Monday 2

KING CHARLES THE FIRST. King Charles - Wroughton; Oliver Cromwell - Aickin; Bishop Juxon - Hull; Duke of Richmond - Davies; Ireton - Peile; Bradshaw - L'Estrange; Lindsay - Thompson; Tomlinson - J. Wilson; Fairfax - Lewis // Lady Fairfax - Mrs Lewis; Queen - Mrs Inchbald. Also TRUE BLUE. As 2 Oct. 1780, but Davies in place of Robson. Also MIDAS. Midas - Edwin; Apollo - Mattocks; Pan - J. Wilson // Daphne (1st time) - Mrs Morton; Mysis - Mrs Wilson; Nysa - Mrs Mattocks.

DANCING. In 2nd pice a Dance of Sailors by Aldridge, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Lewis. 1st piece: With a Representation of the Trial at Westminster Hall. Public Advertiser, 22 Mar.: Tickets to be had of Lewis, Broadcourt, Bow-street, Covent-Garden. Receipts: £205 19s. (183/13; tickets: 22/6) (charge: £105).

Tuesday 3 DL THE RIVALS. As 2 Nov. 1780, but Julia – Mrs Farren. Also CATHERINE AND PETRUCHIO. As 15 Nov. 1780, but Petruchio – Dodd. DANCING. End of mainpiece The Minuet de la Cour and Allemande by the Miss Stageldoirs.

COMMENT. Benefit for Dodd. Receipts: £195 55. 6d. (64/2/0; 29/8/6; 0/11/0; tickets: 101/4/0) (charge: none listed).

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THE BELLE'S STRATAGEM. As 17 Nov. 1780. Also A FETE. SCENE I. A Forest. The Death of the Stag (singers not listed). Overture by Dr Arne. Hunting song, Give round the word, by Doyle. Foresters' Dance. SCENE II. The Cave of Echo. The Vauxhall Echo Catch, They say there is an echo here, by Davies, Robson, J. Wilson, Doyle. SCENE III. Mount Ida. Venus and the Graces, to whom she complains of the loss of her son [She that will but now discover]. Venus – Mrs Morton. The music by Dr Fisher. SCENE IV. A Camp Scene, and Dance of Warriors. SCENE V. A Cottage. Auld Robin Grey by Mrs Kennedy. SCENE VI. The Cavern of Despair. Mad Tom by Reinhold. The music by Purcell. SCENE VII. A Palace and Banquet. Come houst Friends and jovial Souls (singers not listed). To conclude with a Chorus and Dance. Attendant Genius – Miss Langrish. Also Tom Thumb. As 26 Feb., but omitted: The soldier tired and Push about the Jorum.

COMMENT. Benefit for Wroughton. 2nd piece: With Alterations. Books of the Fete to be had at the Theatre. *Public Advertiser*, 23 Mar.: Tickets to be had of Wroughton, No. 18, Broad-court, Bow-street. Receipts: £277 1s. 6d. (213/19/6; tickets: 63/2/0) (charge: £105).

King's

PIRAMO E TISBE. As 29 Mar., but Sga Prudom in place of Mme Le Brun, who is extremely indisposed.

DANCING. End of Act I The Fortunate Escape, as 16 Dec. 1780; End of Opera Medie et Jason, as 29 Mar.

Wednesday 4

THE MESSIAH. Principal Vocal Parts as 2 Mar., but added: A Young Gentleman (2nd appearance in public [see 28 Mar.]); Violin as 2 Mar.

MUSIC. End of Part 1 concerto on the organ, as 2 Mar.

Thursday 5 DISSIPATION. As 12 Mar. Also ROBINSON CRUSOE. As 29 Jan. DL COMMENT. Receipts: £227 7s. (226/10; 0/17).

CG THE GAMESTER. As 29 Jan. Also HARLEQUIN FREE-MASON. As 29 Dec. 1780.

COMMENT. Receipts: £172 Is. (169/1; 3/0).

