CATO. As 18 Oct. Also HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. As 11 Oct.

Tuesday 21 DL

Wednesday 22

THE BEGGAR'S OPERA. As 24 Sept. Also THE LYING VALET. Sharp - CG Shuter.

DANCING. As 11 Oct.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Desire. Boxes: £25 5s. (Account Book). Receipts: £116 7s. (Account Book).

THE PROVOKED HUSBAND. Lord Townly - Sheridan; Sir Francis Wronghead - Yates; Count Basset - Austin; Manly - Havard; John Moody - Burton; Squire Richard - Vaughan; Lady Townly - Gentlewoman, 1st appearance on the stage; Lady Wronghead - Mrs Kennedy; Lady Grace - Miss Haughton; Miss Jenny - Miss Pope; Mrs Motherly - Mrs Cross; Myrtilla - Miss Hippisley; Trusty - Mrs Bennet. Also The Intriguing Chambermaid. Lettice - Mrs Clive; Drunken Colonel - Yates.

COMMENT. Lady Townly a Miss Hart—Her 1st Appearance—Some Applause (Hopkins MS Notes).

EARL OF ESSEX. As 15 Oct., but Queen - Miss Ibbot, 1st time there. Also CG THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. As 20 Oct.

COMMENT. Boxes: £21 10s. (Account Book). Receipts: £141 6s. (Account Book).

THE STRATAGEM. Archer - Garrick; Aimwell - Palmer; Sullen - Burton;
Bonniface - Phillips; Scrub - Yates; Gibbet - Bransby; Foigard - Blakes; Sir
Charles Freeman - Packer; Dorinda - Mrs Davies; Lady Bountiful - Mrs Cross;
Cherry - Miss Pope; Gipsey - Mrs Simson; Mrs Sullen - Mrs Pritchard. Also
QUEEN MAB. As 10 Oct.

DANCING. IV: The Mad Doctor, as 14 Oct.

THE ORPHAN; or, The Unhappy Marriage. Castalio – Ross; Polydore – Clarke; Acasto – Sparks; Chaplain – Anderson; Ernesto – Redman; Page – Miss Vallois; Chamont – Dyer; Serina – Miss Morrison; Florella – Mrs Pitt; Monimia – Miss Macklin. Also THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. As 20 Oct.

COMMENT. Boxes: £13 25. 6d. (Account Book). Receipts: £100 105. (Account Book).

EVERY MAN IN HIS HUMOUR. Kitely – Garrick; Old Knowell – Havard; Young Knowell – Holland; Wellbred – Palmer; Bobadil – Yates; Mas. Stephen – Obrien; Brainworm – Blakes; Downright – Bransby; Justice Clement – Burton; Bridgit – Miss Haughton; Mrs Kitely – Mrs Davies. Also HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. As 11 Oct.

DANCING. 1: A Pantomime Dance, call'd The Colliers, by Mr Sealy, 1st appearance that stage, Miss Dawson, &c.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Desire.

THE JOVIAL CREW. As 22 Sept. Also THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. CG
As 20 Oct.

COMMENT. Boxes: £13 15s. (Account Book). Receipts: £104 8s. (Account

[THE MINOR]. Foote, Holland, Burton, Baddeley, Bransby, Blakes, Vaughan, Miss Pritchard. [Shift, Smirk, Mrs Cole & Epilogue all by Foote; Sir Geo Wealthy – DL Holland; Sir Wm Wealthy – Baddeley; Transfer – Blakes; Lucy – Miss Pritchard (Genest, IV, 602). Also [A DUKE AND NO DUKE]. As 3 Oct. DANCING. II: The Colliers, as 24 Oct.



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Saturday 25 DL COMMENT. Never acted there before. [The Death of George the Second prevented the performance of the 25th taking place. The Theatres closed for three weeks—heretofore six weeks. See "Remarks on the Minor, with Foote's Answer," Gentlemen's Magazine, Nov. 1760, pp. 502 ff. Opened 17 Nov.]

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[The Recruiting Officer]. Plume - Smith; Worthy - Ridout; Kite - Anderson; Scale - Redman; Scruple - Wignel; Constable - Stoppelaer; Steward - Holtom; Ballance - Sparks; Brazen - Dyer; Bullock - Dunstall; Welch Collier - Collins; Rose - Mrs Dyer; Lucy - Mrs Ferguson; Recruits: Bencraft and Costollo; Melinda - Mrs Barrington; Sylvia - Miss Macklin. Also [HARLEQUIN SKELETON].

DANCING. As 15 Oct. III: A Comic Dance not perform'd these 5 years call'd The

Colliers by Sg Marenesi & Mlle Capdevlle, &c.

COMMENT. [Actually no play. Death of George II closed theatres three weeks.] Mainpiece: Not acted in 2 years. [See 28 April 1759. There was no income this night, but the pay list had to be met. The house carried a profitable balance of £318 16s. 5d. The payroll plus other expenses came to £284 12s. 9d., leaving a thin balance of £34 3s. 8d. (Account Book). Other bills included £14 17s. to Luppino for making dancing dresses; Robertson 10s. for attendance four nights in The Rape; Miss Ibbott £5 5s. for performing the part of Queen Elizabeth in the Earl of Essex; Marenesi & his wife advanced weekly £2 2s. till the Theatre opened again (Account Book).

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Monday 17 DL THE CONFEDERACY. Dick - Palmer; Brass - King; Moneytrap - Yates; Gripe - Philips; Clarissa - Mrs Pritchard; Araminta - Mrs Bennet; Corinna - Miss Pope; Mrs Cloggit - Mrs Cross; Mrs Amlet - Mrs Bradshaw; Flippanta - Mrs Clive. Also THE TEARS AND TRIUMPHS OF PARNASSUS. Vocal parts by Lowe, Champnes, Fawcett, Mrs Vincent, Miss Young, &c.

DANCING. II: Reviv'd the Pantomime Dance, call'd *The Prussian Camp*. The Prussian Soldiers by the Comedians, the Characters of the Dance by Grimaldi, Miss Baker, &c. MUSIC AND SINGING. An Ode for Music, call'd The Tears and Triumphs of Parnassus.

The Music compos'd by Stanley.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted this season. [The Ode, by Robert Lloyd and A. Murphy (according to J. P. Kemble's note on the playbill), combines an Elegy on the death of George II with a compliment on the accession of George III.]

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THE JOVIAL CREW. As 22 Sept. Also THE LYING VALET. As 21 Oct. DANCING. As 13 Oct.

COMMENT. Boxes: £38. 13s. [During the interim when theatre was closed 21 disbursements were made to tide a dozen actors or servants over, amounting to £32 15s. 2d., and leaving a profitable balance of only £1 8s. 6d. on the books (Account Book). Receipts: £140 12s. 6d. (Account Book).]

Tuesday 18 DL THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND. As 17 Oct., but Jacintha – Mrs Yates, 1st time; Mrs Strictland – Mrs Davies. Also THE TEARS AND TRIUMPHS OF PARNASSUS. As 17 Nov.

DANCING. II: The Prussian Camp, as 17 Nov. COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Desire.

