- Wednesday 26

 THE EARL OF ESSEX. As 24 Oct. Also QUEEN MAB. Harlequin Rooker;
 Pantaloon Grimaldi; Silvio Baddeley; Clod Ackman; Maigre Keen; Puck –
 Mas. Cape; Maid Mrs Bradshaw; Queen Mab Miss Ford; Fairy Miss Rogers;
 Colombine Miss Baker. To conclude with a dance of Fairies.

 DANCING. IV: Irish Lilt, as 11 Oct.

 COMMENT. Queen Mab not played for 3 years. [See 21 Dec. 1762.]
- CG JANE SHORE. As 22 Oct. Alo PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA. As 22 Dec., but Mercury Dibdin; Petit Maitre Baker; Magician omitted.
- DL LOVE FOR LOVE. As 20 Oct. Also QUEEN MAB. As 26 Dec., but add Watchman Moody; Cook Johnston.

 DANCING. II: The Medley, as 20 Nov.
- CG RULE A WIFE. As 24 Sept. Also ENGLISHMAN IN PARIS. As 17 Oct. DANCING. II: The Sicilian Peasants, as 1 Oct.; III: The Tyrolese Peasants, as 12 Dec.; End of Play: Rural Love, as 12 Dec. COMMENT. Both pieces by Command of their Majesties.
- Friday 28 THE SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND. As 26 Nov. Also QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec. DANCING. II: The Medley, as 20 Nov.
- CG A BOLD STROKE FOR A WIFE. As 9 Nov. Also PERSEUS AND ANDROM-EDA. As 26 Dec. DANCING. II: Blind Man's Buff, as 3 Oct.
- Saturday 29 THE DISTRESSED MOTHER. As 8 Dec. Also QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec. DANCING. III: Irish Lilt, as 11 Oct.
- CG LOVE IN A VILLAGE. As 31 Oct. Also THE KNIGHTS. Hartop Shuter; Jenkins Davis; Sir Gregory Bennet; Jenny Miss Cokayne; Tim Costollo. DANCING. II: Rural Love, as 12 Dec.

 COMMENT. Books of the Opera to be had at the Theatre.
- Monday 31 THE WAY TO KEEP HIM. As 8 Nov., but William Preston. Add Sideboard Ackman. Also QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec.

 DANCING. II: The Medley, as 20 Nov.
- CG KING LEAR. As 27 Nov., but Cordelia Mrs Bellamy. Also PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA. As 26 Dec.

 DANCING. IV: Blind Man's Buff, as 3 Oct.

January 1765

THE LONDON MERCHANT. George Barnwell – Holland; Thorogood – Love;
DL
Trueman – Packer; Uncle – Burton; Blunt – Fox; Lucy – Mrs Bennet; Maria –
Miss Plym; Millwood – Mrs Hopkins. In Act 1, a Song by Mrs Vincent. Also
QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec. 1764.

DANCING. III: The Medley, as 20 Nov. 1764.

COMMENT. [This year was published *The Companion to the Playbouse*; or, An historical account of all the Dramatic Writers, and their works that have appeared in Great Britain and Ireland to the year 1764. Composed in the form of a Dictionary,



for the more readily turning to any particular author or performance. Two vols. Dedicated to Garrick. (Who receives eleven and one-half columns of comment, more than any other dramatist.) This is the beginning of the Biographia Dramatica. This year was published Essays on Important Subjects intended to establish the Doctrine of Salvation by Grace, by John Witherspoon (President of Princeton). Vol. 11, contained a "Serious Enquiry into the nature and effects of the Stage," being an attempt to show that contributing to the support of a Public Theatre is inconsistent with the character of a Christian (112 pp).]

Tuesday 1

KING RICHARD III. As 8 Oct. 1764, but Norfolk - Wignel; Prince Edward -Miss Valois. Also Perseus and Andromeda. As 26 Dec. 1764.

BERENICE. Cast not listed. DANCING. Between the acts.

LADY. As 18 Sept.

King's

COMMENT. A new Opera. Music by different masters.

KING LEAR. Lear - Powell, 1st time; Gloster - Burton; Edgar - Havard; Bastard -Lee; Kent - Bransby; Cornwall - Jackson; Old Man - Baddeley; Burgundy -Adcock; Goneril - Mrs Lee; Regan - Mrs Hopkins; Albany - Packer; Aranti -Mrs Hippisley; Cordelia - Mrs Cibber. Also POLLY HONEYCOMBE. As 15 Sept. 1764.

Wednesday 2

LOVE IN A VILLAGE. As 31 Oct. 1764, but Margery - Miss Wainwright, 1st time. Also THE UPHOLSTERER. As 24 Sept. 1764. DANCING. II: Rural Love, as 12 Dec. 1764. COMMENT. By Particular Desire.

ALL IN THE WRONG. Sir John Restless - Yates; Sir Wm Belmont - Burton; Blandford - Bransby; Belmont - Packer; Robert - Parsons; Brush - Strange; Beverly - Holland, 1st time; Lady Restless - Mrs Palmer, 1st time; Clarissa - Miss Plym; Tippet - Mrs Hippisley; Tattle - Mrs Bradshaw; Belinda - Mrs Yates. Also QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec. 1764. DANCING. III: Medley, as 20 Nov. 1764.

Thursday 3

LOVE'S LAST SHIFT. As 12 Oct. 1764, but Sly - Cushing; Narcissa - Miss Hallam. Amanda's woman and Flareit's maid omitted. Also PERSEUS AND ANDROMEDA. As 26 Dec. 1764.

KING RICHARD III. As 13 Nov. 1764. Also QUEEN MAB. As 27 Dec. 1764. COMMENT. Mainpiece: Dress'd in the Habits of the Times.

Friday 4 DL

ARTAXERXES. As 23 Nov. 1764, but Mrs Baker in place of Miss Miller; and CG the Gentleman who never appeared before identified as Squibb. DANCING. 1: The Tyroleze Peasants, as 12 Dec. 1764; II: Rural Love, as 12 Dec. 1764. COMMENT. Ladies send servants by 3 o'clock. Books of the Opera to be had at the Theatre.

KING LEAR. As 2 Jan., but Gentleman Usher - Griffith. Also THE MUSICAL Saturday 5 DL

CG

EVERY MAN IN HIS HUMOUR. As I Nov. 1764, but Old Knowell - Gibson; Bridget - Mrs Baker. Also Perseus and Andromeda. As 26 Dec. 1764,

King's

but Grand Ballet by Fichar and Miss Wilford. BERENICE. Cast not listed.

DANCING. By Madame Capediville, M. Restier, Mlle Auretti, and M. Larivierre. COMMENT. By Command of their Majestics.

