THE RECRUITING OFFICER. As 3 Jan. Also MIDAS. As 14 Oct. 1766.

COMMENT. Rec'd of Bickerstaff for a fair copy for the prompter for Love in the City £1 1s. Paid Bickerstaff the balance of his night 24 Feb., £6 6s. (Account Book).

Receipts: £224 17s. 6d. (Account Book).

Thursday 19 CG

JUDAS MACCHABAEUS. Cast not listed. Parts were: Judas, Israelite Man, Israelite Woman, Chorus, Simon (Brother to Judas), Messenger, Eupolemus (Jewish Ambassador to Rome).

Friday 20 CG

MUSIC. As 6 March.

COMMENT. By Command of their Majesties. Charges: £35 (Account Book).

MACBETH. Macbeth - Holland; Duncan - Bransby; MacDuff - Havard; Ross - Aickin; Malcolm - Packer; Banquo - Palmer; Seaton - Ackman; Seyward - Moody; Hecate - Champnes; Witches - Burton, Love, Baddeley; Lady MacDuff - Mrs Bennet; Lady Macbeth - Mrs Pritchard. Vocal Parts by Vernon, Champness, Mrs Vincent, Miss Young, &c. In Act IV, a Dance of Furies. Also THE GUARDIAN. Guardian - Bensley 1st time; Young Clackit - Dodd 1st time; Clackit Sen - Yates; Lucy - Mrs Clive; Harriet - Mrs Palmer.

Saturday 21

CG

King's

DANCING. End of Play: The Vintage, as 11 Oct. 1766.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Pritchard. Part of pit laid into boxes. House charges £61 4s. [Profit to Mrs Pritchard £68 8s.] Lent to Mr Johnston, Prompter, by order £2 2s.; Paid to James Aickin on his note £40; Paid Poor's rate (1/2 year for St Martin's) £20 4s.; Salary list £294 2s. 8d. (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: £129 12s. (Treasurer's Book).

Went to see *Macbeth* for Mrs Pritchard's Benefit. Got a good seat in the Pit, which was not full for half an hour after I went, tho part of it was laid into the boxes. Read the *Public Advertiser* of Today, and part of *London Chronicle* before the play began . . . Dance of the Furies in the 4th Act, and end of the Play (Neville MS Diary).

THE HUMOROUS LIEUTENANT. Lieutenant - Woodward 1st time; Demetrius - Smith; Seleucus - Anderson; Lysimachus - Gardner; Charinthus - Redman; Ptolomy - Wignell; Menippus - Hallam; Timon - Murden; King - Walker; 1st Gentleman - Lewes; 2nd Gentleman - Perry; Soldier - Buck; 1st Physician - Bennet; 2nd Physician - Weller; 3rd Physician - Baker; Leontius - Gibson; Leucippe - Mrs Pitt; Celia - Mrs Bellamy. With the Original Epilogue by the Lieutenant. Also HARLEQUIN DR FAUSTUS. As I Jan.

COMMENT. Benefit for Woodward. Mainpiece: Not acted these 10 years. Places (with Tickets) to be had of Mr Sarjant at the stage Door. [See 31 Jan. 1760.] Charges: £68 9s. Profit to Woodward of £123 3s. 6d. plus £61 income from tickets (Box 244) (Account Book). [The House launched the benefit season with a profitable balance of £9616 5s. 5d. on the books.] Receipts: £191 12s. 6d. (Account Book).

LA BUONA FIGLIUOLA MARITATA. Cast not listed. See 31 Jan.

COMMENT. Opera Gli Stravaganti obliged to be deferred on account of the indisposition of Larpenini.

THE CLANDESTINE MARRIAGE. As 23 Jan. Also HIGH LIFE BELOW Monday 23 STAIRS. As 15 Dec. 1766.

DANCING. End of Play: The Jealous Peasants, as 11 Nov. 1766.

COMMENT. Benefit for Mrs Clive. Mainpiece: By Particular Desire. Pit and Boxes will be laid together, where servants will be admitted to keep places. Ladies desired to send servants by 3 o'clock. Rec'd from Mr Stevens 1 yrs. rent due at Xmas £10; Paid Locke (hatter) for Garrick £1 45. 6d.; Re-paid Garrick the cash advanced by Monet for Guidetti £21; Paid B. Johnson's Head bill £3 175. 11d. (Treasurer's Book). Receipts: £98 135. (Treasurer's Book).

