Saturday 3

THE TRUE AND ANCIENT HISTORY OF KING LEAR AND HIS THREE DAUGHTERS. Lear – Boheme; Gloster – Quin; Edgar – Ryan; Bastard – Walker; Cornwall – Egleton; Albany – Diggs; Gentleman Usher – Morgan; Cordelia – Mrs Seymour.

COMMENT. Receipts: £21 135.

King's

MUTIUS SCAEVOLA. Advertised but deferred as Senesino has not fully recovered.

Monday 5 DL TAMERLANE. Tamerlane – Booth; Bajazet – Mills; Moneses – Wilks; Axalla – Williams; Arpasia – Mrs Thurmond; Selima – Mrs Booth. With the usual Prologue. COMMENT. Written by the late Mr Rowe.

LIF

TAMERLANE. Tamerlane – Boheme; Bajazet – Quin; Moneses – Ryan; Axalla – Walker; Arpasia – Mrs Seymour; Selima – Mrs Bullock.

COMMENT. Receipts: £,52 55.

Tuesday 6 DL TAMERLANE. As 5 Nov.

COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. Written by the late Rowe.

LIF

TAMERLANE As 5 Nov COMMENT. Receipts: £15 16s. 6d.

Wednesday 7

THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS. Cast not listed, but edition of 1723 lists: Sir John Bevil – Mills; Sealand – Williams; Bevil Jr – Booth; Myrtle – Wilks; Cimberton – Griffin; Humphrey – Shepard; Tom – Cibber; Daniel – Theo. Cibber; Mrs Sealand – Mrs Moore; Isabella – Mrs Thurmond; Indiana – Mrs Oldfield; Lucinda – Mrs Booth; Phyllis – Mrs Younger. Prologue written by Welsted and spoken by Wilks. Epilogue spoken by Mrs Oldfield.

COMMENT. [By Sir Richard Steele.] With new Scenes, and all the Characters

new drest.

Daily Journal, 8 Nov.: Where a greater Concourse of People was never known to be assembled. [See also Cibber, Apology, II, 206; Dennis, Remarks on a Play call'd The Conscious Lovers; and British Journal, 10 Nov. and 8 Dec.]

LIF

THE OLD BATCHELOR. Heartwell – Quin; Bellmour – Walker; Fondlewise – Hippisley, his first on this stage; Sharper – Leigh; Bluff – Hall; Sir Joseph – Bullock Sr; Setter – Morgan; Laetitia – Mrs Seymour; Belinda – Mrs Bullock; Araminta – Mrs Cross; Sylvia – Miss Purden; Lucy – Mrs Egleton; Betty – Miss Bullock; Vainlove – Ryan.

DANCING. By Lally, Lally Jr, Pelling, Newhouse, Mrs Rogeir, Mrs Bullock. COMMENT. Receipts: £39 131. 6d.

King's

MUTIUS SCAEVOLA. Cast not listed.

COMMENT. Pit and Boxes together at half a guinea each ticket (not to exceed 350 tickets). Gallery 55. At 6 P.M.

Thursday 8 DL THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS. Cast not listed, but see 7 Nov.

LIF

OEDIPUS, KING OF THEBES. Oedipus – Boheme; Adrastus – Walker; Creon – Quin; Tiresias – Ogden; Haemon – Diggs; Phorbas – Ryan; Aegeon – Leigh; Diocles – Egleton; Eurydice – Mrs Bullock; Jocasta – Mrs Seymour.

COMMENT. Not Acted these Six Years. Written by Dryden and Lee. Receipts: £48 35.

Friday 9

THE CONSCIOUS LOVERS. Cast not listed, but see 7 Nov.

