DANCING. Mainpiece to conclude with a reel by the characters.

SINGING. End of Act 1 of mainpiece The Banks of the Tweed; End of Act 111 Rosilind

Castle; End of mainpiece The Banks of Invermay, all by Mrs Moss.

Tuesday 22 lind HAY

COMMENT. By Permission of the Lord Chamberlain. Benefit for Mrs Moss, who performed Peggy in February and October 1776. [Author of Prologue unknown.]

LA SCHIAVA. As I Apr.

DANCING. End of Act I Les Amans Heureux, as 4 Jan.; End of Act II Serious Ballet,

as 25 Feb.; End of Opera La Clochette, as 15 Mar.

King's

THE JEALOUS WIFE. As 28 Jan., but Sir Harry Beagle – Burton; Russet – Bransby; Tom – Holcroft. Also Bon Ton. As 5 Apr. DANCING. End of Act 1 of afterpiece the Louvre Minuet and Allemande by the Miss Stageldoirs.

Wednesday 23

COMMENT. Benefit for Bransby & Burton. Public Advertiser, 19 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Bransby, No. 10, New Pye-street, Westminster; of Burton, Duke's-court, Bow-street, Covent Garden. Receipts: £196 1s. 6d. (61/11/0; 24/17/6; 0/0/0; tickets: 109/13/0) (charge: £64 9s.).

CARACTACUS. As 6 Dec. 1776. Also THE ROYAL CHACE; or, Harlequin Skeleton. Harlequin Jupiter - Lee Lewes; Chasseur Royal - Mahon; Pantaloon - Baker; Anatomist - Wewitzer; Pierrot - Delpini // Colombine - Miss Valois.

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COMMENT. Benefit for Lee Lewes. Afterpiece: In [it] will be introduced the Stockwell Scenes, with a *Prologue* [by Richard Brinsley Sheridan (Boaden, *Mrs Siddons*, I, 107)], in the Character of Harlequin, spoken by Lee Lewes; to conclude with the Escape through the Tub, as in MOTHER SHIPTON. [The Stockwell Scenes were included in all subsequent performances. The Prologue and Escape were included in the first 3 performances only (see 3 May).] *Public Advertiser*, 8 Apr.: Tickets to be had of Lee Lewes, No. 40, Charlotte-street, Rathbone Place. Receipts: £282 185. (119/15; tickets: 163/3) (charge: £69 175. 6d.).

A LECTURE ON HEADS. As 13 Mar.

HAY

THE REVENGE. Zanga – A Young Gentleman (1st appearance on any stage [Wolfe]); Don Carlos – Barrett; Alvarez – Hurst; Don Manuel – Norris; Don Alonzo – Lacy // Isabella – Mrs Johnston; Leonora – The Young Lady who perform'd Miranda in the Tempest [Mrs Cuyler]. Also ALL THE WORLD'S A STAGE. As 7 Apr., but omitted: Prologue.

DANCING. As 15 Feb.

Thursday 24

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 9 years [acted 20 Oct. 1769. Wolfe is identified by MS annotation on Kemble playbill. For Mrs Cuyler see 4 Jan.]. Receipts: £143 155. (103/19; 33/14; 6/2).

KNOW YOUR OWN MIND. As 22 Feb., but Mrs Whitefield in place of Miss CG Dayes. Also THE ROYAL CHACE. As 23 Apr.

COMMENT. Receipts: £216 75. 6d. (214/15/0; 1/12/6).

THE TEMPEST. As 31 Jan., but omitted from Chorus: Fawcett. Also Friday 25 HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. As 29 Jan.

DANCING. Dance of Spirits as 14 Apr.; In Act IV of mainpiece Grand Dance [i.e. The Chaconne], as 5 Apr.

COMMENT. Benefit for Wright, Carpenter & Butler. Tickets delivered by Mrs Veal will be taken. Receipts: £299 8s. (39/3; 3/18; 0/0; tickets: 256/7) (charge: £74 14s.).

