THE ROYAL MERCHANT. Royal Merchant - Hallam; Clause - Bridgwater; Higgen - Hippisley; Woolfort - Rosco; Hubert - Ryan; Hemskirk - Hale; Vandunck - Mullart; Prig - Neale; Ferret - Stoppelaer; Ginkes - Bencraft; Merchant - Gibson; Boors - James, Anderson, Smith; Bertha - Mrs Bellamy; Jaqueline - Mrs Ferguson, but see 30 Nov. 1739. Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. Damon - Salway; Phillida - Mrs Vincent; Arcas - Anderson; Cymon - Stoppelaer; Mopsus - Mullart; Corydon - James; Aegeon - Clarke. Also The Parting Lovers. As 18 March.

CG

DANCING. I: Tambourine by French Girl. II: Comic Dance by Richardson and Mrs Le Brun. IV: Grand Ballet by Desse and Miss Oates.

COMMENT. Benefit Clarke, Stoppelaer, Anderson.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT. As 28 March. COMMENT. The Nineteenth Night.

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MACBETH. Cast not listed, but see 21 April. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. As 12 Feb.

Saturday 10

COMMENT. By Command of Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales.

BUSIRI, OVERO, IL TRIONFO D'AMORE. Cast not listed, but edition of 1740 lists: Busiri – Carestini; Erigone – Signora Panichi; Anubi – Andreoni; Merate – Rochetti.

DANCING. As 8 April.

COMMENT. A new Opera. Edition of 1740: Composed by Signor Pescetti.

A new Scene by M de la Cour. By His Majesty's Command.

AMPHITRYON. As 8 Oct. 1739, but Mercury – Marten; Gripus – Yates. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. As 24 April, but Jobson – Turbutt; Butler omitted. SINGING. 1: The Noon Tide Air by Miss Edwards. III: Mary Scot by Mrs Clive. DANCING. II: Le Tambourine by Mlle Chateauneuf. IV: Pierots by Lalauze and Liviez. V: By Muilment.

Monday 12 DL

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COMMENT. Benefit Turbutt and Marten. At the particular Desire of several Persons of Quality.

THE ROVER; or, The Banish'd Cavaliers. Rover – Hallam; Angelica – Mrs Horton; Hillaria – Mrs Vincent; Belvile – Hale; Antonio – A. Ryan; Pedro – Rosco; Frederick – Oates; Sancho – James; Florinda – Mrs Bellamy; Valeria – Mrs Hale; Callis – Mrs Martin; Lucetta – Mrs Kilby; Blunt – Cibber. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. Nell – Mrs Villeneuve, but see 23 April.

DANCING. I: A Serious Dance by Villeneuve and Miss Oates. II: Je ne scay quoi by Villeneuve, Oates Jr, Miss Oates. III: Minuet by Villeneuve and Miss Oates. IV: Comic Ballet by Villeneuve and Miss Oates. V: Grecian Sailors by Glover, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit Oates and Miss Oates. Tickets at Oates', within two Doors of Mitre Tavern, James Street, Covent Garden.

MACBETH. As 29 March, but Murderers – Turbutt, Woodburn; Witches – Macklin, Shepard, Ray; Lady Macduff – Mrs Mills, with Vocals by Stoppelaer, Rheinhold, Ray, Mrs Clive, Miss Jones. Also THE DEVIL TO PAY. Sir John – Stoppelaer; Nell – Mrs Clive; but see 12 May.

Tuesday 13 DL

DANCING. I: By Muilment. II: Punch by Master Ferg. V: Le Tambourine by Mlle Chateauneuf.

SINGING. IV: A Dialogue between a Town Rake and Country Lass. End Afterpiece: A Trumpet Gregorian Song, accompanied by a Chorus.

COMMENT. Benefit Stoppelaer. For the Entertainment of the Grand, the Vice-Grand, and the rest of the Ancient and Honourable Order of Gregoreans. Two Rows of the Pit will be railed in for Gregoreans only.



