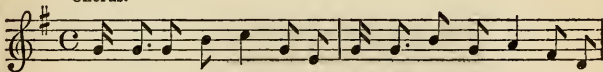


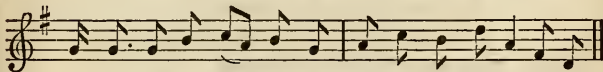
THE HIGHLAND MUSTER-ROLL, 1715.

The following was probably a contemporary ballad, though it did not get into print for nearly a century after. It appeared in the sixth volume of Johnson's *Museum*, published in 1803. The bustling, hurrying tide of names, and the mirthful hopefulness expressed by the bard, are very amusing.

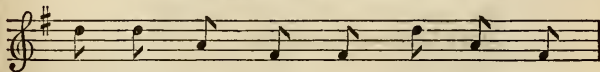
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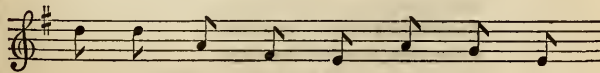
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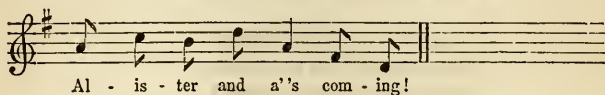
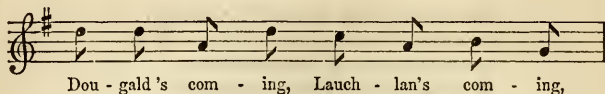
Lit - tle wat ye wha's coming; Jock and Tam and a's coming!



Dun - can's com - ing, Don - ald's com - ing,



Co - lin's com - ing, Ron - ald's com - ing,



Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 Jock and Tam and a' 's coming!

Duncan's coming, Donald's coming,
 Colin's coming, Ronald's coming,
 Dougal's coming, Lauchlan's coming,
 Alister and a' 's coming!

Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 Jock and Tam and a' 's coming!

Borland and his men's coming,
 The Camerons and Maclean's coming,
 The Gordons and Macgregor's coming,
 A' the Duniewastles coming!

Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 MacGilvray o' Drumglass is coming!

Winton's coming, Nithsdale's coming,
 Carnwath's coming, Kenmure's coming,
 Derwentwater and Foster's coming,
 Withrington and Nairn's coming!¹

Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 Blythe Cowhill² and a' 's coming!

The Laird o' Macintosh is coming,
 Macrabie and Macdonald's coming,
 The Mackenzies and Macphersons coming,
 A' the wild MacCraws coming!

Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 Donald Gun and a' 's coming!

They gloom, they glowr, they look sae big,
 At ilka stroke they'll fell a Whig;
 They'll fright the fuds of the Pockpuds;³
 For mony a buttock bare's coming.

Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming,
 Little wat ye wha's coming;
 Jock and Tam and a' 's coming!

¹ Lowland and English partisans.

² A gentleman of Dumfriesshire.

³ The English, from a supposition of their being great eaters, were often called the *Pock-puddings* by the abstemious Scotch.