Friday 18 GF DANCING. Friendly Lasses by Miss Wherrit and Miss Sandham. Chacone by Mrs Bullock. Masqueraders.

COMMENT. Benefit Roberts, Boxkeeper.

Saturday 19

COMMENT. On this day died Mrs William Mills.

DL CG

THE MERRY WIVES OF WINDSOR. Cast not listed, but see 16 April. Also THE RAPE OF HELEN. Parts by Hippisley, Salway, Laguerre, Hale, Aston, Hall, Mrs Cantrell, Mrs Egleton, Miss Norsa, Miss Binks; but edition of 1733 lists: Mercury – Laguerre; Menelaus – Hippisley; Paris – Salway; Castor – Aston; Pollux – Hale; Justice Gryphus – Hall; Soldier – Hall; Juno – Mrs Cantrell; Minerva – Mrs Egleton; Venus – Miss Norsa; Helen – Miss Binks.

DANCING. Tambourine by Miss Rogers. Fingalian by Newhouse and Mrs Ogden. Mock Minuet, as 11 May.

COMMENT. Benefit the Author of the Afterpiece: A new Ballad Opera. [By John Breval.] Receipts: money £60 os. 6d.; tickets £43 8s.

King's FLORIDANTE. Cast not listed.

Monday 21 DL LOVE FOR LOVE. Daily Post missing, but clipping in Guildhall Library gives cast as 24 April, but Jeremy – Harper; Angelica – Miss Holliday. Also VENUS, CUPID, AND HYMEN. Advance cast in Guildhall Library clipping and Daily Advertiser, 19 May, lists: Venus – Miss Raftor; Cupid – Young Cunningham; Hymen – Rainton; First Priest – E. Robberts; Chorus of Priests – Tenoe, Berry, &c.; Damon – Stoppelaer; Daphne – Mrs Seedo.

MUSIC. Trumpets, Kettle Drums, French Horns, &c. between the Acts. With a new Overture (to the Masque) composed for two Vox Humanes, a new invented Instrument, &c.

SINGING. II: By Mrs Seedo, who never appeared on the stage before. III: (At the particular Request of Seedo's Friends) by Signora Margherita (who has not performed on any theatre these 14 years).

DANCING. 1: Drunken Peasant by Le Brun. IV: The Watteau by Miss Robinson. End Afterpiece: Les Bergeries by Essex, Haughton, Miss Robinson.

COMMENT. Benefit Seedo. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality. Afterpiece: a new Masque. The Musick compos'd by Mr Seedo.

CG

THE SPANISH FRYAR. As at LIF, 4 Dec. 1732, but Alphonso omitted; Leonora – Mrs Buchanan. Also FLORA. Hob – Laguerre; Flora – Miss Norsa; Hob's Mother – Mrs Egleton; but see 15 May.

DANCING. Peasant by Nivelon. Musette by Le Sac and Miss Baston. Scottish Dance by Glover, Mrs Laguerre, Le Sac, Mrs Pelling, De la Garde, Mrs Ogden.

COMMENT. Benefit a Family under Misfortunes. Receipts: money £26 15s.; tickets £79 6s.

GF

HAMLET, PRINCE OF DENMARK. As 18 April. Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. Cast not listed, but see 27 Jan.

DANCING. Hornpipe by a Sailor who never appeared on any stage before. The Difference of Nations.

SINGING. By Excell.

COMMENT. Benefit Gibbs, Pitkeeper. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality and Distinction.

Tuesday 22 GF MACBETH. Cast not listed, but see 9 April. A new Prologue addressed to the Merchants and Citizens of London, spoke by the Author. A new Epilogue to be spoken by Morgan and Penkethman by way of Dialogue, riding on two Asses. SINGING. 1: Love and Wine, written by the Author of Bacchus One Day Gaily Striding. III: The Despairing Shepherd by Excell.

