Wednesday 18 THE MESSIAH. Cast not listed. [See Gentleman's Magazine; Deutsch, Handel, p. 708.] CHAPEL COMMENT. Receipts: £600. At the Chapel of the Foundling Hospital.

HAY MADAME CIANO. Cast not listed.

COMMENT. To begin at half an hour after six. Prices, 5s., 3s., 2s. (Daily Advertiser).

Thursday 19

HAMLET. As 15 March, but Hamlet – Barry; Horatio – Palmer; Lucianus – James; Laertes – Blakes; Polonius – Taswell; Osrick – Woodward; Gravediggers – Yates, Ray. Also The School Boy. School boy – Shuter; Young Rakish – Cross; Friendly – Simpson; Lettice – Miss Cole; Major Rakish – Bridges; Father Dominic – Blakes; Lady Manlove – Mrs James.

DANCING. The Swedish Gardeners, as 19 Dec. 1749.

COMMENT. Benefit for Shuter and Palmer. Rec'd cash £50 14s., plus £82 15s. in tickets. Paid Duke of Bedford's Steward for leases £3 13s. 6d.; Mrs Swift 1s. 6d., omitted Wednesday; Mrs Roberts £1 omitted Wednesday (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: £150 (Cross); charges, £63 (Treasurer's Book).

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THE DOUBLE DEALER. As 16 Oct. 1749, but Lady Froth – a Young Gentle-woman who never appeared on this stage before. Also JUDGMENT OF PARIS. As 5 April, but Paris – Lowe; Mercury – Wilder; Pallas – Miss Young; Juno – Mrs Dunstall; Venus – Miss Falkner.

SINGING. 1: A New Scots Song by Miss Falkner, set by Master Arne; II: O Sleep and Lucinge; III: Go Rose, &c.

DANCING. IV: Tambourin by Jardin, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Miss Falkner. Charges £60. Deficit to Miss Falkner £15 35., covered by £62 105. from tickets. Afterpiece: A musical Entertainment (Not acted these 10 years) set to music by Mr Arne. [See 5 and 25 April.] Receipts: £44 175.

HAY MADAME CIANO. Cast not listed.

Friday 20 DL THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS. As 6 Feb., but Daniel - James. Also A DUKE AND NO DUKE. As 15 Jan.

DANCING. 1: Fingalian Dance by McNeil; II: The Black Joke by the Little Swiss and Miss Foulcade; III: Grand Scotch Dance, as 31 Oct. 1749; IV: Hornpipe by Mathews; End of Play: Minuet by Mathews and Mad De La Contri.

COMMENT. Benefit for Matthews and James. Rec'd Cash £44 95., plus £116 125. from tickets. Total £161 15. Paid Mr Barsanti for music by order of Garrick £1 115. 6d. Paid Mr Williams ½ year's rent K: passage £11 155. (Treasurer's Book). Mr Mills bury'd at St Marks (Cross). Receipts: £160 (Cross); charges, £63 (Treasurer's Book).

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THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. As 9 Feb., but Hornpipe by Oates; Macheath - Dyer. Also Perseus and Andromeda. As 16 April. DANCING. (By particular Desire) Grand Scots Dance by Cooke and Miss Hillyard, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Dyer. [Seemingly a clear one, for he received also £29 6s. from tickets.] Being the last time of performing the afterpiece this season. Receipts: £63 2s. 6d.

Saturday 21 DL THE STRATAGEM. As 17 March. Also THE INTRIGUING CHAMBERMAID. As 2 April.

DANCING. IV: Venetian Gardeners - Grandchamps and Mlle Auretti.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Mills. By particular desire. Paid salary list £300 6d.; Rec'd cash £54 19s., plus £102 7s. from tickets. Total £157 6s. (Treasurer's Book). Gentlemen and Ladies: Having the Misfortune to lose my husband, I am incapable



at present, of making my personal application; but hope those Friends who intend to honour me with their company, will be so kind as to send for tickets, Places, &c. to Gardyner's Printing office in Little Russel St., Covent Garden, or to Mr Hobson at the stage door, I beg your favour, and am, Your humble serv't, Eliz. Mills (General Advertiser). Receipts: £160 (Cross); charges, £60 (Treasurer's Book).

