COMMENT. Neville MS Diary: Read ye parts of Varanes and Athenais before I went into ye Pit to see ye Play of *Theodosius*. Barry and Mrs Dancer are excellent in Varanes and Athenais. Young Barry did Theodosius, and Sowdon Marcian, who, tho' ugly, has a pretty good person and is a tolerably good player. Liontine by Bannister.

Wednesday 8

THE TAYLORS. As 2 July. New Prologue omitted. Also THE LYAR. Cast not listed.

Thursday 9 HAY

ENTERTAINMENT. Builder's Prologue as 29 May.

DANCING. By Miss Froment.

COMMENT. The Fourth Day.

THEODOSIUS. As 8 July. Also LETHE. As 6 July, but Mercury – Bannister. Friday 10
Bowman omitted. [Fine Gentleman – Loveman (BM playbill).]

DANCING. Serious and Comic Dance as 8 July.

COMMENT. By Particular Desire.

THE TAYLORS. As 9 July. Also THE LYAR. Cast not listed. ENTERTAINMENT. Builder's Prologue, by Desire, as 29 May. DANCING. By Miss Froment.

Monday 13 HAY

COMMENT. The Fifth Day.

KING LEAR. Lear - Barry; Edgar - T. Barry; Gloster - Thompson; Cornwall - Gardner; Albany - Ellard; Burgundy - Keen; Kent - Palmer; Physician - Castle; Bastard - Sowdon; Gentleman Usher - Weston; Goneril - Mrs Burden; Regan - Mrs Gardner; Arante - Miss Ogilvie; Cordelia - Mrs Dancer. Also THE LYING VALET. As 22 June.

Wednesday 15 HAY

DANCING. IV: A serious Dance; End of Play: A comic Dance by Miss Froment.

COMMENT. Neville MS Diary: Barry played Lear very well. His broken voice is appropriate in that character; tho' I am apt to imagine that certain nice inflections of voice in expressing ye language of passion, are mistaken for a failure of ye voice itself... [partial cast]. Young Barry was tolerable in some parts of Edgar, but very inanimate in ye last scenes... The House very full.

THE TAYLORS. As 9 July, but Ladies' attendants omitted. Also THE LYAR.

Cast not listed.

Friday 17 HAY

ENTERTAINMENT. The Builder's Prologue by Desire, as 29 May.

DANCING. II: A New Spanish Dance; End of Play: New Tambourine by Froment. COMMENT. The Sixth Day.

THE COMMISSARY. As 25 June, but Jenny restored. Also THE MAYOR OF GARRATT. As 17 June.

Monday 20 HAY

DANCING. II: New Tambourine Dance; End of Play: Hornpipe by Froment. COMMENT. By Particular Desire.

THE PROVOKED HUSBAND. Lord Townly – Barry; Manley – Palmer; Sir Francis Wronghead – Shuter; Squire Richard – Weston; Basset – Gardner; Moody – Thompson; Poudage – Brownsmith; Lady Grace – Mrs Burden; Lady Wronghead – Mrs Gardner; Miss Jenny – Mrs Jefferies; Mrs Motherly – Mrs Denton; Myrtilla – Mrs Kirby; Lady Townly – Mrs Dancer. Also A DUKE AND NO DUKE. Trappolin – Shuter; [Conjurer – Bannister; Methodist – Weston (Neville).] DANCING. III: A Serious Dance; End of Play: Hornpipe by Miss Froment.

Wednesday 22 HAY

COMMENT. Afterpiece: Never performed there. Neville MS Diary: Shuter made ye house laugh by saying to the conjurer "Should be glad to see you at Court; there will a change in ye Ministry soon" and by desiring Jo to take care of his Toes.

