Friday 10 LIF 3 orders; stage, 4 paid; pit, 57 paid and 15 orders; slips, 9 paid and 3 orders; first gallery, 75 paid and 6 orders; second gallery, 50 paid.

Saturday 11 DL THE FATAL MARRIAGE. As 5 Dec. 1727. Also HARLEQUIN HAPPY. Pierrot - Roger, but see 19 March.

COMMENT. Benefit Boman. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.

LIF

THE OLD BATCHELOR. Heartwell - Quin; Bellmour - Walker; Vainlove - Ryan; Sharper - Milward; Fondlewife - Hippisley; Setter - Spiller; Bluff - Hall; Sir Joseph - Bullock; Laetitia - Mrs Bullock; Araminta - Mrs Berriman; Belinda - Mrs Younger; Sylvia - Mrs Legar; Lucy - Mrs Egleton.

SINGING. The Merry Month of May and Te Nymphs and Sylvan Gods by Miss Warren. DANCING. Scottish Dance by Mrs Bullock. Milk Maids Dance by Newhouse, Pelling, Lanyon, Dupre Jr, Mrs Bullock, Mrs Ogden, Mrs Anderson, Miss La Tour.

COMMENT. Benefit Tom Crawford, who was lately burnt out from the Bear and Harrow Tavern, Butcher-Row. No receipts extant.

King's

PTOLEMY. Cast not listed, but see 30 April.

V: Grand Dance of Moors, with Poitier on Kettle Drums.

*Monday 13* DL THE FUNERAL. As 26 Feb.

DANCING. By Roger, Mrs Booth, Miss Robinson Sr, Miss Robinson Jr, particularly The Pieraite.

COMMENT. Benefit a Gentleman in Distress. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.

LIF

THE GAMESTER. As 17 Oct. 1727, but Marquis of Hazard – Salway. SINGING. End I: L'Amor Che Parte Sento and Gently Touch the Warbling Lyre by Miss Warren. III: No Kissing At All by Leveridge and Salway. DANCING. II: Pastoral Dance by Glover and Mrs Laguerre. IV: Milk Maids Dance.

COMMENT. Benefit Newhouse and Salway. Receipts: money £12; tickets £138 115. Probable attendance: boxes, 10 by money and 245 by tickets; pit, 14 by money and 344 by tickets; first gallery, 18 by money and 257 by tickets; second gallery, 27 by Money.

Tuesday 14 DL KING HENRY VIII. As 26 Oct. 1727, but Henry VIII - Harper. With the Coronation Scene.

COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Burton, Gallery - Boxkeeper, and Mrs Sherburn. At the Desire of several Ladies of Quality. Written by Shakespear.

King's PTOLEMY. Cast not listed, but see 30 April.

Wednesday 15

THE STRATAGEM. As 14 March, but Mrs Sullen – Mrs Horton; Dorinda – Mrs Heron. With a new Prologue, addressed to the Ladies, spoken by Miss Robinson Jr. And a Lilliputian Epilogue, spoken at the Head of her Lilliputian Company. MUSIC. Select Pieces between the Acts.

DANCING. End Act I: A Turkish Dance by Rainton and Miss Robinson Sr. II: By Miss Robinson Jr. III: Ethiopian Dance by Essex, Lally, and others. IV: Sultana by Miss Robinson Jr. V: Muzette by Essex and Miss Robinson Sr.

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

LIF

HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK. As 18 March, but King - Quin; Ghost - Milward; Polonius - Hippisley; Laertes - Walker; Horatio - Ogden; Fop - Chapman; Queen - Mrs Berriman; Gravediggers - Bullock, Spiller.



SINGING. End Act I: By Mrs Barbier. III: By Rochetti. IV: Love and Wine by Leveridge and Legare.

Wednesday 15

DANCING. II: A new Ball Dance by Glover and Mrs Legare. V: A Grand Dance of Lads and Lasses by Poitier, Pelling, Newhouse, Lanyon, Dupre Jr, Mrs Laguerre, Mrs Ogden, Mrs Anderson, Miss La Tour.

COMMENT. Benefit Rochetti and Mrs Legare. Written by Shakespear. Receipts: money £24 195. 6d.; tickets £114 35. Probable attendance: boxes, 22 by money and 203 by tickets; stage, 8 by money; pit, 14 by money and 318 by tickets; slips, 8 by money; first gallery, 59 by money and 157 by tickets; second gallery, 91 by money.

CONCERT.

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MUSIC. Solos by Weber on Lute and Mandolino Concerto. Violin concerto by Debourg.

COMMENT. Benefit Francisco Weber. At 7 P.M. Tickets half a guinea.

THE COMMITTEE. As 12 Oct. 1727, but Abel - Oates; Ruth - Mrs Thurmond. DANCING. By Roger, Lally, Essex, Boval, Rainton, Mrs Brett, Mrs Mills, Miss Robinson Sr, particularly Fawns and Pieraite.

Thursday 16

COMMENT. Benefit Oates.

THE ROYAL MERCHANT. As 9 Oct. 1727, but Hubert - Ogden; Prig - Chapman; Ferret - Giffard; Jaculine (with singing) - Miss Fenton.

LIF

Friday 17

DL

SINGING. Gently Touch the Warbling Lyre and The Merry Month of May by Miss Warren. No Kissing At All by Leveridge and Salway. A Dialogue by Salway and Miss Warren.

DANCING. Pastoral by Glover and Mrs Legare. Fingalian by Newhouse and Mrs Ogden.

COMMENT. Benefit Morgan and Chapman, the Poet in *The Beggar's Opera*. Receipts: money £10 2s.; tickets £134 18s. Probable attendance: boxes, 8 by money and 198 by tickets; stage, 6 by money; pit, 15 by money and 300 by tickets; first gallery, 12 by money and 299 by tickets; second gallery 21, by money.

THE WHAT D'YE CALL IT. Timothy Peascod – Miller; Sir Roger – Griffin; Sir Humphrey – Hallam; Squire Statute – Shepard; Filbert – Johnson; Peter – Norris; Kitty – Mrs Mills; Aunt – Mrs Sherburn; Parish Girl – Miss Robinson Jr. Also Hob. As 20 Oct. 1727, but Old Hob – Harper. Also The Strollers. Bindover – Griffin; Carbine – Bridgwater; Buskin – Cibber Jr; Spangle – Corey; Macahone – Miller; Jeremy – Oates; Betty Kimbow – Harper; Fidelia – Miss Lindar. Also Harlequin Doctor Faustus. As 6 Oct. 1727, but Punch, Shopkeeper and Wife, Doctor's Man omitted; Countrymen reduced to Miller only; Diana – Miss Robinson. With an Epilogue spoken by Miss Robinson Jr at the Head of her Lilliputian Company.

MUSIC. Corelli's Eighth Concerto.

DANCING. Pieraite by Roger and Mrs Brett. Harlequin by Lally and Mrs Brett. COMMENT. Benefit Chetwood. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. First piece: A Tragi-Comick Pastoral Farce, of Two Acts, written by the Author of the Beggar's Opera, with the Original Ballads.

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

LIF

COMMENT. The Fifty-Second Night. Receipts: £134 131. 6d. Probable attendance: boxes, 190 paid and 31 orders; stage, 19 paid; pit, 270 paid and 8 orders; slips, 32 paid and 6 orders; first gallery, 304 paid and 10 orders; second gallery, 164 paid and 2 orders.

