

August 1780

- THE SPANISH BARBER. As 24 June. Also COMUS. As 24 June, but Euphrosyne and Principal Bacchant – Mrs Cargill (late Miss Brown; 1st appearance on this stage). *Tuesday 1*
HAY
COMMENT. [Mrs Cargill was from CG.]
- BONDUCA. As 10 July. *Prologue* as 10 July. Also MIDAS. As 30 May, but Damaetas – Wewitzer. *Wednesday 2*
HAY
IMITATIONS. End of mainpiece (for that night only) a Variety of *Imitations* by G. Saville Carey.
COMMENT. Benefit for the New General Lying-In Hospital, Store-street, Tottenham-Court-Road.
- THE SEPARATE MAINTENANCE. As 13 June. Also COMUS. As 1 Aug. *Thursday 3*
HAY
COMMENT. [Afterpiece in place of THE WEDDING NIGHT, announced on playbill of 2 Aug.]
- OTHELLO. As 24 July, but Roderigo – Lamash. Also THE IRISH WIDOW. *Friday 4*
HAY
DANCING. End of mainpiece *The Provencale* by Master and Miss Byrne; End of Act I of afterpiece, as 15 June.
- THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. Principal Characters by Palmer, Bensley, Wilson, Bannister Jun., Lamash, Aickin, Edwin // Mrs Wilson, Mrs Cuyler, Mrs Love, Miss Farren. [Cast from text (T. Cadell, 1780): Woodville – Palmer; Lord Glenmore – Bensley; Governor Harcourt – Wilson; Captain Harcourt – Bannister Jun.; Vane – Lamash; Grey – Aickin; Jacob – Edwin // Bridget – Mrs Wilson; Miss Mortimer – Mrs Cuyler; Warner – Mrs Love; Cccilia – Miss Farren.] *Saturday 5*
HAY
Prologue spoken by Palmer. [This was spoken, as here assigned, at all subsequent performances.] Also MISS IN HER TEENS. As 5 June, but Captain Flash – Davis; added: Puff – Massey; Jasper – Stevens.
COMMENT. Mainpiece [1st time; c 5, by Sophia Lee, based partly on LE PÈRE DE FAMILLE, by Denis Diderot. *Prologue* by George Colman, the elder (see text)]. *Public Advertiser*, 14 Sept. 1780: This Day is published THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS (I. 6d.).
- THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. As 5 Aug. Also PIETY IN PATTENS. *Monday 7*
As 17 June. HAY
- THE SPANISH BARBER. As 24 June. Also THE SON-IN-LAW. As 13 June. *Tuesday 8*
COMMENT. Benefit for Wilson. Tickets to be had of Wilson, Suffolk-street. HAY
- THE CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS. As 5 Aug. Also THE APPRENTICE. *Wednesday 9*
As 6 June, but omitted: *Prologue*. HAY
COMMENT. Benefit for the Author [of mainpiece].
- SUMMER AMUSEMENT. As 15 June. Also THE DESERTER. Henry (the Deserter) – Wood; Russet – Bannister; Simkin – A Gentleman (for that night only; 1st appearance on this stage [unidentified]); Flint – Stevens; Skirmish – Edwin (1st appearance in that character) // Jenny – Mrs Hitchcock; Margaret – Mrs Love; Louisa – Mrs Cargill (1st appearance in that character). *Thursday 10*
DANCING. As 15 June. HAY
COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Webb. Tickets to be had of Mrs Webb at her house, No. 15, Bedford-Street, Covent-Garden.