

October 1738

- Monday 2*  
CG THE RECRUITING OFFICER. Kite – Marten, the first time of his appearing on that stage; Plume – Ryan; Sylvia – Mrs Vincent; Melinda – Mrs Ware; Balance – Bridgwater; Worthy – Hale; Bullock – Mullart; Rose – Miss Brunette; Lucy – Mrs Kilby; Recruits – Hippisley, James; Brazen – Chapman. Also (by Desire) THE MOCK LAWYER. Lawyer – Chapman; Lovelaw – Mullart; Valentine – Salway; Laetitia – Miss Rogers; Betty – Mrs Vincent.  
COMMENT. At Common Prices. The Stage Half a Guinea.
- Tuesday 3*  
DL THE DRUMMER; or, The Haunted House. Tinsel – Cibber; Sir George – Mills; Fantome – Wright; Lady Trueman – Mrs Butler; Vellum – Johnson; Abigail – Mrs Roberts; Gardener – Griffin; Butler – Macklin; Coachman – Winstone. Also HARLEQUIN GRAND VOLGI. Noble Venetian – Livier; Italian Bravo – Turbutt; Miller – Pelling; Colombine – Miss Mann; Pierot – Macklin; Gardeners and Wives – Rector, Carney, Mrs Vallois, Miss Wilson; Mandarin Gormogons – Pelling, Baudouin, Rector, Carney; Chinese Guards – Wright, Leigh, Hough, Gray; Harlequin – Phillips.  
COMMENT. By Command of Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales. Mainpiece: Not Acted these Twenty Years. Written by the late J. Addison, Esq.
- Wednesday 4*  
CG LOVE'S LAST SHIFT; or, The Fool in Fashion. Loveless – Ryan; Sir Novelty – Chapman; Sir William – Hippisley; Elder Worthy – Bridgwater; Young Worthy – Hale; Sly – Mullart; Amanda – Mrs Hallam; Hillaria – Mrs Stevens; Narcissa – Mrs Bellamy; Flareit – Mrs Kilby; Snap – Penkethman. Also THE NECROMANCER; or, Harlequin Doctor Faustus. Harlequin – Hays; Genius, &c. – Leveridge, Laguerre, Salway; Helen – Miss Young; Furies – Haughton, Ville-neuve, Desse, Richardson, Dupre; Harlequin Man and Woman – Desse, Miss Oates; Pierot Man and Woman – Richardson, Thompson; Mezzetin Man and Woman – Villeneuve, Mrs Bullock; Scaramouch Man and Woman – Dupre, Miss Cantrell; Miller – Bencraft; Miller's Wife – Miss Norman; Doctor's Man – Hippisley.  
HAY COMMENT. *Daily Advertiser*, 4 Oct.: The French Company of Comedians newly arriv'd from Paris, it's said, consists of seventy Persons. It seems to be a little unnatural that French Strollers should have a Superior Privilege to those of our own Country.
- Thursday 5*  
DL THE DRUMMER. As 3 Oct. Also HARLEQUIN GRAND VOLGI. As 3 Oct.  
DANCING. II: *Drunken Peasant* by Philips. IV: *Flanderkins* by Master Ferg and Miss Wright.  
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by the late J. Addison, Esq.
- Friday 6*  
CG MACBETH. Macbeth – Delane; Lady Macbeth – Mrs Hallam; Macduff – Ryan; Lady Macduff – Mrs Stevens; Banquo – Bridgwater; Malcolm – Hallam; King – Rosco; Lenox – Stephens; Seyward – Hale; Seyton – Arthur; Donalbain – A. Ryan; Murderer – Hippisley; Hecate – Mullart; Witches – Penkethman, James, Neale. Also THE DRAGON OF WANTLEY. As 15 Sept.  
MUSIC. With the Original Musick. The Vocal Parts by Leveridge, Laguerre, Salway, Roberts, Thompson, Stoppelaer, Mrs James, Mrs Vincent, Mrs Kilby.  
DANCING. And the usual Dances proper to the Play.  
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Written by Shakespear. [See *Egmont*, *Diary*, II, 511, for behavior of royalty.]