Monday 10 LIF

THE RIVAL QUEENS; or, The Death of Alexander the Great. Alexander -Walker; Clytus - Quin; Lysimachus - Ryan; Cassander - Hulett; Hephestion -Milward; Thesalus - Chapman; Roxana - Mrs Hallam; Statira - Mrs Bullock; Parisatis - Mrs Templer; Sysigambis - Mrs Cantrell. Also HOB'S WEDDING: Being the Sequel to the Opera of Flora. Cast not listed, but see 20 March. DANCING. Numidian by Glover and Miss La Tour. Highlander and bis Mistress by Salle and Mrs Legar. Afterpiece: Proper dances, composed by Nivelon and performed by him, Mrs Laguerre, and others.

COMMENT. Benefit Walker. [Probably the afterpiece is Hippisley's Sequel.] Receipts: money £49 4s.; tickets £53 2s. [For a poem, To Mr Walker, upon bis Choice of Alexander the Great, for his Benefit, see Grub St. Journal, 6 April.]

GF

SHE WOU'D AND SHE WOU'D NOT. As 21 Dec. 1731, but Diego - Collet; Trappanti - Miller; Viletta - Mrs Norris; Flora - Miss Hughes, from Dublin, being the first Time of her appearing on this Stage. Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. Damon - Mrs Palmer; Phillida - Mrs Roberts, but see 11 Oct. 1731. With a new Humorous Epilogue between Miss Hughes and Miss Norris, being also the first time of her appearing here. SINGING AND DANCING.

COMMENT. Benefit Norris and Mrs Norris.

Tuesday 11 DL

HENRY VIII. Cast not known (Daily Post missing), but see 13 Nov. 1731. COMMENT. Benefit Corey and Shepard (Winston MS.).

LIF

LOVE'S LAST SHIFT. As 8 Nov. 1731. Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. Arcas - Milward; Damon - Aston; Cymon - Salway; Mopsus - Hulett; Phillida -Mrs Forrester.

DANCING. III: Hornpipe by Jones. IV: Fingalian by Newhouse and Mrs Ogden. v: Highlander and bis Mistress by Salle and Mrs Laguerre.

COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Hallam. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. [Tickets for Mrs Forrester's benefit also taken.] Receipts: money £38 115. 6d.; tickets £95 17s.

GF

THE COMMITTEE. As 28 Feb. Also THE LOVER'S OPERA. As 5 Nov. DANCING.

COMMENT. At the Desire of several Gentlemen and Ladies.

King's

CORIOLANUS. Cast not listed, but see 25 March.

DL

Wednesday 12 THE WAY OF THE WORLD. Cast not certain (Daily Post missing), but Daily Post, 4 April, gives it as 11 Feb., but Waitwell and Mincing omitted. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As I April, but Lady Lurewell - Mrs Grace; Sir John -Stoppelaer (Daily Post, 4 April).

COMMENT. Benefit Harper. Mainpiece: Written by the late Mr Congreve.

LIF

THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR. As 8 Dec. 1731, but Shallow, Slender, Fenton, Host, Anne Page, Mrs Quickly omitted. Also THE SCHOOL BOY. School Boy - Mrs Younger, but see 20 Oct. 1731. DANCING. II: Highlander and Mistress by Salle and Mrs Laguerre. III: Pastoral by Master Weeks and Miss Rogers, both Scholars to Salle. IV: A new Tambourine by Miss Rogers. v: The Baulk by Salle and Mrs Laguerre. End of Farce: Grand

Dance of Monus, with Sailor by Salle, on account of Nivelon's Indisposition. COMMENT. Benefit Salle. Receipts: money £30 17s. 6d.; tickets £48 17s.

GF

THE PILGRIM. Mad Englishman - Miller; Roderigo - Delane; Pedro - Giffard; Mad Scholar - Rosco; Mad Priest - Bullock; Mad Taylor - Huddy; Mad Welshman - Norris; Alphonso - Morgan; Cook - Miller; Drunken Servant - Bullock;



Porter – Collett; Alinda – Mrs Roberts; Juletta – Mrs Morgan. Also THE HUMOURS OF BEDLAM. Mad Dancing Master – Burney; Mad Soldier – a Gentleman; Mad Gamester – Bardin; Mad Lady – Miss Wherrit. Also FLORA. Hob – Miller; Flora – a Gentlewoman who never appear'd on any Stage before. Epilogue by Morgan on an Ass.

Wednesday 12 GF

DANCING. Les Amans by Burney and Miss Wherrit.

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

THE CARELESS HUSBAND. As 2 Feb. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As Thursday 13
12 April.

COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Cibber. By Command of His Royal Highness.

OTHELLO, MOOR OF VENICE. Othello - Quin; Iago - Ryan; Cassio - Walker; LIF Desdemona - Mrs Younger, but see 24 Jan.

DANCING. 1: Pastoral by Vallois, lately arrived from the Opera at Paris, the first Time of his dancing in England; a Scholar to M Marcelle. 11: Wooden Shoe Dance by Poitier, and a Serious Dance by Poitier and Mrs Laguerre. 111: Sicilian Dance by Glover and Mrs Pelling and (at Desire) Two Pierrots by Poitier and Pelling. 1v: Highlander and bis Mistress by Salle and Mrs Laguerre. v: A new Peasant Dance by Poitier and Mrs Laguerre.

MUSIC. A Grand Concert of Water Musick, composed by Mr Randal [Handel?], in which Poitier will beat the Kettle-Drums.

COMMENT. Benefit Poitier, Petit-Maitre. At the Desire of several Ladies of Quality. Tickets at Poitier's, at Mr Rainaud's, Great Suffolk Street. Receipts: money £64 6s.; tickets £77 8s.

THE LONDON MERCHANT. As 13 Jan., but Maria – Mrs Giffard. Also GF DAMON AND PHILLIDA. As 10 April, but Cimon – Rosco; Mopsus – Bardin.

THE RELAPSE. As 10 Feb., but Sir John – A. Hallam; Berinthia – Mrs Heron; Friday 14

Nurse – Mrs Wetherilt (in Daily Journal, 7 April; Daily Post missing). Also THE

DEVIL TO PAY. Cast not known, but see 13 April.

COMMENT. Benefit Griffin. Mainpiece: Written by the late Sir John Vanbrugh.

THE STRATAGEM. As 5 Jan., but Cherry – Mrs Laguerre. Also THE MED-LEY; or, Hippisley's Drunken Man. By Hippisley.

DANCING. Two Pierrots by Poitier and Nivelon.

COMMENT. Benefit Hippisley. At the Particular Desire of several Ladies of Quality. Afterpiece: a new Comic Scene. Receipts: money £43 135. 6d.; tickets £103.

HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK. As 29 Feb., but Ophelia – Mrs Giffard; GF Marcellus – Havard; Lucianus omitted. Also THE WHAT D'YE CALL IT. Timothy – Miller.

DANCING. A new Scotch Dance by Burney and Miss Wherrit. COMMENT. Benefit Bardin.

THE COMMITTEE. Cast not known (Daily Post missing), but see 30 March. Also Saturday 15
THE DEVIL TO PAY. Cast not known, but see 12 April.

COMMENT. Benefit Essex.

THE MARRIED PHILOSOPHER. As 25 March. Also THE RAPE OF PROLIF SERPINE. As 4 Oct. 1731.

COMMENT. Receipts: £76.

