

- THE TENDER HUSBAND.** Captain Clerimont – Wilks; Bidy – Mrs Heron; Mrs Clerimont – Mrs Horton; Sir Harry – Harper; Humphrey – Cibber Jr; Clerimont – Mills; Tipkin – Griffin; Pounce – Shepard; Fainlove – Mrs Mills; Mrs Tipkin – Mrs Shireburn; Jenny – Mrs Walter. Also **THE DEVIL TO PAY.** As 5 Oct. 1731.  
*DANCING.* *Scotch Dance* by Miss Robinson. *Myrtillo* by Lally, Mrs Booth, Thurmond, Mrs De Lorme, Lally Jr, Mrs Walter.  
 COMMENT. Benefit Castleman, the Treasurer. Mainpiece: Written by the late Sir Richard Steele. Thursday 27  
DL
- THE RECRUITING OFFICER.** Balance – Quin; Silvia – Mrs Younger; Worthy – Walker; Plume – Ryan; Brazen – Chapman; Kite – Hall; Bullock – Bullock; Recruits – Hippisley, Smith; Melinda – Mrs Bullock; Rose – Miss Holliday; Lucy – Mrs Eggleton; Collier – Hippisley. Prologue and Epilogue suitable to the Occasion. LIF  
*DANCING.* I: *Two Pierrots* by Salle and Pelling. III: *Hornpipe* by Jones and Mrs Ogden. V: *The Baulk*.  
*SINGING.* II: By Laguerre. IV: By Salway.  
 COMMENT. Benefit Milward. For the Entertainment of the Grand Master and the Antient and Honourable Society of Free and Accepted Masons. At the Desire of the Brethren, four Rows of the Pit will be railed in, at the Price of the Boxes, and kept for Masons only. Those Brethren who design to attend the Grand Master, are desired to meet by 5 o'clock, at farthest, at the Bear and Harrow in the Butcher-Row, and to come Cloath'd. Receipts: money £39 3s. 6d.; tickets £95 19s. [The Epilogue (spoken by Mrs Younger) is in *Daily Post*, 29 April.]
- RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE.** As 12 Nov. 1731, but Leon – Delane; Old Woman – Norris. Also **THE STAGE COACH OPERA.** Somebody – Miller; Micher – Collett; Basil – Jenkins; Jolt – Excell; Fetch – Rosco; Macahone – Morgan; Isabella – Mrs Roberts; Doll – Mrs Palmer. GF  
*DANCING.* III: *Two Pierrots* by Burney and Mrs Tollet.  
*MUSIC.* II: Trumpet Concerto by Burk Thumoth. IV: Solo on German Flute by Thumoth. V: A Grand Lesson of Mr Handell's on the Harpsichord by Thumoth.  
 COMMENT. Benefit Shepheard, the Treasurer.
- THE RECRUITING OFFICER.** Silvia – Mrs Talbot; Plume – Wignell; Brazen – Giles; Ballance – Mynns; Worthy – Barcock; Kite – Jones; Bullock – Dove; Recruits – Pullen, Cross; Belinda – Mrs Martin; Lucy – Miss Dancey; Rose – Miss Jones. HAY  
 COMMENT. Benefit Mrs Talbot. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Distinction.
- THE INDIAN EMPEROR.** By a Company of Young Noblemen (eldest not 14). SJP  
 COMMENT. [King, Queen, Duke, and Duke's Company of Grenadiers present.]
- SHE WOU'D IF SHE COU'D.** Sir Joslin – Harper; Sir Oliver – Griffin; Courtall – Wilks; Freeman – Mills; Rakehell – Cibber Jr; Lady Cockwood – Mrs Shireburn; Ariana – Mrs Cibber; Gatty – Mrs Booth; Sentry – Mrs Mills. Also **THE DEVIL TO PAY.** *Cast not listed*, but see 5 Oct. 1731. Friday 28  
DL  
*SINGING.* In Italian by Roberts.  
*DANCING.* *The Masques* by Essex, Thurmond, Houghton, Lally Jr, F. Tench, Mrs Walter, Miss Robinson, Miss Williams, Mrs Delorme, Miss Mears, Mrs Rogers.  
 COMMENT. Benefit Stoppelaer and Mrs Walter. Mainpiece: Written by Sir George Etheridge, Author of Sir Fopling Flutter.

