Thursday 7

COMMENT. [The opening of Covent Garden Theatre.] Written by the late Mr Congreve. The Cloaths, Scenes, and Decorations entirely New. And, on Account of the great Demand for Places, the Pit and Boxes, by Desire, will be laid together at 51. Gallery 21. Upper Gallery 11. And to prevent the Scenes being crowded, the Stage Half a Guinea. All Persons who want Places are desir'd to send to the Stage Door (the Passage from Bow-street leading to it), where Attendance will be given, and Places kept for the following Nights as usual. Receipts: £115.

GF JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec.

Friday 8 DL THE OLD BATCHELOR. As 3 Oct., but Sir Joseph - Miller; Laetitia - Mrs Heron. Also BETTY. As 6 Dec.

DANCING.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by the late Mr Congreve. Afterpiece: By Desire.

CG

THE WAY OF THE WORLD. As 7 Dec. With a new Prologue to the Town. DANCING. French Peasant by Poitier and Miss La Tour. Tambourine by Miss Rogers. A Comic Dance by Nivelon, Pelling, Newhouse, Dupre Jr, Le Sac, Mrs Laguerre, Mrs Pelling, Mrs Ogden, Miss La Tour, Miss Baston.

COMMENT. Written by the late Mr Congreve. Admission: 51., 21., 11.

Stage half a guinea. Receipts: £61 7s. 6d.

GF JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec.

WS EUNUCH. By the Westminster Scholars in their Dormitory.

Saturday 9 DL SIR COURTLY NICE. Sir Courtly - Cibber; Testimony - Johnson; Crack - Miller; Surly - Harper; Belguard - Watson; Farewell - Wm. Mills; Hothead - Shepard; Leonora - Miss Raftor; Violante - Mrs Butler; Aunt - Mrs Shireburn. Also BETTY. As 6 Dec.

COMMENT. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.

CG

THE WAY OF THE WORLD. As 7 Dec. New Prologue to the Town. DANCING. As 7 Dec., but De la Garde replaces Dupre Jr. COMMENT. Receipts: £67 12s. 6d. [See Universal Spectator, 9 Dec., for an essay on the drama.]

GF JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec.

King's

ACIS AND GALATEA. Cast not listed.

COMMENT. As 5 Dec. [King, Princess Royal, and Princess Amelia present.]

Monday 11 DL CAELIA; or, The Perjur'd Lover. Cast not listed, but edition of 1733 lists: Lovemore – Bridgwater; Wronglove – Wm. Mills; Bellamy – Hallam; Meanwell – Mills; Gentleman – Berry; Keeper of Prison – Oates; Constable – Harper; Bounce – Jones; Porter – Mullart; Wronglove's Servant – E. Roberts; Caelia – Mrs Cibber; Mrs Lupine – Mrs Charke; Flippant – Mrs Walter; Wag – Mrs Shireburn; Dizen – Miss Williams; Teazer – Miss Mears; Cicely – Mrs Mann; Keeper's Wife – Mrs Grace. Prologue spoken by Cibber Jr. Epilogue written by Henry Fielding and spoken by Miss Raftor.

COMMENT. Never Acted before. [By Charles Johnson.] Preface: I had the Mortification to see this Play acted the first Night, and to hear the Characters of Mother Lupine and her Women disapprov'd by several of the Audience, who, as if they thought themselves in bad Company, were very severe.



THE ORPHAN. As 11 Oct., at LIF. A New Prologue to the Town. Monday 11 DANCING. As 9 Dec. CG COMMENT. At Common Prices. Stage half a guinea. Receipts: £69 6s. 6d. JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec. GF CAELIA. Advertised, but apparently dismissed. Tuesday 12 DL RULE A WIFE AND HAVE A WIFE. As 21 Oct., at LIF. CG DANCING. II: French Peasant by Poitier and Miss La Tour. III: Tambourine by Miss Rogers. IV: Comic Dance, as 9 Dec. COMMENT. Receipts: £59 161. 6d. JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec. GF COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality. ACIS AND GALATEA. Cast not listed. King's COMMENT. As 5 Dec. Prince, Duke, and five Princesses present. HENRY VIII. Also THE COUNTRY REVELS. Advertised, but apparently Wednesday 13 dismissed. DLKING LEAR AND HIS THREE DAUGHTERS. As 27 Oct., at LIF. CG COMMENT. Written by Shakespeare. The Scenes and Decorations entirely New. Receipts: £55 10s. JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec. GF DANCING. Pierrot and Pairayte (new) by Mons and Madam Jouan de Vallois. Chacone by Mrs Bullock. Friendly Lasses by Miss Wherrit and Miss Sandham. LOVE MAKES A MAN. Clodio - Cibber; Choleric - Miller; Louisa - Mrs Thursday 14 Horton; Angelina - Mrs Cibber; Charino - Griffin; Antonio - Shepard; Carlos -A. Hallam; Duart - Bridgwater; Manuel - Wm. Mills; Governor - Fielding; Sancho - Oates; Jaquez - Jones; Elvira - Mrs Butler; Honoria - Mrs Williams. Also THE COUNTRY REVELS. As 20 Nov. Also HARLEQUIN RE-STOR'D. Enchanter - Ridout; Colombine - Mrs Walter; Scaramouch Man and Woman - Lally Jr, Mrs Delorme; French Man and Woman - Tench, Miss Mears; Pierrot Man and Woman - Cox, Miss Mann. COMMENT. By Command of His Royal Highness. [Prince, Duke, and Princesses present.] THE FAIR QUAKER OF DEAL; or, The Humours of the Navy. Flip - Lacy; CG Mizen - Neale; Worthy - Ryan; Rovewell - Milward; Sir Charles - Walker; Arabella – Mrs Bullock; Dorcas – Mrs Younger; Belinda – Mrs Templer; Jenny – Mrs Egleton; Jiltup - Mrs Martin. DANCING. As 12 Dec. COMMENT. Receipts: £41 17s. 6d. JULIUS CAESAR. As 4 Dec. GF DANCING. As 13 Dec. COMMENT. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality and Distinction. THE REHEARSAL. As 8 Sept. Also THE COUNTRY REVELS. As 20 Nov., Friday 15 but First Farmer and Wife omitted. Also HARLEQUIN RESTOR'D. As 14 Dec. COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by his Grace the Duke of Buckingham.

