Generated on 2014-04-24 18:27 GMT / http://hdl.handle.net/2027/mdp.39015012284389 Creative Commons Attribution-NonCommercial / http://www.hathitrust.org/access\_use#cc-by-nc Thursday 24

CYMBELINE. As 29 Jan., but Posthumus – Bensley. Also BON TON. As 12 Oct. 1786.

DANCING. End of Act III of mainpiece, as 13 Jan.

SINGING. As I Feb.

COMMENT. Benefit for a Fund for the Relief of those who from their Infirmities shall be obliged to retire from the Stage. Receipts: £263 75. (145/17; 14/1; 0/14; tickets: 102/15) (charge: free).

CG

THE MIDNIGHT HOUR. As 22 May. Also NINA. As 15 May, but omitted: Thompson, Darley. Also BONDS WITHOUT JUDGEMENT. As 1 May, but *Prologue* omitted [and thereafter]. SINGING. As 15 May.

COMMENT. The Doors to be opened at 6:00. To begin at 7:00, and so continue for the Remainder of the Season. Receipts: £167 18s. (166/0; 1/18).

King's

GLI SCHIAVI PER AMORE. As 24 Apr.

DANCING. As 29 Mar. throughout.

COMMENT. Benefit for Sga Storace. Tickets to be had of Sga Storace, No. 23, Howland-street, Rathbone Place. Receipts not listed.

Friday 25

THE NATURAL SON. As 24 Jan., but Dumps – Parsons; David – Fawcett. Also THE IRISH WIDOW. As 9 May, but Nephew – Phillimore; Thomas – Fawcett. DANCING. End of mainpiece, as 13 Jan.; End of Act 1 of afterpiece The Irish Fair by Ferrere, Miss Stageldoir, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Fawcett and Phillimore. Receipts: £262 19s. (15/3/0; 9/0/6; 2/11/6; tickets: 236/4/0) (charge: £106 3s. 1d.).

CG

HE WOU'D BE A SOLDIER. AS 18 Nov. 1786. Also LOVE AND WAR. As 12 Mar.

DANCING. As 23 May.

COMMENT. Benefit for Gardner, Cubitt, Thompson & Besford. Receipts: £216 16s. 6d. (59/17/0; 4/8/6; tickets: 152/11/0).

HAY

MUCH ADO ABOUT NOTHING. Benedick – Browne; Claudio – Williamson; Don Pedro – Johnson; Don John – Usher; Balthasar (with a song) – Meadows; Antonio – Chapman; Dogberry – Moss; Borachio – Baker; Conrade – Lyons; Verges – Barrett; Leonato – Kemble // Hero – Miss Woollery (1st appearance in that character); Ursula – Mrs Poussin; Margaret – Mrs Gaudry; Beatrice – Mrs Bulkley. Also HARVEST HOME. As 21 May.

DANCING. In Act II of mainpiece a Masquerade Scene, with Dancing [performers not listed].

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Never performed here. Public Advertiser, 26 May: As it has been found impracticable to prepare a sufficient Variety of Entertainments, without the Assistance of more Performers, the Theatre is closed 'till further Notice; after which Plays will be continued as usual [see 11 June]. "Sat. May 26th 1787. When the performers assembled t[his] morning, with intent to rehearse, they were acquain[ted] that the Theatre would be shut till the close of Dr[ury] Lane and Covent Garden" (MS annotation on Harvard playbill).

Saturday 26 WHITSUN EVE.

Monday 28 DL THE CONFEDERACY. As 14 Nov. 1786, but Corinna – Miss Barnes; added: Clip – Benson; Jessamy – Burton // Mrs Clogget – Mrs Love. Also THE DOUBLE DISGUISE. As 18 Apr.



SINGING. End of Act III of mainpiece song by Miss Barnes; End of Act IV O! Nanny wilt thou go with me (composed by Carter) by Dignum; End of mainpiece Bright Phoebus has mounted the Chariot of Day by Miss Barnes.

