Monday 12 DI.

Afterpiece (Daily Post, 10 Aug.): A new Dramatic Entertainment . . . design'd by Mr Theo. Cibber, with new Music compos'd and adapt'd by Mr Jones, which proper Judges allow to be the best of the kind now extant.

Tuesday 13

A WIFE TO BE LET. Cast not listed, but see 12 Aug. Also APOLLO AND DAPHNE. Cast not listed.

Wednesday 14 A WIFE TO BE LET. Cast not listed, but see 12 Aug. Also APOLLO AND DAPHNE. Cast not listed.

Thursday 15 CH

CATO. By the Charterhouse Scholars.

COMMENT. Their Habits were very rich, after the Roman Manner, and the performance of all the Parts was so just that it gave general Satisfaction, and gained the Applause of a very numerous Audience.

Friday 16 DL

THE IMPERTINENT LOVERS; or, A Coquet at Her Wits End. Cast not listed, but edition of 1723 lists: Meanwell – Chapman; Freelove – Wilks Jr; Pert – Cibber Jr; Blunt – Harper; Fropish – Evans; Cymaena – Mrs Tenoe; Angelina – Mrs Bret; Emilia - Mrs Lindar; Beatrice - Mrs Davison; Abigail - Mrs Willis. Prologue. Epilogue. Also ACIS AND GALATEA. Cast not listed, but see 16 July.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: [By Francis Hawling. The Preface gives a long account of the unhappy preliminaries to the performance and the extremely poor acting by the company.] Afterpiece: The Words by Mr Motteux, and Set to Musick by Mr Eccles.

Monday 19

CONCERT.

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MUSIC. A compleat Consort . . . by the best Masters. COMMENT. At 6 P.M. Tickets 2s. 6d.

Thursday 22 BF

THE WISDOM OF SOLOMON; or, The Two Harlots. Cast not listed. Also THE COMICAL HUMOURS OF TOBY STAG, THE HUNTSMAN, AND A MERRY POET. Cast not listed.

COMMENT. At Lee's Great Theatrical Booth over against the Hospital Gate. Mainpiece: A Dramatic Opera. A Masque of Paradise, with Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden, the Serpent, and all the Creation, the Heavens open, the Sun appears, and an Angel descends and drives them thence. With Scenes, Machines, and Decorations proper.

BF

THE BLIND BEGGAR OF BEDNAL GREEN; or, The Woman Never Vex'd: With the Comical Humour of Squire Souse Crown and his Man Gudgeon. Souse Crown - Norris; Gudgen - Egleton; King - Huddy; Rakish - Oates; Montfort -Orfeur; Arabella - Mrs Orfeur; Widow - Mrs Middleton; Lady Westford - Mrs

DANCING. Dutch Skipper by Monsieur De Long Dens and his Two Children, just arrived from Paris.

COMMENT. At Penkethman's and Jubilee Dickey's Booth at the Horns-Inn.

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Monday 2 RI

PYRAMUS AND THISBE. Pyramus - Penkethman; Wall - Norris. Also THE BLIND BEGGAR OF BEDNAL GREEN; or, The Woman Never Vex'd. Cast not listed.

