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## May 1727

THE DOUBLE GALLANT. As 6 Oct. 1726, but Bolus – Harper. Also THE STROLLERS. As 19 April. With a Prologue and a new Epilogue, spoken by Miss Robinson Jr at the Head of her Lilliputian Company.

MUSIC. Select Pieces between the Acts. End II: The 8th Concerto of Corelli. IV:

The 5th Concerto of Corelli.

DANCING. I: A new Spanish Entry by Miss Robinson. III: A new Chacone by Essex, Young Rainton, Miss Robinson, and others. V: A new Pastoral by Miss Robinson. End of Farce: Pieraites by Roger and Mrs Brett.

COMMENT. Benefit the Two Sisters, Miss Robinson the Dancer, and Miss Robinson Jr, Captain of the Lilliputians. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality.

THE MOURNING BRIDE. As 4 Feb. Also THE WHAT D'YE CALL IT. Sir Roger – Miller; Squire – Johnson; 2d Justice – Shepard; Serjeant – Norris; Peascod – Oates; Kitty – Miss Tenoe; Aunt – Mrs Baker; Dorcas – Mrs Willis. DANCING. The Muzette by Miss Robinson and Young Rainton. The Fawns by Essex, Lally, Haughton, Duplessis, Mrs Brett, Mrs Walter. COMMENT. Benefit Oates. Written by Mr Congreve.

PHILIP OF MACEDON. Principal Parts by Hulett, Walker, Ryan, Milward, Quin, Ogden, Mrs Younger, Mrs Berriman, but edition of 1727 lists: Perses – Walker; Philip – Hulett; Demetrius – Ryan; Antigonus – Milward; Lysimachus – Ogden; Onomastus – Horton; Didas – Quin; Herodorus – Lacy; Philocles – Berriman; Xychus – Morgan; Olympias – Mrs Younger; Isteria – Mrs Berriman. Prologue spoken by Ryan. Epilogue spoken by Mrs Younger.

COMMENT. [By David Lewis.] Benefit the Author. N.B. By reason of the Heat of the Weather, the said Tragedy will be perform'd only for the Benefit of the Author (this Season). Receipts: money £18 151.; tickets £126 161. Probable attendance: boxes, 16 by money and 386 by tickets; stage, 12 by money; pit, 30 by money and 202 by tickets; slips, 1 by money; first gallery, 34 by money; second gallery, 34 by money.

FLORIDANTE. Cast not listed.

King's

THE MAN OF MODE. As 13 Oct. 1726, but Shoemaker – Miller; Lady Townly – Mrs Baker. Also THE STROLLERS. As 19 April, but Fidelia – Miss Lindar; Mrs Buskin – Mrs Sherborn.

Wednesday 3 DL

MUSIC. Select Pieces between the Acts.

DANCING. Turkish Dance by Lally and Essex. Country Lass by Miss Robinson. Pastoral by Boval and Mrs Brett.

COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Baker. At the particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality.

THE CITY WIVES CONFEDERACY. As 5 April, but Mrs Amlet - Mrs Egleton. SINGING. The Genius of England by Salway. The Lass of Patie's Mill by Mrs Warren. MUSIC. Select Pieces between the Acts.

DANCING. Pierot by Nivelon and Poitier. French Sailor and His Wife by Salle and Mlle Salle. Scotch Dance by Mrs Bullock.

COMMENT. Benefit Wood, Treasurer. Written by the late Sir John Vanbrugh. Receipts: money £12 18s.; tickets £152. Probable attendance: boxes, 13 by money and 220 by tickets; stage, 3 by money; pit, 13 by money and 464 by

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Wednesday 3 LIF tickets; first gallery, 26 by money and 274 by tickets; second gallery, 23 by money.

Thursday 4 DL THE FUNERAL. As 22 Sept. 1726. Also HOB; or, The Country Wake. Hob-Miller; Flora – Miss Lindar.

SINGING. By Miss Lindar.

DANCING. Le Jeunesse by Young Rainton and Miss Robinson. A new Dance by Lally and Miss Tenoe.

COMMENT. Benefit Miss Lindar. At the Desire of several Ladies of Quality.

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TUNBRIDGE WALKS; or, The Yeoman of Kent. Reynard - Milward; Loveworth - Walker; Woodcock - Hall; Squib - Spiller; Maiden - W. Bullock; Hillaria - Mrs Morgan; Belinda - Mrs Vincent; Mrs Goodfellow - Mrs Cook; Penelope - Mrs Rice; Lucy - Miss Fenton.

SINGING. De mi Cara by Mrs Warren.

DANCING. Wooden Shoe Dance by Nivelon. Fingalian by Newhouse and Mrs Ogden. Scottish Dance by Mrs Bullock. Shepherd and Shepherdess by Salle and Mlle Salle. COMMENT. Benefit Hall and Milward. Receipts: money £8 os. 6d.; tickets £115 14s. Probable attendance: boxes, 5 by money and 102 by tickets; pit, 18 by money and 426 by tickets; first gallery, 13 by money and 263 by tickets; second gallery, 17 by money.

Friday 5 DL SHE WOU'D AND SHE WOU'D NOT; or, The Kind Imposter. Manuel - Cibber; Philip - Booth; Octavio - Cibber Jr; Trappanti - Miller; Soto - Harper; Diego - Norris; Hippolita - Mrs Thurmond; Rosara - Mrs Booth; Flora - Mrs Cibber; Viletta - Mrs Tenoe.

DANCING. End Act I: Saraband by Mrs Brett. II: Pierot by Roger and Mrs Brett. III: A new Comic Dance by Haughton and Mrs Brett. IV: Pastoral by Boval and Mrs Brett. V: The Cobler's Jealous Wife (new), with Cobler - Boval; Wife - Roger; Countrymen - Essex, Haughton; Countrywomen - Mrs Brett, Miss Tenoe.

COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Brett and Haughton. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.

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THE ANATOMIST. Cast not listed. Also THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. As 27 Feb.

COMMENT. Receipts: £78 171. Probable attendance: boxes, 178 paid and 69 orders; stage, 3 paid; slips, 10 paid and 8 orders; first gallery, 200 paid and 6 orders; second gallery, 113 paid and 1 order.

Saturday 6 King's ASTYANAX. Cast not listed, but edition of 1727 lists: Pyrrhus - Senesino; Andromache - Signora Cuzzoni; Creon - Boschi; Hermione - Signora Faustina Bordoni; Orestes - Baldi; Pilades - Signora Dotti. COMMENT. [Text by Haym. Music by Bononcini.]

Monday 8 DL THE COUNTRY WIFE. Horner - Wilks; Pinchwife - Booth; Sparkish - Cibber; Harcourt - Mills; Dorilant - Watson; Sir Jasper - Norris; Quack - Shepard; Alithea - Mrs Heron; Lady Fidget - Mrs Horton; Mrs Dainty - Miss Lindar; Mrs Squeamish - Mrs Young; Country Wife - Mrs Cibber. With the same Prologue and Epilogue that was spoken by Miss Robinson, as Captain of the Lilliputians.

MUSIC. The Eighth of Corelli's Concertos.

DANCING. End I: La Pieraite by Roger and Mrs Brett. II: Peasant by Young Sandham and his Sister. III: La Jeunesse by Young Rainton and Miss Robinson. IV: Matlose by Lally and Miss Tenoe. V: The Cobler's Jealous Wife.

COMMENT. Benefit Castelman, Treasurer.