Monday 28 DL

King's

Wednesday 30

Thursday 31

COMMENT. Benefit for Nix and Miss Barnes. Receipts: £254 35. 6d. (67/10/0; 23/19/6; 2/19/0; tickets: 159/15/0) (charge: £106 25. 9d.).

THE GRECIAN DAUGHTER. As 27 Sept. 1786, but Evander – Aickin. Also CG
THE DESERTER. As 10 Apr., but omitted: Flint.

DANCING. End of mainpiece The Wapping Landlady, as 31 Jan., but Miss Rowson in place of Miss Cranfield.

COMMENT. Tickets delivered by Ledger, Rowson, Bott, Varley, Cox, Robson, W. Ansell, Mrs Davenett will be admitted (Account-Book). Receipts: £297 12s. (83/18/6; 2/15/6; tickets: 210/18/0).

As YOU LIKE IT. As 13 Apr., but Rosalind – Mrs Siddons. Also THE FIRST Tuesday 29
FLOOR. As 13 Jan.
DANCING. As 26 Jan.

SINGING. In mainpiece the Cuckoo Song sung by Caelia; In Act v a song by Mrs

COMMENT. Receipts: £198 12s. 6d. (177/10; 20/4; 0/11; tickets not come in: 0/7/6).

THE MIDNIGHT HOUR. As 22 May. Also NINA. As 15 May. Also CG BONDS WITHOUT JUDGEMENT. As 24 May. SINGING. As 15 May.

GLI SCHIAVI PER AMORE. As 24 Apr., but Cremonini in place of Mengozzi.

DANCING. As 29 Mar. throughout.

COMMENT. Receipts: £224 os. 6d. [non-subscription].

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THE PROVOK'D HUSBAND. Lord Townly - Smith; Manly - Bensley; Count Basset - Dodd; John Moody - Moody; Squire Richard - Suett; Sir Francis Wronghead - Parsons // Lady Grace - Mrs Ward; Lady Wronghead - Mrs Hopkins; Miss Jenny (with songs) - Mrs Forster; Trusty - Mrs Heard; Myrtilla - Miss Barnes; Mrs Motherly - Mrs Love; Lady Townly - Mrs Brooks (of HAY). Also TOO CIVIL BY HALF. As 18 Nov. 1786, but Lieut. Bumper (with songs) - Danby.

DANCING. End of mainpiece The Lucky Return by Hamoir and the Miss Stageldoirs. COMMENT. Benefit for Danby, Spencer & Miss J. Stageldoir. Receipts: £272 6s. (44/7; 16/9; 1/5; tickets: 210/5) (charge: £108 1s.).

THE MOURNING BRIDE. As 30 Oct. 1786. Also MIDAS. As 5 Dec. 1786. COMMENT. Tickets delivered by Marks, Brandon, Edwards, Hall, Rolles, Turtle, Walker, Doe will be admitted (Account-Book). Receipts: £265 55. 6d. (60/8/6; 3/4/0; tickets: 201/13/0).

THE WEST INDIAN. Belcour – Bannister Jun.; Stockwell – Aickin; Major O'Flaherty – Moody; Captain Dudley – Packer; Charles Dudley – Barrymore; Fulmer – Baddeley; Stukely – Benson; Sailor – Bates; Servant – Alfred; Varland – Parsons // Lady Rusport – Mrs Hopkins; Louisa Dudley – Mrs Brereton; Mrs Fulmer – Miss Tidswell; Charlotte Rusport – Mrs Wilson. Also Who's The Dupe? As 17 Apr.

DANCING. End of Act I of mainpiece a Hornpipe by Bourk; End of Act III Minuet de la Cour by Brigg and Miss J. Stageldoir; End of mainpiece a Highland Reel by Bourk, the Miss Stageldoirs, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for Alfred, Brigg, Bourk & Walker. Receipts: £233 14s. 6d. (40/12/0; 23/4/6; 2/0/0; tickets: 167/18/0) (charge: £105 15s.).

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