

- Friday 2  
DL COMMENT. Benefit for R. Palmer and Russell. [Miss Dorell is identified in MS list in Kemble playbills of new performers for this season.] *True Briton*, 31 May: Tickets to be had of R. Palmer, No. 28, Lower Eaton-street, Pimlico; of Russell, No. 46, Great Russell-street, Bloomsbury. Receipts: £290 13s. (65/13/0; 52/7/6; 4/3/0; tickets: 168/9/6, of which R. Palmer sold 107/9/6, and Russell 61/0/0) (charge: £225 9s. 3d.).
- CG KING RICHARD THE THIRD. As 5 Nov. 1796, but Queen – Miss Morris (1st appearance in that character). Also CROTCHET LODGE. Timothy Truncheon – Quick; Nimble – Fawcett; Squire Shinken – Townsend; Darnley – Macready; Chronic – Powel; Waiter – Farley; Bootcatcher – Thompson // Florella – Miss Chapman; Thisbe – Mrs Watts; Maid – Mrs Norton; Landlady – Mrs Platt; Miss Crotchet – Mrs Davenport.  
COMMENT. Account-Book: Tickets delivered by Shotter, Mrs Pitt, Wall, Berecloth, Young, Hasler, Sturgeon, Noble, Bonsor, Little, Brice, Thompson (gallery office-keeper), Abbot, Curties will be admitted. Receipts: £304 15s. (27/19/6; 1/5/0; tickets: 275/10/6).
- King's GLI SCHIAVI PER AMORE. As 25 Mar.  
DANCING. As 13 May throughout.
- Saturday 3 WHITSUN EVE.
- Monday 5  
DL THE SIEGE OF BELGRADE. As 10 Nov. 1796. Also THE WANDERING JEW. As 31 May, but Phillimore in place of Russell. *Prologue* as 15 May.  
DANCING. End of mainpiece *The Scotch Ghost*, as 21 Dec. 1796, but Glaude – Roffey.  
COMMENT. THE SCHOOL FOR SCANDAL [advertised on playbill of 2 June] is obliged to be deferred on account of Mrs Jordan's Indisposition. Receipts: £125 10s. 6d. (75/7/0; 46/11/6; 3/12/0).
- CG THE ROAD TO RUIN. As 14 Oct. 1796, but Goldfinch (for that night only) – Fawcett (1st appearance in that character); Milford – Egerton (1st appearance on this stage) // Sophia (with *Somebody*) – Mrs Mountain; omitted: Sheriff's Officer, Tradesmen, Milliner, Mantuamaker. Also THE WATERMAN. Tom Tug (with additional *songs*) – Inledon; Bundle – Powel; Robin (with an additional *song*) – Munden // Mrs Bundle – Mrs Henley; Wilhelmina – Mrs Mountain. Also HARLEQUIN AND OBERON. As 26 May, but omitted from *Principal Vocal Parts*: Masters Woodham, Platt, Goodwin, Paul, Ramage, Speare, Bernard; from *Principal Pantomimic Characters*: Mrs Gilbert, Mrs Norton, Mrs Lloyd, Mrs Blurton.  
VAUDEVILLE. In the course of 3rd piece (for that Night only) a *Leap* through a Wheel of Fire-Works and a Hoop of Daggers by Simpson.  
COMMENT. Benefit for Mr and Mrs Follett. [Egerton was from the HAY (see 23 Jan.).] 2nd piece: In one Act. 3rd piece: Two new Scenes, as 17 Apr.; Procession, as 26 May. *Morning Herald*, 5 June: Tickets to be had of Follett, No. 46, Drury-lane. Receipts: £360 18s. (116/13/6; 3/11/0; tickets: 240/13/6).
- Tuesday 6  
DL THE CHILD OF NATURE. As 15 May. Also ROBIN HOOD. Robin Hood (with *O bring me Wine*, by Shield, and *There the silver'd waters roam*, from THE PIRATES by Storace) – Sedgwick; Little John (with *All in preparation*, from THE HAUNTED TOWER) – Bannister Jun.; Ruttekin – Wathen; Bowman – Caulfield; Fitzherbert – Dowton; Scarlet – Trueman; Edwin – Inledon (by permission of the Proprietor of the Theatre Royal, Covent-Garden) // Clorinda – Miss Leak; Annette – Mrs Bland; Angelina – Miss De Camp (Their 1st appearance in those characters). Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As 30 Nov. 1796, but Sir John Loverule (1st time; with *The Early Horn*) – Sedgwick; Butler – Caulfield; omitted: Doctor.  
