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The Auld Alliance



In the late 13th and early 14th centuries, Scotland found itself in a _____ for independence from England. To strengthen its position, Scotland formed an _____ with France, known as the Auld Alliance. This partnership was not just diplomatic; it was also a military _____ that provided mutual support against England. The French saw this as an opportunity to distract _____ from their territories, while the Scots sought assistance in securing their freedom. In 1295, the official _____ was signed, marking the beginning of a long-standing _____ between the two countries. Through the Auld Alliance, _____ received military aid and the promise of support if England invaded. This included _____ and supplies, crucial for the Scots during sieges and battles. The alliance also allowed for significant cultural exchanges, with _____ and trade flourishing between the two nations. Scottish soldiers often fought in France, gaining valuable experience and bringing back _____ and knowledge that benefited the Scottish fight for independence. The Auld Alliance played a key role in the _____ of Scottish Independence, providing Scotland with a powerful friend in Europe and complicating England's _____ objectives. Over the centuries, the alliance would be renewed several times, each _____ reinforcing the bond between Scotland and France. While its military _____ diminished over time, the Auld Alliance left a lasting impact on the cultural and social _____ of both nations.

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