Saturday 15 THE WAY TO KEEP HIM. As 7 Jan. Also THE FLITCH OF BACON. As 7 Jan.

COMMENT. Receipts: £123 2s. 6d. (121/10/0; 1/12/6).

King's ALESSANDRO NELLE INDIE. As 27 Nov. 1779.

DANCING. As 27 Nov. 1779 throughout.

Monday 17 ZORAIDA. As 13 Dec. 1779. Also FORTUNATUS. As 12 Jan.

DL COMMENT. [Mainpiece in place of HAMLET, announced on playbill of 15 Jan.] Receipts: £153 8s. 6d. (112/16/0; 39/2/0; 1/10/6).

CG THE SIEGE OF DAMASCUS. Phocyas – Wroughton; Eumenes – Hull; Abudah – Clarke; Herbis – Fearon; Artamon – Peile; Daran – L'Estrange; Sergius – R. Smith; Officers – Thompson, J. Wilson, Egan; Caled – Aickin // Eudocia – Mrs Hartley. Also Harlequin Every-where. As 10 Jan., but added: With an Entire New Scene, never introduced before.

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THE GENTLE SHEPHERD; or, Patie and Roger. Sir William – A Gentleman [unidentified]; Patie – M'Donald; Roger – Barret; Symon – Pentland; Glaud – Riddle; Bauldy – Stewart // Madge – Mr Wilson; Mause – Mr Hamilton; Jenny – Miss Campbell; Peggy – A Young Lady (from the Theatre Royal in Edinburgh [unidentified]). A New Prologue. Also THE STUDENTS; or, The Humours of St. Andrew's. Byron (with songs) – Henderson; Andrew – Munden; Frederick – Webb; Drover Henpeck – M'Donald; Macdowell, the Exciseman – Stewart // Emily – Miss Campbell; Harriot – Miss Hamilton. The original Prologue spoken by Stewart.

SINGING. End of Act IV of mainpiece *Hooly and Fairly* in character by M'Donald. *MUSIC*. Between the Acts [of mainpiece] proper Scotch Music, and a new Scotch Overture.

COMMENT. By Authority of the Lord Chamberlain. Benefit for Stewart. Mainpiece: New Dresses and Decorations. [Authors of Prologues unknown.] The doors to be opened at 5:00. To begin precisely at 6:00.

THE STRATAGEM. As 10 Dec. 1779, but Gibbet – Wrighten. Also THE CRITIC. As 11 Jan., but King in place of Palmer; Palmer in place of Brereton.

DANCING. End of Act IV of mainpiece, as 20 Dec. 1779.

COMMENT. Receipts: £201 18s. (164/13; 36/6; 0/19).

THE SHEPHERDESS OF THE ALPS. Principal Characters by Vernon, Wilson, Edwin, Robson, Reinhold, Quick, Brunsdon, Jones // Mrs Wilson, Mrs Pitt, Miss Platt, Mrs Mattocks. [Cast from text (G. Kearsly, 1780): Young Bellemine - Vernon; Marquis de Bellemine - Wilson; Count Triste - Edwin; Abbé de la Mouche - Robson; Blaise - Reinhold; Guillot - Quick; La Pierre - Brunsdon; Dubois - Jones // Jeannotte - Mrs Wilson; Marchioness - Mrs Pitt; Renette - Miss Platt; Adelaide - Mrs Mattocks.] Also The Upholsterer. As 18 Dec. 1779.

DANCING. As 22 Oct. 1779.

COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; CO 3, by Charles Dibdin: With New Scenes and Dresses. The Overture, and all the Music entirely new, composed by Dibdin. Books of the Opera to be had at the Theatre.

Public Advertiser, 18 Jan. 1780: This Afternoon is published THE SHEP-HERDESS OF THE ALPS (1s. 6d.). Receipts: £158 13s. (156/16/6; 1/16/6).