- Friday 28**  
**LIF**      **THE DOUBLE DEALER.** *Cast not listed*, but see 19 Jan. Also **TELEMACHUS.** By Leveridge, Laguerre, Salway, Mrs Wright, Mrs Seedo; Telemachus – Rochetti. **DANCING.** *Two Pierrots* by Poitier and Pelling. *Hornpipe* by Jones and Mrs Ogden. **COMMENT.** Benefit Rochetti. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. **Mainpiece:** Written by the late Mr Congreve. **Afterpiece:** A short Opera of one Act. The Musick by the late celebrated Alexander Scarlatti. [Apparently not published.] Receipts: money £22 11s. 6d.; tickets £31 16s.
- GF**      **THE FAIR QUAKER OF DEAL.** As 8 Nov. 1731, but Sailors – Rosco, Excel; Belinda – Mrs Purden; Jiltup – Mrs Norris. Also **THE DEVIL TO PAY.** Jobson – Miller; Sir John – Jenkins; Nell – Mrs Roberts; Lady Loverule – Mrs Palmer, but see 26 April. **SINGING.** *Smug Upon Tuesday* in the Character of a Country Girl by Mrs Roberts. **DANCING.** *French Peasant* by Burny and Miss Wherrit. **COMMENT.** Benefit Mrs Purden.
- Saturday 29**  
**DL**      **THE ROVER.** Rover – Wilks; Hellena – Mrs Booth; Florinda – Mrs Heron; Angelica – Mrs Horton; Belvil – Mills; Blunt – Johnson. Also **THE EPHASIAN MATRON.** *Cast not listed.* **DANCING.** By Essex, Thurmond, Lally, Houghton, Mrs Walter, Miss Robinson. **COMMENT.** Benefit Author of Afterpiece. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.
- LIF**      **PHILOTAS.** Philotas – Ryan; Clitus – Quin; Craterus – Hulett; Cassander – Walker; Arsaces – Milward; Lysimachus – Chapman; Antigona – Mrs Hallam; Cleora – Mrs Buchanan. **COMMENT.** Benefit the Author. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. Receipts: money £11 8s. 6d.; tickets £80 4s.
- King's**      **FLAVIUS.** *Cast not listed.* **COMMENT.** As 26 Feb.

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- Monday 1**  
**DL**      **RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE.** As 2 Oct. 1731, but Alonzo – A. Hallam; Sancho – Oates. Also **THE LOVER'S OPERA.** Lucy – Miss Raftor; Dalton – Harper; Edgar – Stoppelaer; Moody – A. Hallam; Aminadab – Griffin; Varole – Oates; Clodpole – Berry; Clara – Miss Oates; Flora – Miss Atherton. **DANCING.** *Tambourin* by Miss Robinson. *Bartholomew Fair* by Tench and Miss Brett. *The Masques* by Essex, Thurmond, Houghton, Tench, Mrs Walter, &c. **COMMENT.** Benefit Oates.
- LIF**      **THE BUSY BODY.** Sir George – Ryan; Charles – Walker; Marplot – Chapman; Sir Francis – Hippisley; Sir Jealous – Ogden; Miranda – Miss Holiday; Isabinda – Mrs Bullock; Patch – Mrs Egleton. Also **THE WHAT D'YE CALL IT.** Kitty – Miss Hollyday. **DANCING.** I: *Louvre* by Vallois. II: *Saraband* by Glover and Miss La Tour. III: *Hornpipe* by Jones and Mrs Ogden. IV: A new *French Peasant* by Poitier and Miss La Tour. V: *The Furlong* and a *Minuet* by Poitier and Miss La Tour. **COMMENT.** Benefit Houghton and Miss La Tour. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. Receipts: money £23 8s. 6d.; tickets £180 11s.