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King's Admetus. Cast not listed, but see 3i Jan. comment. For a letter on opera, see Weekly Journal or Britisb Gazetteer, ${ }_{25} \mathrm{Feb}$.

The Second Part of King Henry the Fourth. Cast not listed, but see 21 Feb. Also Harlequin's Triumph. Miser-Cibber Jr; Pierot-Roger; Harlequin - Clark; Clown - Harper; Harlequin's Attendant Spirit - Miss Robinson Jr; Miller's Wife and Daughter - Mrs Wetherilt, Miss Tenoe; Rural Lass - Miss Robinson; Country Lads - Young Rainton, Young Sandham; Countrymen Boval, Haughton, Duplessis; Countrywomen - Mrs Brett, Mrs Walter, Miss Young; Pomona - Mrs Booth; Statues - Thurmond, Roger, Lally, Essex.
comment. Mainpiece: As 25 Feb. Afterpiece: [By John Thurmond.]
the Savage. Cast not listed. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 13 Feb., but Gardeners - Lanyon and Smith.

сомMENT. Mainpiece: [Author unknown. Apparently not published.] By Reason of the Length of the Entertainment . . . the Savage is . . . to be Acted with it; and, for Brevity, will be presented without Prologue or Epilogue. Receipts: $£_{198}$ 75. $6 d$. Benefit J. Rich. Probable attendance: boxes and pit, si6 paid and 6 orders; slips, 47 paid and I order; first gallery, 400 paid; second gallery, 180 paid.

Aurengzebe. As 23 Feb., but Melesinda omitted. Also Harlequin's Triumph. As 27 Feb. comment. Mainpiece: Written by the late Mr Dryden.

The Royal Merchant. Cast not listed, but see ig Sept. 1726. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 27 Feb.
comment. Receipts: $£ 154$ 185. $6 d$. Probable attendance: pit and boxes, 377 paid and 16 orders; stage, I paid; slips, 28 paid; first gallery, 383 paid; second gallery, 186 paid.

King's Admetus. Cast not listed, but see 31 Jan.

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The Conscious Lovers. Cast not listed, but see in Feb. Also Harlequin's Triumph. As 27 Feb. comment. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality.

The Busy Body. Cast not listed. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 27 Feb.

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COMMENT. Receipts: firi $_{10}$ Ios. $6 d$. Probable attendance: boxes and pit, 494 paid and 1 order; stage, 2 paid; slips, 38 paid; first gallery, 393 paid and 3 orders; second gallery, 182 paid.

A Comedy Within a Comedy; or, The Foppish Merchant Turn'd Comedian for Love by Pantalon. Cast not listed.
entertainments. With Singing, Dancing, and Serenading after the Venetian Manner. To which is added, A most noble Concert of Musical French Horns, Songs, accompany'd by the said Concert, a Dance by Turkish Men and Women, at the Sound of Trumpets and Kettle Drums, a Dance call'd the King of Morocco's Diversions, by Signor Grimaldo Francolino of Malta, and his most surprizing Activity and Strength in a Dance on his Knees with a wonderful heavy Machine upon his Head, never yet attempted by any one before.
comment. Benefit Pantalon and Cintio. By His Majesty's Command. Pit and Boxes ss. Gallery $2 s .6 d$. Book of the Comedy is. $6 d$. ., including a large Print of Pantalon's own Picture, the Argument and Explanation of the Plot.

Cato. Cast not listed, but see 25 Jan. Also Harlequin's Triumph. As 27 Feb.
comment. Tbe Fair Penitent intended but deferred by the indisposition of a principal actor.

The Drummer; or, The Haunted House. Cast not listed. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 27 Feb.

COMmENT. Receipts: £18I 18s. 6d. Probable attendance: boxes and pit, 470 paid and is orders; stage, 3 paid; slips, 34 paid; first gallery, 360 paid and I order; second gallery, 189 paid.

Admetus. Cast not listed, but see 3 I Jan.
comment. For an essay on opera, see British Journal, 4 March.
The Orphan. Cast not listed, but see 2i Jan. Also Harlequin's Triumph. As 27 Feb.
comment. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality.
The Savage. Cast not listed. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 27 Feb. comment. Receipts: £izo ios. $6 d$. Probable attendance: boxes and pit, 305 paid and 19 orders; slips, 24 paid and 1 order; first gallery, 315 paid and 4 orders; second gallery, 162 paid and 3 orders.

Sir Courtly Nice. Sir Courtly-Cibber. Also Harlequin's Triumph. As 27 Feb.

Aesop. Cast not listed, but see 9 Jan. Also The Rape of Proserpine. As 27 Feb.
comment. Receipts: $£ 124$ is. Probable attendance: boxes and pit, 294 paid and 30 orders; stage, I paid; slips, 10 paid; first gallery, 304 paid and 7 orders; second gallery, 140 paid and 1 order.

Admetus. Cast not listed, but see 3 I Jan.
comment. Benefit Signora Faustina. With several New Additions. By his Majesty's Command, for the better Convenience of the Audience, the Stage will be laid quite Open. N.B. The Court of Directors have resolved not to make use of their Tickets as Subscribers this Night.

