred to the denunciation of him by the notorious George Miller, Town Clerk of Perth, who was responsible for many deaths of Jacobites. Executed at Penrith 28 October 1746.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. II, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 354 & 355

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James MacBain, *from* Petty, Inverness-shire

Regiment: Non Combatant

Rank: -

Prisoner no.: 1713

Aged 49 years. 'Apprehended on suspicion'. Parochial Catechist (*Catholic Church*) in the Parish of Petty. Imprisoned at Inverness and in June 1746 sailed to London aboard the 'Jane of Leith'. Imprisoned in Tilbury Fort and then transported 20 March 1747.

Reference sources:

The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. III, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 20 & 21
www.thurrock-history.org.uk/jacobite4.htm - *Jacobites at Tilbury Fort*

Rev. Allan MacDonald, *from* South Uist

Regiment: MacDonald of Clanranald's

Rank: Captain, Chaplain

Prisoner no.: 1812

A kinsman of Clanranald. He went out with the clan regiment as Chaplain and was also Confessor to the Prince. After his release from prison he went on to Paris and then to Rome in 1748. Carried arms and was styled Captain. He accompanied the army to Prestonpans. At Falkirk he rode along the line and gave his blessings before the battle. After Culloden, 16 April 1746, he was with the Prince until he reached Scalpa on 2 May 1746. He was captured in South Uist and sent to London in Captain Ferguson's ship HMS 'Furnace', along with four other priests. He was imprisoned at Tilbury (*probably a prison hulk*) before being sent to London (Southwark). He appealed for release, saying he had no connection with the Rising and was released, 25 May 1747 by order of the Duke of Newcastle on condition of not returning.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. III, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 42 & 43
Origins of the Forty-Five 1737-1746, Scottish History Society, Series 2, 1916, page 228

Hugh MacDonald, Bishop of Morar, *from* -

Regiment: MacDonald of Clanranald's

Rank: Chaplain

Prisoner no.: 1868

A step brother to Morar, son of Alexander MacDonald of Morar. He was Catholic Bishop of Diana and Vicar-Apostolic of the Highlands. When the Prince arrived in Scotland he went with him and begged him to go back and when the Standard was raised at Glenfinnan he blessed it. After Culloden, 16 April 1746 he was with Lord Lovat in his hiding place in Morar but when Lovat was captured the Bishop escaped and went to France in September 1746. He returned to Scotland in 1749 but was arrested in July 1755 and imprisoned in Edinburgh Castle but released on bail and ordered to stay at Duns. In February 1756 he was sentenced by the High Court to perpetual banishment but the sentence was not enforced and he remained in Scotland until his death in 1773.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
The Prisoners of the '45, Vol. III, Scottish History Society, 1929, pages 60 & 61
Origins of the Forty-Five 1737-1746, Scottish History Society, Series 2, 1916, page 82 & 244
The Lyon in Mourning Vol. III, Scottish History Society, 1895 paged 50 to 53
Scots Magazine xvii, 358
Scots Magazine xviii, 100

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Rev. John MacLauchan, *from* Kilchgoan

Regiment: MacLachlan's
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: -

Escaped

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

John Maitland, *from* Careston

Regiment: Forfarshire (Ogilvy's)
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: -

Chaplain Forfarshire (Ogilvy's). Escaped to Sweden.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46

John Tyrie, *from* Clashmore

Regiment: Gordon of Glenbucket's
Rank: Chaplain
Prisoner no.: -

Roman Catholic Priest. Wounded at Culloden on 16 April 1746. Escaped.

Reference sources:

No Quarter Given. Muster Roll of Prince Charles Edward Stuart's Army, 1745-46
