[A weekly writer says of this performance: "I could wish that our modern Playwrights would endeavor to imitate this author in the judicious choice and dispositions of their Fable; and further think this very piece not unworthy the notice of our managers. The Translator has indeed, with great propriety, laid his version at Mr Garrick's door, since there is nobody so well qualified to take the orphan under their protection."] Printed for R. Baldwin in Patermoster Row. Receipts: £220 (Cross).

Monday 5

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KING HENRY IV, Part I. As I Dec. 1755. Also THE LYING VALET. As CG 18 Nov. 1755.

DANCING. As I Nov. 1755.

KING HENRY VIII. As 26 Dec. 1755. Also THE APPRENTICE. As 2 Jan. Tuesday 6 DANCING. II: Pantomime Dance by Children, as 3 Dec. 1755. DL COMMENT. Receipts: £70 (Cross).

THE COUNTRY LASSES; or, The Custom of the Manor. Modely - Dyer; Heartwell - Ridout; Lurcher - Anderson; Vulture - Cushing; Double Jugg - Dunstall; Constable - Redman; Sir John - Arthur; Freehold - Gibson; Carbuncle - Marten; Sneak - Costollo; Timothy - Collins; Longbottom - Bencraft; Flora - Mrs Hamilton; Aura - Mrs Woffington. With a Country Dance incident to the play, and the Original Sheep Shearing Song by Lowe. Also Orpheus and Eurydice, intermix'd with the Metamorphoses of Harlequin. Cast not listed.

COMMENT. As any obstruction in the movement of the machinery will greatly prejudice the performance of the Entertainment, it is hop'd no persons will be displeased at their being refused admittance behind the scenes. [This notice accompanies all subsequent advertisements of the performance this season.]

THE PROVOK'D WIFE. As 27 Oct. 1755. Also THE APPRENTICE. As Wednesday 7 DL COMMENT. [Oracle, Comedy Published by Mrs Cibber.] Receipts: £200 (Cross).

THE COUNTRY LASSES. As 6 Jan. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. CG Cast not listed.

THE EARL OF ESSEX. As 24 Oct. 1755. Also THE APPRENTICE. As 2 Jan. Thursday 8 DANCING. IV: Peasant Dance.

COMMENT. Mon<sup>r</sup> Delatre danc'd, no notice taken of the french (Cross).

[Apprentice published—Is., by Mr Murphy.] Receipts: £130 (Cross).

THE COUNTRY LASSES. As 6 Jan. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. CG Cast not listed.

THE MOURNING BRIDE. As 3 Jan., but Osmyn – Garrick; Garcia – Palmer. Friday 9
Also THE APPRENTICE. As 2 Jan.

DANCING. [But unspecified.]

COMMENT. Prince of Wales, Edward, Augusta, and 2 more princes. Mr Garrick

(By Command) did Osmyn (Cross). Receipts: £200 (Cross).

THE COUNTRY LASSES. As 6 Jan. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. CG Cast not listed.

TANCRED AND SIGISMUNDA. Tancred – Garrick; Sigismunda – Mrs Cibber; Siffredi – Berry; Osmond – Havard; Rhodolpho – Blakes; Officers – Jefferson, Simson, &c.; Laura – Miss Haughton. Also THE CHAPLET. As 27 Nov. 1755.

COMMENT. [Apprentice deferr'd. Woodward hoarse (Winston MS 8).] Receipts: £200 (Cross).