SINGING. In the course of the Evening *The Storm* by Inledon.

- COMMENT. Benefit for Sedgwick. 2nd piece: Never performed here. *True Briton*, 2 June: Tickets to be had of Sedgwick, No. 22, corner of George-street, Adelphi. Receipts: £409 1s. (91/8/6; 67/5/6; 2/10/6; tickets: 247/16/6) (charge: £211 19s. 5d.). Tuesday 6  
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- THE CASTLE OF ANDALUSIA. As 21 Oct. 1796, but Victoria – Mrs Mountain; Catalina (1st time) – Miss Owen. Also THE PRISONER AT LARGE. As 2 May. CG  
COMMENT. Account-Book: Tickets delivered by Townsend, Finney, Badcock, Barnes, Rye, Wells, Thompson, Curteen, Finley, Ince will be admitted. Receipts: £274 1s. (21/3/0; 1/5/6; tickets: 251/12/6).
- L'ALBERO DI DIANA. As 22 Apr. King's  
DANCING. As 13 May throughout.
- THE RECRUITING OFFICER. Mr Ballance – Packer; Mr Scale – Cooke; Mr Scruple – Maddocks; Mr Worthy – Caulfield; Capt. Plume – Wroughton; Capt. Brazen – Bannister Jun.; Kite – Palmer; Bullock (1st time) – Wathen; Costar Pearmain – Hollingsworth; Thomas Appletree – Suett; Constable – Phillimore; Welch Collier – Wewitzer // Melinda – Miss Heard; Sylvia – Mrs Jordan; Lucy – Miss Mellon; Rose – Miss De Camp. Also SYLVESTER DAGGERWOOD. As 8 May. Also THE POOR SOLDIER. Capt. Fitzroy – Cooke; Patrick – Miss De Camp; Darby – Wathen; Dermot – Dignum; Bagatelle – Wewitzer; Father Luke – Caulfield // Norah – Miss D'Evelyn; Kathleen – Mrs Bland. Wednesday 7  
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SINGING. End of 1st piece *The Waggoner* (composed by Dibdin) by Wathen.  
COMMENT. Benefit for Wathen. 3rd piece: By permission of the Proprietor of the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden. *True Briton*, 2 June: Tickets to be had of Wathen, No. 2, Frith-street. Receipts: £358 1s. (54/12/0; 61/13/6; 3/14/0; tickets: 238/1/6) (charge: £212 5s. 6d.).
- A CURE FOR THE HEART ACHE. As 28 Jan., but Wilde in place of Farley // Mrs Mountain of Miss Wallis. Also THE HONEST THIEVES. As 19 May. CG  
COMMENT. Account-Book: Tickets delivered by Mrs J. Brandon, Hawtin, W. Wilde, Bent, Coombs, Wilkins, Hay, Mlle de la Croix will be admitted. Receipts: £442 10s. 6d. (65/0/0; 3/10/0; tickets: 374/0/6).
- THE COUNTRY GIRL. As 1 Oct. 1796, but Sparkish – Russell; omitted: William, Servant. Also THE PURSE. As 16 Feb. Also THE WANDERING JEW. As 5 June. Prologue as 15 May. Thursday 8  
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SINGING. End of Act II of 1st piece *Sweet Lillies of the Valley* (composed by Hook); End of Act III *The Sailor's Journal* (composed by Dibdin); End of Act IV *The Town and Country* (written by Morris); End of Act I of 3rd piece *Sally in our Alley*, all by Dignum.  
COMMENT. Benefit for Dignum. [3rd piece in place of LODOISKA, advertised on playbill of 7 June.] *Morning Herald*, 22 May: Tickets to be had of Dignum, No. 23, New North-Street, Red-Lion-Square. Receipts: £578 7s. (60/5; 46/19; 6/6; tickets: 464/17) (charge: £223 11s. 9d.).
- THE TRAVELLERS IN SWITZERLAND. Daniel – Quick; Dorimond – Johnstone; Sidney – Munden; Count Friponi – Fawcett; Robin – Townsend; Sir Leinster M'Laughlin – Haymes; Swiss Burgher – Thompson; Dalton – Inledon // Nerinda – Mrs Martyr; Miss Somerville – Mrs Mountain; Julia – Mrs Clendinning; Margery – Mrs Henley; Lady Philippa Sidney – Mrs Mattocks. Also TWO STRINGS TO YOUR BOW. As 9 Dec. 1796, but Leonora – Mrs Follett. CG  
SINGING. End of mainpiece *The Little Farthing Ruslight* by Young Standen.