

- LOVE IN A VILLAGE. Young Meadows – Wood (from the Theatre Royal, York; 1st appearance in London); Justice Woodcock – Edwin; Sir William Meadows – Aickin; Hodge – Jackson [*Public Advertiser*: Massey]; Eustace – Lamash; Hawthorn – Bannister // Lucinda – Mrs Hitchcock; Margery – Miss Twist; Deborah Woodcock – Mrs Love; Rosetta – Miss Harper. Also NATURE WILL PREVAIL. Probably as 31 May. Monday 7
HAY
- DANCING. End of Act II of mainpiece *Tambourine Dance*, as 2 June, but performers not listed; End of mainpiece, as 31 May.
- COMMENT. [In mainpiece the playbill assigns Justice Woodcock to Parsons, and as afterpiece announces TONY LUMPKIN IN TOWN, but “In consequence of Parsons’ illness, Edwin played the part of Justice Woodcock, with which he seems well acquainted; and he plays it with great pleasantry in his own particular style of humour. . . . Parsons’ illness also prevented the performance of *Tony Lumpkin in Town*, and *Nature will Prevail* was substituted” (*Gazetteer*, 8 June).]
- LA GOVERNANTE. As 15 May. Tuesday 8
King’s
- DANCING. As 15 May throughout.
- LOVE IN A VILLAGE. As 7 June, but Edwin’s name listed in playbill. Also PIETY IN PATTENS. Butler – Edwin; The Squire – Lamash // Mrs Candy – Mrs Love; Polly Pattens – Mrs Jewell. Wednesday 9
HAY
- DANCING. End of Act II of mainpiece *Tambourine Dance*, as 2 June; End of mainpiece a new dance, *The Country Wake*, by Master and Miss Byrn.
- COMMENT. Parsons not being sufficiently recovered THE SPANISH BARBER and THE TAILORS [both announced on playbill of 7 June] are deferred till Friday. Afterpiece: A Modern Operatical, Sentimental, Crying Comedy.
- THE SUICIDE. Principal Parts by Palmer, Aickin, Edwin, R. Palmer, Webb, Lamash, Gardner, Baddeley, Blissett, Massey, Egan, Davis, Stevens, Bannister // Mrs Webb, Miss Hale, Miss Farren. [Cast from *London Chronicle*, 11 July 1778: Tobine – Palmer; Tabby – Aickin; Wingrave – Edwin; Squib – R. Palmer; Bounce – Webb; Robin – Lamash; Cathartic – Gardner; Catchpenny – Baddeley; Dr Truby – Blissett; Juggins – Massey; Waiters – Egan, Davis, Stevens; Ranter – Bannister // Mrs Grogam – Mrs Webb; Peggy – Miss Hale; Nancy – Miss Farren.] Original *Prologue* spoken by Palmer. [This was spoken, as here assigned, at all subsequent performances.] Also THE MAYOR OF GARRATT. Major Sturgeon – Bannister; Sir Jacob Jollup – Massey; Bruin – Webb; Heeltap – Egan; Lint – Jackson; Roger – Stevens; Snuffle – Peirce; Jerry Sneak – Edwin // Mrs Bruin – Mrs W. Palmer; Mrs Sneak – Mrs Webb. Thursday 10
HAY
- DANCING. End of mainpiece *The Country Wake*, as 9 June.
- COMMENT. THE FLITCH OF BACON [announced on playbill of 9 June] is obliged to be deferred. [Mainpiece: *Prologue* by George Colman, the elder.]
- THE SPANISH BARBER. As 2 June. *Prologue* as 2 June. Also THE MAYOR OF GARRATT. As 10 June. Friday 11
HAY
- DANCING. As 10 June.
- BONDUCA. As 4 June. Also THE FLITCH OF BACON. Principal Characters by Bannister, Parsons, Wood, Blissett, Massey, Stevens, Edwin // Miss Harper. [Cast adjusted from text (T. Evans, 1779): Captain Wilson – Bannister; Major Benbow – Parsons; Captain Greville – Wood; Justice Benbow – Blissett; Kilderkin – Massey; Ned – Stevens; Tipple – Edwin // Eliza – Miss Harper.] Saturday 12
HAY
- DANCING. As 10 June.
- COMMENT. Books of the Songs [in afterpiece] to be had at the theatre.
- L’OLIMPIADE. As 29 May. King’s
- DANCING. As 5 June throughout.