May 1735

OROONOKO. As 3 Jan., but Oroonoko – a Gentleman (at the Request of several Thursday 1 DL Friends), a Citizen of London, the first and only time of his appearance on any stage; Driver - Johnson; Widow - Mrs Cross; Stanmore, Jack, Hottman omitted. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As 14 Sept. 1734. DANCING. I: A Clown by Nivelon. II: Drunken Peasant by Le Brun. v: Amorous Swain, as 27 March. COMMENT. Benefit Shepard.

CG

THE OLD BATCHELOR. Old Batchelor - Bridgwater; Belmour - Walker; Vainlove - Ryan; Fondlewife - Hippisley; Sharper - Marshall; Bluff - Mullart; Sir Joseph - Neale; Setter - Chapman; Araminta - Mrs Templer; Belinda - Mrs Horton; Laetitia - Mrs Bullock; Sylvia - Miss Norsa; Lucy - Mrs Stevens. Also THE TOY SHOP. Cast not listed, but see 3 Feb. DANCING. By Mlle Salle. Scots Dance, as 11 March. Tambourine by Miss Rogers.

SINGING. As 22 April.

COMMENT. Benefit John Hervey, Architect Painter. By Command of their Royal Highnesses the Princesses Amelia and Caroline.

GF

THE MISTAKE. As 13 Dec. 1734, but Toledo – Dove; Jacinta – Mrs Haughton. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. Cast not listed, but see 9 April. DANCING. II: La Follette c'est Ravizee by Tench and Mrs Woodward. v: Scotch Dance by Mrs Bullock.

SINGING. III: A Song by Miss Jones.

COMMENT. Benefit Wayte, Officekeeper. At the Desire of several Eminent Merchants and Citizens.

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L'EMBARRAS DES RICHESSES. Cast not listed, but see 26 Oct. 1734. Also LA SYLPHIDE. Cast not listed. DANCING. By Castiglion. Scot's Dance by Lilliputians. COMMENT. Benefit Dubuisson and Delisle, Dancer.

THE COMMITTEE. Teague – Miller; Careless – Mills; Blunt – W. Mills; Abel – Friday 2 Oates; Obadiah - Johnson; Story - Winstone; Bookseller - Hallam; Ruth - Mrs Cantrell; Arbella - Mrs Butler; Mrs Day - Mrs Cross; Mrs Chat - Mrs Willis; Day - Griffin; but see 20 Feb. Also COLOMBINE COURTEZAN. As 25 April, but Mopsophil - Dancey.

DANCING. I: Dutchman and his From by Le Brun and Miss Brett. III: Amorous Swain, as 27 March.

COMMENT. Benefit Lalauze, the Pierrot.

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THE WAY OF THE WORLD. Mirabel – Ryan; Millamant – Mrs Horton; Marwood - Mrs Hallam; Fainall - Walker; Lady Wishfort - Mrs Mullart; Witwoud - Chapman; Petulant - Neale; Waitwell - Morgan; Mrs Fainall - Mrs Buchanan; Foible – Mrs Stevens; Mincing – Miss Bincks; Sir Wilful – Hippisley, but see 25 March. Also THE TOY SHOP. As 3 Feb.

MUSIC. Select Pieces, particularly Mr Handel's Overture to Ariadne.

SINGING. By Leveridge and Mrs Wright, particularly Leveridge's Song in Praise of English Roast Beef.

DANCING. By Mlle Salle. Richmond Maggot by Le Sac and Miss Rogers. The Flanderkins (new) by Duke and Mrs Ogden. Scot's Dance by Glover, Miss Rogers, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit Wood. [For a further discussion of licensing the stage, see Prompter, 2 May.]

