HAMLET. As I Oct., but Ophelia – Miss Brent, 1st time. Also FLORIZEL AND PERDITA. Florizel – Mattocks (with a new song in character); Autolicus (with songs in character) – Shuter; King – Ridout; Shepherd – Sparks; Perdita – Miss Brent (with new songs in character). The Music by Dr Arne. With a New Rural Dance by Poitier Jr, and Mlle Capdeville, &c. DANCING. Les Charboniers as 16 Dec.

Monday 22

COMMENT. Benefit for the composer to the theatre. Words of the songs in the pastoral will be printed and given out Gratis at the theatre. Receipts: £160 13s. 6d. plus £33 8s. from tickets. Profits to Dr Arne £129 19s. 6d. (Account Book). Charges: £63 (Account Book).

KING JOHN. As 17 Dec.

COMMENT. By Command of His Majesty. The King is gone to the Play, which is King John; he has hardly ever bespoke any other than Shakespeare's historical plays, all which they say he has ordered to be revived, and takes great pleasure in (Charlotte Fermor to Countess of Pomfret.—Hist. MSS Com. Appendix to 7th report [London, 1879], p. 513).

Tuesday 23

KING JOHN. As 9 Dec. Also LOVE A-LA-MODE. As 19 Dec. CG DANCING. The Last New Dance by Poitier Jr, and Mlle Capdeville.

COMMENT. Last time of performing till the Holidays. Boxes £72 151. Paid Macklin one fifth part of £128 151. being the surplus after £63 allowed for the charge as per agreement—£25 151. Paid Mr Roubiliac as per bill £30 141. Paid

Stephen Gom, carpenter at Cowley a bill for work done from 6 Dec. 1759 to this

IL MONDO NELLA LUNA. Cast not listed. See 22 Nov.

day £53 (Account Book). Receipts: £191 15s. (Account Book).

King's

ROMEO AND JULIET. As 20 Oct., but Fox omitted from vocal parts. Also Frid HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. As 11 Oct.

Friday 26

THE JOVIAL CREW. As 22 Sept. Also THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. CG As 17 Dec.

COMMENT. Boxes £64 51. (Account Book). Receipts: £213 141. (Account Book).

THE TEMPEST. As 11 Dec., but Ariel and Ceres (with proper songs) - Miss Young. Also HARLEQUIN'S INVASION. As 11 Oct.

Saturday 27 DL

THE JOVIAL CREW. As 22 Sept. Also THE RAPE OF PROSERPINE. CG
As 17 Dec.
COMMENT. Boxes £17 2s. 6d. Paid Mr Younger a Bill for writing Parts £3

ARIANNA E TESEO. Cast not listed. See 16 Dec. COMMENT. To begin at 6:30 P.M. [Repeated.]

1s. 7d. (Account Book). Receipts: £153 1s. 6d. (Account Book).

King's

THE COMMITTEE; or, The Faithful Irishman. Teague - Moody, 1st time; Monday 29
Col. Blunt - Kennedy; Obadiah - Phillips; Day - Blakes; Abel - King; Mrs Day Mrs Bradshaw; Ruth - Mrs Kennedy; Arabella - Mrs Bennet; Lt Storey - Packer;
Careless - Palmer; Committee-man - Clough; Bookseller - Marr; Mrs Chat Mrs Simpson. Also THE ENCHANTER. As 13 Dec.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted these 10 years. [See 29 Oct. 1747.]

THE EARL OF ESSEX. As 22 Oct., but Queen – Mrs Hamilton. Also THE CG RAPE OF PROSERPINE. As 17 Dec.

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