The London Merchant; or, The History of George Barnwell. George Barnwell – a young gentleman [Cautherley, first appearance in man's role]; Thorogood – Havard; Blunt – Parsons; Milwood – Mrs Hopkins; Maria – Mrs Palmer; Trueman – Mr Young, first appearance this stage; Uncle – Burton; Lucy – Mrs Bennet. In Act I, a Song by Mrs Vincent. Also The Witches. As 24 Sept., but Sga Giorgi and Miss Baker omitted from Cherokees.

CG

LOVE MAKES A MAN; or, The Fop's Fortune. Carlos – Ross; Clodio – Woodward; Antonio – Dunstall; Duart – Davis; Charino – Lewis; Don Lewis – Shuter; Manuel – Gardener; Monsieur – Holtom; Governor – Anderson; Sancho – Cushing; Angelina – Mrs Mattocks; Elvira – Mrs Vincent; Louisa – Mrs Burden, first appearance here in 3 years. Also The Contrivances. Rovewell – Mattocks; Argus – Costollo; Robin – Dunstall; Betty – Mrs Pitt; Arethusa – Mrs Baker.

DANCING. End of Play: Venetian Gardeners, as 25 Sept.

Saturday 28 THE LONDON MERCHANT. As 26 Sept., but Blunt – Ackman. Also THE WITCHES. As 26 Sept.

COMMENT. [The Occasional Prologue inserted in the papers.]

Monday 30

KING RICHARD III. Richard – Smith; King Henry – Gibson; Richmond – Davis; Buckingham – Hull; Catesby – Wignel; Norfolk – Perry; Ratcliff – Bennet; Stanley – Anderson; Tressel – Dyer; Prince Edward – Miss Valois; Duke of York – Mas. Besford; Lord Mayor – Lewis; Lieut. – R. Smith; Lady Anne – Mrs Vincent; Duchess of York – Mrs Ferguson; Queen – Mrs Ward. Also THE INTRIGUING CHAMBERMAID. Drunken Colonel – Woodward; Goodall – Dunstall; Oldcastle – Lewis; Lettice – Mrs Walker. DANCING. End of Play: Venetian Gardeners, as 25 Sept.

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- Tuesday 1

  THE LONDON MERCHANT. As 28 Sept. Occasional Prologue Spoken by Particular Desire by King. Last time this season. Also THE DEUCE IS IN H1M. As 19 Sept.

  DANCING. End of Play: The Irish Lilt by Aldridge, Baker, &c.
- Wednesday 2 VENICE PRESERVED. Jaffier Powell; Pierre a Gentleman [Bensley, first appearance]; Spinoza Strange; Elliott Keen; Officer Ackman; Priuli Havard; Renault Burton; Duke Bransby; Bedamor Packer; Belvidera Mrs Yates. Also POLLY HONEYCOMBE. As 14 Sept.
- THE RECRUITING OFFICER. Plume Smith; Ballance Gibson; Worthy Hull; Kite Morris, first appearance that stage; Brazen Woodward; Bullock Dunstall; Welch Collier Lewis; Recruits Bennet & Costollo; Melinda Mrs Dyer; Rose Miss Vincent; Lucy Mrs Pitt; Sylvia Miss Macklin. Also A DUKE AND NO DUKE. Duke Perry; Mago Bennet; Trappolin Shuter. DANCING. II: Venetian Gardeners, as 25 Sept.
- The Foundling. Young Belmont Palmer, first time; Faddle (New Song) Dodd, first appearance there; Sir Charles Raymond Powell; Col. Raymond Packer; Villiard Bransby; Sir Roger Belmont Yates; Rosetta Miss Pope;
  Fidelia Mrs Palmer. Also The Witches. As 26 Sept.



THE ROYAL CONVERT. Hengist – Smith; Aribert – Ross; Offa – Clarke; Seofrid – Walker; Oswald – White; Rodogune – Mrs Ward; Ethelinda – Miss Macklin. In Which will be introduc'd a SOLEMN HYMN, set by Henry Purcell, and perform'd by: Beard, Mattocks, Squibb, Miss Poitier, Mrs Baker, Baker, Legg, Ryley, Dibdin, Waylin, Mrs Lampe, Mrs Jones, &c. Also THE CHEATS OF SCAPIN. Scapin – Shuter; Thrifty – Bennet; Gripe – Costollo; Leander – Davis; Octavian – Perry; Shift – Wignel; Clara – Mrs Evans; Lucia – Mrs White; Sly – R. Smith.

Thursday 3

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DANCING. End of Play: New Grand Ballet call'd *The Garland*, by Fichar, Miss Wilford, &c.

VENICE PRESERVED. As 2 Oct. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW STAIRS. As Friday 4
21 Sept.

DANCING. End of Play: The Irish Lilt by Aldridge, Miss Baker, &c.

LOVE IN A VILLAGE. Hawthorn – Beard; Woodcock – Shuter; Sir William – Bennet; Young Meadows – Mattocks; Eustace – Dyer; Hodge – Dunstall; Margery – Miss Twist, first attempt as an actress; Deborah Woodcock – Mrs Walker; Lucinda – Mrs Mattocks; Rosetta – Miss Brent. Servants at the Statute: Barrington, Holtom, Gardner, Mrs White, &c., with a Dance incidental to the Opera. Also The King and Miller of Mansfield. King – Gibson; Miller – Lewis; Dick – White; Lord Lurewell – Davis; Peggy – Miss Cokayne; Joe – Mattocks.

DANCING. II: The Garland, as 3 Oct.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Particular Desire.

THE FOUNDLING. As 3 Oct. Also FORTUNATUS. Harlequin – Rooker; Saturday 5 Others by: Moody, Ackman, Johnston, Watkins, Clough, Mrs Hippisley, Miss Baker, Miss Tetley, &c. To Conclude with a Dance by Sg & Sga Giorgi, &c. COMMENT. [Afterpiece listed as Daphne & Amintor in Rich's Register.]

THE BUSY BODY. Marplot - Woodward; Sir George - Smith; Charles - Clarke; Sir Francis - Shuter; Sir Jealous - Dunstall; Whisper - Costollo; Scentwell - Mrs Ferguson; Isabinda - Mrs Mattocks; Patch - Mrs Pitt; Miranda - Miss Macklin. Also THE UPHOLSTERER. Barber - Woodward; Rovewell - Davis; Bellmour - Perry; Quidnunc - Dunstall; Pamphlet - Shuter; Feeble - Murden; Harriet - Mrs Baker; Termagant - Mrs Green.

DANCING. End of Play: The Garland, as 3 Oct.

REHEARSAL OF NEW SONGS, FULL PIECES AND OVERTURES. Cast not MARLY listed.

COMMENT. By Permission of the Magistrates. Deferred from Wednesday 2 Oct. on account of the badness of the weather. The nobility, gentry and all other charitable and humane persons are invited. A collection will be made at the door for the unhappy sufferers by the late distressful Fires at Montreal in Canada, and Honiton in Devonshire. The whole sum collected to be equally divided. . . . The Singers and Band of Music perform gratis. The doors to be opened at 10:00, the Music to begin at 11:30. The company may depend if the weather should continue bad, that the Music will be in the Great Room.

THE LONDON MERCHANT. As 28 Sept. Also FORTUNATUS. As 5 Oct. Monday 7 DANCING. 1: By Desire, the Irish Lilt, as 4 Oct.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Desire.

ROMEO AND JULIET. Romeo - Ross; Capulet - Gibson; Fryar Lawrence - CG Hull; Mercutio - Woodward; Benvolio - Davis; Paris - Perry; Escalus - Anderson;

