Friday 3 DL

THE PROVOK'D HUSBAND. As 30 April.

DANCING. End Act I: Saraband by Miss Brett, Boval's Scholar. III: Pastoral by Miss Brett and Master Lally. IV: The Little Harlequin by Master Lally and Miss Brett. La Pierraite by Roger and Mrs Brett.

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

LIF

LOVE MAKES A MAN. Cast not listed, but see 28 March.

SINGING. The Ballad Margaret's Ghost Appearing to William by Mrs Barbier, with the Original Scotch Tune. The Merry Month of May by Miss Warren. The Cobler's Lamentation Warning Every Soul Against Love, telling it will bring them All to an End at the Last by Leveridge.

MUSIC. Concerto by the French Boy and Girl.

DANCING. Two Pierrots by Poitier and Pelling. Dance of Milk Maids.

COMMENT. Benefit Eversman. Receipts: money £44 13s.; tickets £94 5s. Probable attendance: boxes, 33 by money and 177 by tickets; stage, 10 by money; pit, 76 by money and 262 by tickets; slips, 11 by money; first gallery, 119 by money and 107 by tickets; second gallery, 111 by money.

Saturday 4 LIF

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. Cast not listed, but see 29 Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit Polly [Miss Fenton]. Receipts: money £137 12s.; tickets £17 12s. Probable attendance: boxes, 157 by money and 35 by tickets; stage, 51 by money; pit, 263 by money and 39 by tickets; slips, 28 by money; first gallery, 323 by money and 30 by tickets; second gallery, 176 by money.

King's

PTOLEMY. Cast not listed, but see 30 April.

Monday 6 DL

LOVE FOR LOVE. As 8 Dec. 1727.

DANCING. By Roger, Lally, Essex, Boval, Haughton, Mrs Booth, Mrs Brett, Mrs Walter, Miss Lindar, Miss Robinson, particularly Le Badinage Champetre. COMMENT. Benefit Watson and Corey.

LIF

THE CONFEDERACY. As 25 March, but Brass - Chapman. Also THE COUNTRY HOUSE. Cast not listed.

MUSIC. German Flute by French Girl and Boy. Kettle Drums by Poitier. DANCING. Ball Dance by Glover and Mrs Legare. Grand Dance of Moors by Glover, with Poitier playing the Kettle Drums. A new Grand Dance by Glover, Poitier, Pelling, Newhouse, Dupre, Lanyon, Mrs Legare, Mrs Bullock, Mrs Anderson, Mrs Ogden, Miss Latour.

COMMENT. Benefit Glover. Mainpiece: Written by the late Sir John Vanbrugh. Receipts: money £20 1s. 6d.; tickets £63 1os. Probable attendance: boxes, 27 by money and 162 by tickets; stage, 8 by money; pit, 24 by money and 156 by tickets; slips, 34 by money; first gallery, 44 by money and 71 by tickets.

HAY

THE RIVALS. Cast not listed, but see 21 Feb.

Tuesday 7 DI.

THE RECRUITING OFFICER. As 2 Jan.

DANCING. End Act I: Pastoral by Young Master Lally and Miss Brett. II: A new Spanish Entry by Lally and others. III: Harlequins by Master Lally and Miss Brett. IV: The Pierraite by Roger and Mrs Brett. V: A new Muzette by Lally and Mrs Booth.

COMMENT. Benefit Lally. Written by the late Mr Farquhar.

LIF

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. Cast not listed, but see 29 Jan.

COMMENT. Receipts: £78 14s. Probable attendance: boxes, 64 paid and 3 orders; stage, 12 paid; pit, 196 paid and 15 orders; slips, 14 paid and 3 orders; first gallery, 194 paid and 8 orders; second gallery, 165 paid and 2 orders.



PTOLEMY. Cast not listed, but see 30 April.

COMMENT. The King, Queen, Princess Royal, and Princess Carolina present.

Tuesday 7

King's

MACBETH. As 30 Sept. 1727, but Seyton - Cory; Witches - Norris, Griffin, Shepard.

Wednesday 8

DANCING. Harlequin by Young Master Lally and Miss Brett. Pieraite by Roger and Mrs Brett.

COMMENT. Benefit Shepard and Mrs Moore. Written by Shakespear.

THE RECRUITING OFFICER. As 15 Dec. 1727, but Balance - Quin; Rose - LIF Miss Holliday.

DANCING. End Act I: Milk Maids Dance with Garlands. III: By Nivelon, Poitier, Newhouse, Mrs Ogden.

SINGING. I: The Milk Maid's Song by Miss Warren. II: In the Pleasant Month of May and L'Amorche Peste Sento. IV: Gently Touch the Warbling Lyre and Si Caro Cara Si by Miss Warren. V: Fie, Ho by Salway and Miss Warren.

COMMENT. Benefit Miss Warren and Miss Holliday. Receipts: money £21 os. 6d.; tickets £100 17s. Probable attendance: boxes, 22 by money and 269 by tickets; stage, 6 by money; pit, 27 by money and 128 by tickets; slips, 2 by money; first gallery, 34 by money and 144 by Tickets; second gallery, 58 by money.

PENELOPE. Cast not listed, but edition of 1728 lists: Minerva – Gorsuch; Ulysses – Phoenix; Telemachus – Longbottom; Cleaver – Smith; Thimble – Brassey; Hopkins – Edwards; Penelope – Mrs Clarke; Doll – Mrs Holland. Prologue spoken by Phoenix. Epilogue.

SINGING AND DANCING.

COMMENT. [By John Mottley.] A New Dramatic Opera.

Love's Last Shift. As 28 March.

MUSIC. Select Pieces between the Acts.

Tbursday 9 DL

DANCING. End I: La Jeunesse by Rainton and Miss Robinson Sr. II: A new Dance by Miss Robinson Jr, a Scholar of Essex. III: A new Dance of Ethiopians by Essex, Lally, Haughton, Rainton, Burney. IV: Sultana by Miss Robinson Jr. V: Hussars by Essex and Mrs Booth.

COMMENT. Benefit Essex.

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. Cast not listed, but see 29 Jan.

LIF

COMMENT. The Fiftieth Night. Receipts: £69 12s. Probable attendance: boxes, 37 paid and 14 orders; stage, 10 paid; pit, 203 paid and 9 orders; slips, 11 paid and 6 orders; first gallery, 109 paid and 7 orders; second gallery, 108 paid and 1 order.

PENELOPE. Cast not listed, but see 8 May. SINGING AND DANCING.

HAY

SHE WOU'D AND SHE WOU'D NOT. Manuel - Cibber; Rosara - Mrs Booth; Philip - Bridgwater; Octavio - Cibber Jr; Diego - Norris; Soto - Harper; Hypolita - Mrs Thurmond; Flora - Mrs Cibber; Valetta - Mrs Mills; Trappanti - Miller. DANCING. End Act I: Pastoral Dance by Young Master Lally and Miss Brett. II: Comic Dance by Young Rainton and Miss Robinson Sr. III: Turks Dance by Thurmond and others. IV: By Miss Brett. V: Fawns by Lally, Essex. Harper's Drunken Man.

*Friday 10* DL

COMMENT. Benefit Castelman, Treasurer.

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. Cast not listed, but see 29 Jan.

COMMENT. Receipts: f.26 1s. 6d. Probable attendance: boxes, 20 paid and

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