

August 1724

- DUKE AND NO DUKE. *Cast not listed*, but see 4 July. Also THE STAGE COACH. Somebody – Miller. *Monday 3*
 DANCING. Harper's *Drunken Man*. *RI*
 SINGING.
 COMMENT. Benefit Chetwood. By Their Royal Highnesses' Command. N.B. Tickets given out for *The Merry Wives of Windsor* will be taken at this Play. [See *Daily Post*, 3 Aug., for Penkethman's celebration at Richmond on 1 Aug., the anniversary of the Hanoverian succession to the throne, and *British Journal*, 8 Aug., for an account of William Marshall, of LIF, as an anti-Hanoverian demonstrator on 1 Aug.]
- THE RISE AND FALL OF MASSANIELLO. As 31 July. With a New Prologue. *Tuesday 4*
 SINGING AND DANCING. As 31 July. *LIF*
 COMMENT. Carefully revis'd, and alter'd. Receipts: £25 19s.
- THE RISE AND FALL OF MASSANIELLO. As 31 July. With a New Prologue. *Friday 7*
 SINGING. As 31 July. *LIF*
 COMMENT. As 4 Aug. Receipts: £23 15s.
- THE ROMAN MAID. By Walker, Ogden, Leigh, Smith, Huddy, Hulett, Mrs Moffett, Mrs Morgam, Mrs Plomer, Mrs Cantrell; but edition of 1725 lists: Dioclesian – Ogden; Galerius Caesar – Walker; Carus – Hulett; Maximus – Huddy; Paulinas – Boheme; Christian Hermit – Lee; Serena – Mrs Plomer; Paulina – Mrs Moffet; Camilla – Mrs Parker; Lucilla – Mrs Butcher. Prologue spoken by Boheme, Epilogue spoken by Mrs Moffet. *Tuesday 11*
 COMMENT. [By Robert Hurst.] With other Decorations proper to the Play. *LIF*
 Receipts: £36 11s.
- THE ROMAN MAID. As 11 Aug. *Friday 14*
 COMMENT. With proper Decorations. Receipts: £34 18s. 6d. *LIF*
- THE ROMAN MAID. As 11 Aug. *Tuesday 18*
 COMMENT. Benefit the Author. As 14 Aug. Receipts: £36 9s. 6d. *LIF*
- LOVE AND A BOTTLE. As 30 June. *Thursday 20*
 COMMENT. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. As 26 June. Receipts: *LIF*
 £16 14s. 6d.
- THE RISE AND FALL OF MASSANIELLO. Advertised but cancelled because of the illness of several actors. *Friday 21*
LIF
- THE PRODIGAL SON; or, The Libertine Reclaimed. Wherein is represented his Vicious Life, and the Devil appearing to him to go on in his Wickedness; and the miserable State he was brought to by his Extravagance, being reduced to that Extremity, that he was forced to eat Husks with the Swine, to satisfy his Hunger; Also an Angel descending, exhorting him to Repent, and Return to his Father, who receives him with great Joy. With the Comical Humours of his Man Roger. Roger – Harper; Country Farmer – Aston; Lucia – Mrs Spiller. Also THE LOVES OF HARLEQUIN AND COLOMBINE. By the best Masters. *Saturday 22*
 ENTERTAINMENTS. Harper's *Drunken Man*. *BF*
 COMMENT. At Lee's Great Booth, over against the Hospital Gate.