Saturday 21 DL

JANE SHORE. As 2 Nov. 1749, but Hastings – Lacey; add Belmour – Gibson. Also MISS IN HER TEENS. As 2 April, but Flash – Bencraft.

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SINGING. II: By Roberts; IV: By Roberts.

DANCING. III: Tambourine by Jardin, &c.; End of Play: Grand Scots Dance, by Cooke, Miss Hillyard, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Roberts. Charges £80. Deficit to Roberts £49 8s., covered by income from tickets of £116. Receipts: £30 12s.

MADAME CIANO. Cast not listed.

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MACBETH. As 29 Jan., but Duncan – Barnet; Lennox – Ackman; Miss Norris returned to vocal list. Also MISS IN HER TEENS. As 17 April, but Fribble – Master Cross, 1st time.

Monday 23

MUSIC. II: Concerto on Violincello - Cervetti.

DANCING. 1: Black Joke, as 20 April; II: Comic Dance by Grandchamps; III: L'Entree de Flore, as 24 Oct. 1749; v: Venetian Gardeners by Grandchamps and Mlle Auretti. COMMENT. Benefit for Cross, and Burton. Rec'd cash £36 155., plus £116 65. from tickets. Total £153 15.; Paid Norton 6 Chorus £1 105.; Paid Mr Dolmain (Embroiderer) £3 (Treasurer's Book). Tickets to be had of Mr Page at the Stage Door. Tickets deliver'd out by Grandchamps will be taken. Publish'd this day, the third edn. of Colley Cibber's Apology for bis Life at 65. With an Historical view of the stage during his own time, to which is now added A short account of the Rise and Progress of the English Stage: also a dialogue on old plays and old players. Printed for R. Dodsley (General Advertiser). Receipts: £154 (Cross); charges, £63 (Treasurer's Book).

Don Sebastian King of Portugal. Dorax – Quin; Sebastian – Ryan; Moluch – Sparks; Benducar – Bridgwater; Mufti – Arthur; Mustapha – Dunstall; Antonio – Anderson; Zeydan – Bencraft; Johayma – Mrs Bambridge; Morayma – Mrs Barrington; Alvarez – Ridout; Almeyda – Miss Bellamy. Also Miss in Her Teens. As 21 April.

DANCING. II: Dutch Dance by Cooke and Miss Hillyard; III: Grand Scots Dance by Cooke and Miss Hillyard, &c.; v: Minuet and Louvre by Cooke and Miss Hillyard. COMMENT. Benefit for Miss Hilliard. Charges £60. Deficiency to Miss Hilliard £28 7s. covered by £55 8s. from tickets. Paid Servandoni as an advance £5 5s. Receipts: £31 13s.

THE ROMAN FATHER. As 26 Feb. Also THE INTRIGUING CHAMBER-MAID. As 2 April.

Tuesday 24 DL

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COMMENT. Paid Tallow Chandler £17 18s. 11d.; Norton 6 Chorus 6s. 6d. (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: £150 (Cross); £128 (Treasurer's Book).

THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND. As 23 Oct. 1749, but Jacyntha – Mrs Ridout. Also MISS IN HER TEENS. As 21 April, but Tag – Miss Ferguson.

DANCING. II: Tambourine by Jardin, &c.; III: Dutch Dance by Cooke and Miss Hillyard; v: Grand Scots Dance by Cooke and Miss Hillyard.

SINGING. IV: Go Rose, &c. by Miss Falkner.

COMMENT. Benefit for Villeneuve. Charges £30. Deficiency to Villeneuve £4 125. 6d., covered by £111 115. from tickets. N.B. Mr Villeneuve has been robb'd of a number of tickets, therefore none sold at the Doors of the theatre will be taken. By desire of several Ladies of Quality. Receipts: £26 75. 6d.

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