

- THE PROVOK'D HUSBAND.** Townly – Ryan; Lady Townly – Mrs Horton; Manly – Hale; Lady Grace – Mrs Stevens; Basset – Neale; Richard – James; Mrs Motherly – Mrs Martin; Lady Wronghead – Mrs Kilby; Jenny – Mrs Vincent; Myrtilia – Mrs Hale; Trusty – Mrs Cross; Sir Francis – Hippisley; but see 3 Nov. 1739. Also **PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA.** As 10 Jan.
DANCING. *Tambourine* by French Girl. *Miller and His Wife* by French Boy and Girl.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by the late Sir John Vanbrugh, and Colley Cibber, Esq; Poet-Laureat. Saturday 12
CG
- KING RICHARD THE THIRD.** As 17 Oct. 1739. Also **THE KING AND THE MILLER OF MANSFIELD.** As 8 Jan., but Joe – Ray. Monday 14
DL
DANCING. I: *Scotts Dance* by Master Matthews and Miss Wright. II: *Ballet* by Muilment, &c. III: *Le Tambourine* by Mlle Chateauneuf. IV: *Drunken Peasant* by Master Ferg.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Altered from Shakespear.
- THE ORPHAN.** As 5 Oct. 1739, but Serina – Mrs Wright; Florella – Mrs Macklin. Also **THE FORTUNE TELLERS.** Harlequin – Woodward; Queen of Gipsies – Miss Jones; Gipsies – Leigh, Green, Vaughan, Gray, Mrs Davenport, Mrs Vallois, Miss Woodman, Miss Story; Young Rustick – Liviez; Colombine – Mrs Walter; Colombine's Father – Pelling; Mittimus – Usher; Goaler – Reed; Mother – Yates; Maid – Mrs Woodward; Magician – Rheinhold; Pierrot – Lalauze; with a Grand Entertainment of Dancing call'd *A Voyage to the Land of Cytherea*: Adonis – Denoyer; Venus – Mlle Chateauneuf; Pilgrims – Liviez, Baudouin, Rector, Cook, Mrs Walter, Mrs Chetwood, Mrs Wright, Mrs Woodward; Cupid – Muilment. Tuesday 15
DL
COMMENT. Afterpiece: A new Pantomime Entertainment. [Author not known. Apparently not published.]
- OEDIPUS, KING OF THEBES.** Oedipus – Delane; Jocasta – Mrs Hallam; Adrastus – Hale; Creon – Bridgwater; Haemon – Hallam; Aegeon – Rosco; Phorbas – Ryan; Ghost of Laius – Stephens; Tiresias – Roberts; Alcander – Gibson; Pyracmon – A. Ryan; Diocles – Arthur; Dymas – Clark; Citizens – Hippisley, James, Mullart, Neale, Smith, Harrington, Stoppelaer; Eurydice – Miss Burgess. CG
DANCING. *Comic Ballet* by Villeneuve, Miss Oates, &c. *Tambourine* by French Girl. *Miller and His Wife* by French Boy and Girl.
SINGING. *The Parting Lovers* by Laguerre, Salway, Mrs Lampe.
- LOVE FOR LOVE.** Valentine – Milward; Tattle – Chapman; Ben – Macklin; Foresight – Johnson; Sir Sampson – Shepard; Scandal – Mills; Trapland – Griffin; Jeremy – Woodward; Angelica – Mrs Mills; Mrs Foresight – Mrs Pritchard; Mrs Frail – Mrs Butler; Nurse – Mrs Marshall; Prue – Mrs Clive; but see 22 Nov. 1739. Also **THE FORTUNE TELLERS.** As 15 Jan., but Peplœ replaces Vaughan in Gipsies. Wednesday 16
DL
COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.
- JULIUS CAESAR.** As 11 Dec. 1739, but Trebonius – Winstone; Cinna – Ridout. Also **THE FORTUNE TELLERS.** As 16 Jan. Thursday 17
DL
COMMENT. By Command of Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales.
- THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS.** Indiana – Mrs Horton; Young Bevil – Delane; Phillis – Mrs Vincent; Sir John – Bridgwater; Myrtle – Hallam; Cimberton – Hippisley; Sealand – Rosco; Humphrey – Mullart; Daniel – James; Mrs Sealand – Mrs James; Isabella – Mrs Mullart; Lucinda – Mrs Bellamy; Tom – Cibber; but see 4 Jan. Also **THE DRAGON OF WANTLEY.** As 12 Sept. 1739. CG

- Thursday 17*
CG DANCING. By French Boy and Girl, as 15 Jan. End of Afterpiece: *Comic Ballet* by Villeneuve, Miss Oates, &c.
COMMENT. Benefit Mr Charles Jones.
- Friday 18*
DL THE BUSY BODY. As 3 Oct. 1739, but Sir Jealous – Turbutt. Also THE FORTUNE TELLERS. As 16 Jan.
COMMENT. By Desire.
- HIC ROSALINDA. As 4 Jan.
COMMENT. As 4 Jan.
- Saturday 19*
DL THE DISTRESS MOTHER. Pyrrhus – Mills; Orestes – Milward; Pylades – Havard; Phoenix – Cashell; Andromeda – Mrs Roberts; Cephisa – Mrs Wright; Cleone – Mrs Bennet; Hermione – Mrs Butler. Also THE FORTUNE TELLERS. As 16 Jan.
COMMENT. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.
- CG THE REHEARSAL. As 31 Oct. 1739. Also PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA. As 10 Jan.
DANCING. By French Boy and Girl, as 15 Jan.
COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. Mainpiece: Written by George Duke of Buckingham.
- Monday 21*
DL RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE. As 16 Oct. 1739, but Altea – Mrs Macklin; Clara – Mrs Wright. Also THE FORTUNE TELLERS. As 16 Jan.
- Tuesday 22*
DL LOVE MAKES A MAN. As 18 Oct. 1739. Also THE FORTUNE TELLERS. As 16 Jan.
- CG THE MAN OF MODE. As 10 Nov. 1739, but Orangewoman – Oates. Also PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA. As 10 Jan.
DANCING. By French Boy and Girl, as 15 Jan.
SINGING. IV: *Bachique Song* by Leveridge and Salway.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by Sir George Etherge.
- HAY MERODE E SELINUNTE. *Cast not listed*, but edition of 1740 lists: Merode – Carestini; Filea – Signora Panichi; Selinunte – Andreoni; Dionisio – Rochetti.
COMMENT. [By Rolli.] Pit and Boxes half a guinea. Gallery 5s. 6 P.M.
- Wednesday 23*
DL HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK. As 1 Sept. 1739. Also THE FORTUNE TELLERS. As 16 Jan.
COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. *Daily Advertiser*, 25 Jan.: On Wednesday night last a Disturbance happen'd at Drury-Lane Playhouse, occasion'd by one of the principal Dancers not being there to dance at the end of the Entertainment, and after most of the People in the Pit and Galleries were gone, several Gentlemen in the Boxes pull'd up the Seats and Flooring of the same, tore down the Hangings, broke down the Partitions, all the Glasses and Sconces, the King's Arms over the middle front Box was pull'd down and broke to Pieces; they also destroy'd the Harpsichord, Bass Viol, and other Instruments in the Orchestra; the Curtain they cut to pieces with their Swords, forc'd their way into the lesser Green-Room, where they broke the Glasses, &c. and after destroying every thing they could well get asunder, to the amount of about three or four hundred Pounds Damage, left the House in a very ruinous Condition. [See also *London Magazine*, IX (1740), 47-48, 100.]