June 1739

Friday 1 THE EMPEROR OF THE MOON. As 29 March, but Mopsophil – Mrs Kilby. CG Also THE ROYAL CHACE. As 1 March, but Psyche omitted.

Tuesday 5 MACBETH. THE ROYAL CHACE. Advertised, but probably not given.

CG COMMENT. The bill was inserted in London Daily Post and General Advertiser,

4 June, but not repeated on 5 June.

August 1739

The Relapse. Foppington (new dressed) - Cibber, being the first time of his appearance on that stage; Berinthia - Mrs Horton; Loveless - Hallam; Worthy - Bridgwater; Young Fashion - Walker; Sir Tunbelly - Marten; Amanda - Mrs Stevens; Hoyden - Mrs Vincent; Coupler - Arthur; Bull - Littleton; Shoemaker - Clark; Nurse - Mrs Martin; Seringe and Lory - Chapman, but see 14 May. Also The Mock Doctor. Doctor - Cibber, but see 18 May. Also an Epilogue (written by Jo. Haines, Comedian of facetious Memory) by particular Desire, to be spoke by the young Captain in his Regimentals, Riding on an Ass. DANCING. By Master Oates, Phillips from DL, Miss Oates, Master Ferg, &c. COMMENT. Benefit Miss Jenny and Miss Betty, Two Infant Daughters of the late Mrs Jane Cibber. Mainpiece: Written by the late Sir John Vanbrugh. Afterpiece: Taken from Moliere, and Intermixed with Songs. At 6:45 P.M.

Monday 6
TRICK FOR TRICK; or, An Odd Affair between Harlequin, his Associates, and the Vintner of York. Also POOR HARLE IN THE SUDDS AT LAST. Also A BALL; or, The Humours of a Masquerade. Casts not listed.

COMMENT. At the Great Booth in the Middle of Tottenham Court Fair.

Wednesday 8 HARLEQUIN'S DISTRESS; or, The Happiness of Colombine. Harlequin Phillips, from DL.

SINGING. A Dialogue between Punch and Colombine. The Beau.

DANCING. Drunken Peasant by Phillips. Scaramouch Dance by Phillips, &c.

COMMENT. At Phillips's Great Booth, in the Middle of Tottenham Fair.

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. Macheath – Walker; Polly – Mrs Vincent; Lucy – Mrs Villeneuve; Mat (in the Character of Pistol) – Cibber; but see 28 April. Also THE MOCK DOCTOR. Doctor – Cibber.

SINGING. Concluding with the Modern Free-Masons Song, in the Character of Robin Hood, by a Brother.

DANCING. Hornpipe and Drunken Peasant by Phillips.

COMMENT. Benefit Walker, a Brother. For the Entertainment of the Grand Master and the Worthy Brothers and Sisters of the Honourable Community of Modern Free-Masons. Mainpiece: Written by the late Mr Gay. Afterpiece: Taken from Moliere, and Intermixed with Songs. Boxes 5s. Pit 3s. Gallery 2s. 6:30 P.M.

Tuesday 21
THE CARELESS HUSBAND. Foppington – Cibber; Lady Betty – Mrs Horton;
CG
Sir Charles – Ryan; Morelove – Hale; Lady Easy – Mrs Stevens; Lady Graveairs –
Mrs Bellamy; Edging – Mrs Vincent. Also THE MOCK DOCTOR. As 2 Aug.,



but Dorcas - Mrs Vincent; Sir Jasper - Arthur; Leander - Clark; Davy - Yates; Robert - Littleton; James - Yates; Harry - Hale; Hellebore - Marten; Charlotte - Miss Brunette.

Tuesday 21 CG

DANCING. 1: Hornpipe by Phillips. III: Drunken Peasant by Phillips. V: Comic Dance by Villeneuve and Miss Oates.

COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. Mainpiece: Written by Colley Cibber, Esq; Poet-Laureat. Afterpiece: Taken from Moliere and Intermingled with Songs. At Common Prices. 6 P.M.

HARLEQUIN TURN'D PHILOSOPHER; or, The Country Squire Outwitted. Harlequin - Hays; Colombine - Mrs Dove; Country Squire - Bencraft; Clodpole - Dove. Also THE SAILOR'S WEDDING; or, The Wapping Landlady. Wapping Landlady - Mrs Coker; Sailors - Dove, Nichols, Granier, Olbeldiston, Littleton. The Whole to conclude with a Grand Scene of Neptune's Palace: Neptune - Granier; Tritons - Thompson, Olbeldiston, Littleton; Sea Nymphs - Mrs Phillips, Miss Hayes, Miss Gerrard.

Thursday 23

DANCING. The Milk-Maids; or, The Merry Morrice Dancers.
COMMENT. At Hallam's Booth. 23 Aug.-27 Aug.

THE TOP OF THE TREE; or, A Tit Bit for a Nice Palate. In which will be introduced the famous Dog Scene, which was perform'd upwards of Sixty Nights with Great Applause, in the Entertainment of Perseus and Andromeda. Harlequin—Signor Yaterini; Hussar — Hale; Colombine — Mrs Talbot; Petit Maitre — Legar; Mons Sham Suit — Chapman; Clown — Hippisley. Also that Amazing, Surprizing, and Astonishing Scene of The Skeleton in THE ROYAL CHACE; or, Merlin's Cave. Pierot — Signior Arthurini.

COMMENT. At Hippisley-Chapman-Legar Booth. I P.M. to II P.M.

THE ESCAPES OF HARLEQUIN BY SEA AND LAND; or, Colombine Made Happy At Last. Harlequin - Waters; Colombine - Mrs Waters; Judge Ballance - Bullock.

COMMENT. At Bullock's Boorth, the largest in the Fair.

COLOMBINE COURTEZAN. Harlequin - Phillips; Spaniard - Hemiskirk; Clown - Scollough; Colombine - Mrs Phillips.

Monday 27 BF

ENTERTAINMENTS. A Grand Scene of Cupid and Psyche. A Scaramouch Dance by Phillips, which he performed at the Opera House at Paris upwards of Forty successive Nights with universal Applause. A Dialogue between Punch and Colombine. Drunken Peasant by Phillips.

COMMENT. At Lee-Phillips Booth. 10 A.M. This performance is advertised in the London Daily Post and General Advertiser, 27 Aug., only, the last day of the Fair.

THE CARELESS HUSBAND. As 21 Aug. Also THE DRAGON OF WANTLEY. Wednesday 29
More – Salway; Gubbins – Laguerre; Margerina – Mrs Lampe; Mauxalinda – CG
Miss Young, but see 9 Feb.

DANCING. By Villeneuve and Miss Oates.

COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. Mainpiece: Written by Colley Cibber, Esq; Poet-Laureat.

THE RELAPSE. Loveless - Ryan; Young Fashion - A. Hallam; Sir Tunbelly - Friday 31

Mullart; Coupler - Arthur; Lory - James; Surgeon - Marten; Shoemaker - CG

Bencraft; Nurse - Mrs Mullart; Amanda - Mrs Hallam; Foppington - Cibber;
Berinthia - Mrs Horton; Hoyden - Mrs Vincent; Worthy - Bridgwater, but see

2 Aug. Also MARGERY. More - Salway; Margery - Mrs Lampe; Gubbins - Laguerre; Mauxalinda - Miss Young.