Tuesday 13

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THE RELAPSE. As 9 Nov. 1739, but Amanda – Mrs Stevens; Young Fashion – Gibson; Lory – Bencraft; Coupler omitted. Also THE STAGE COACH. Cast not listed, but see 24 March.

DANCING. 1: Minuet (By Desire) by Lestrade and Mlle Ozanne. II: Les Characteres de la Dance by the French Girl. III: Je ne scay quoy by Villeneuve, Richardson, Miss Oates. IV: La Pantonime de Suisse & D'Alemande by the French Boy and Girl. V: Grand Ballet by Glover, Mlle Roland, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit Bencraft, Gibson, the French Boy and Girl. Tickets for Thomson and Lestrade also taken.

HAY BUSIRI, OVERO IL TRIONFO D'AMORE. Cast not listed, but see 10 May. DANCING. As 8 April.

Wednesday 14

THE TEMPEST. As 26 Dec. 1739, but Trincalo – Reed; Antonio – Turbutt;
Alonzo – Winstone; Miranda – Miss Bennet; Neptune – Rheinhold; Milcha (With
the Original Songs) – Miss Edwards; Sycorax – Raftor; Amphitrite – Miss Jones,
but Vocalists omitted. Also THE INTRIGUING CHAMBERMAID. Chambermaid – Mrs Clive; Bluff – Macklin; Valentine – Stoppelaer.

DANCING. In The Tempest (26 Dec. 1739) omitted. I: Two Pierots by Lalauze and
Liviez. II: By Muilment. III: La Provencale by Mlle Chateauneuf. IV: Drunken
Peasant by Master Ferg.

SINGING. V: The Life of a Belle (taken from Lethe) by Mrs Clive (by particular Desire). MUSIC. End Afterpiece: Preamble on the Kettle Drums by Master Ferg, accompanied by Trumpets, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit Ridout, Raftor, Miss Bennet. By Particular Desire. [Tickets for Reed and Master Ferg taken also.]

CG THE DOUBLE DEALER. As 24 Nov. 1739, but Lady Touchwood - Mrs Cross; Saygrace - Arthur. Also THE TANNER OF YORK. As 9 April. DANCING. II: Ballet by Desse, Miss Oates, &c. III: A Comic Dance by Richardson and Mrs Le Brun. IV: Grand Ballet by Desse, &c. V: Grand Ballet by Glover, Mlle Roland, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit Rosco, Desse, Richardson.

The Conscious Lovers. As 19 April. Also The Devil to Pay. As

13 May, but Lady Loverule - Mrs Bennet; Jobson - Turbutt.

Dancing. 1: Two Pierots by Lalauze and Liviez. II: Maggot by Cooke and Mrs Walter. III: Le Tambourine by Mlle Chateauneuf. IV: By Muilment. V: The Loure, with a Minuet, by Master Cook and Mrs Walter.

COMMENT. Benefit Master Cooke. At the Desire of several Persons of Quality.

Part of the Stage will be formed into Side-Boyes. [Tickets at Cooke's House]

Part of the Stage will be formed into Side-Boxes. [Tickets at Cooke's House, Blue Flower-pot in Devonshire Street, near Red-Lyon Square. Tickets for Tully also taken.]

CG THE COUNTRY LASSES: or, The Custom of the Manor. Cast not listed. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. As 12 Feb.

HAY OLIMPIA IN EBUDA. Cast not listed, but see 15 March.

DANCING. As 8 April.

COMMENT. Benefit Master Charles Poitier.

THE CARELESS HUSBAND. As 15 April, but Sir Charles – Mills. Also THE
TRAGEDY OF TRAGEDIES. As 30 April.

DANCING. I: Two Pierots by Lalauze and Liviez. II: L'Allemande by Mlle Chateauneuf
alone. III: Punch by Master Ferg.

COMMENT. Benefit Penkethman. Mainpiece: Written by Colley Cibber, Esq;
Poet-Laureat. Afterpiece: Written by the Author of Pasquin.

