

- Friday 10*
CG Singing Spirits – Mrs Lampe and Mrs Chambers (with Music compos'd by Mr Arne Jr); Herald – Buck; Old Woman – Miss Ferguson; Governess – Mrs Copen; Phoebe – Miss Cokayne; Leucippe – Mrs Pitt; Caelia – Mrs Woffington. Also A DUKE AND NO DUKE. As 8 Dec., but none listed.
DANCING. By Granier, Leppie, Lucas, Miss Hilliard, &c.
COMMENT. Both pieces by Command of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. Mainpiece: A Comedy reviv'd (never acted there) by Beaumont and Fletcher.
- Saturday 11*
DL CATO. Cato – Mossop; Juba – Ross; Syphax – Berry; Sempronius – Havard; Portius – Davies; Marcus – Holland; Lucius – Burton; Decius – Bransby; Mutineer – Walker; Marcia – Miss Pritchard; Lucia – Mrs Davies. Also LILLIPUT. As 3 Dec.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: Not acted in 12 years [hence first time for all appearing in these characters. See 9 Nov. 1745.] Receipts: £130 (Cross).
- CG THE HUMOROUS LIEUTENANT. As 10 Dec. Also THE LOTTERY. As 3 Dec.
DANCING. As 10 Dec., but Leppie omitted.
- King's ALESSANDRO NELL INDIE. *Cast not listed.*
DANCING. With Dances.
COMMENT. Pit and Boxes to be put together, and no Persons to be admitted without Tickets, which will be delivered this Day, at the said Office at Half a Guinea each. Gallery 5s. By His Majesty's Command, No Person will be admitted behind the Scenes. To begin at 6:30 P.M. Great care is taken to keep the House warm. [Repeated in the subsequent bills. Signora Mingotti appears to be the promoter this year.]
- Monday 13*
DL HAMLET. As 30 Sept., but Polonius – Philips. Also THE MOCK DOCTOR. As 3 Nov.
COMMENT. Receipts: £190 (Cross).
- CG THE HUMOROUS LIEUTENANT. As 10 Dec. Also THE MILLER OF MANSFIELD. As 20 Sept., but Joe – Barrington.
DANCING. As 11 Dec.
- Tuesday 14*
DL CATO. As 11 Dec. Also LILLIPUT. As 3 Dec.
COMMENT. Receipts: £100 (Cross).
- CG THE HUMOROUS LIEUTENANT. As 10 Dec. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. As 13 Oct.
- King's ALLESSANDRO NELL INDIE. *Cast not listed.*
- Wednesday 15*
DL AMPHITRYON; or, The Two Sosias. Jupiter – Ross; Sosia – Woodward; Mercury – Palmer; Alcmena – Mrs Yates, late Mrs Graham; Phaedra – Mrs Clive; Bromia – Mrs Macklin; Amphitryon – Havard; Polidas – Walker; Tranio – Jefferson; Judge Gripus – Yates; Phoebus – Usher; Night – Miss Minors. In Which will be introduced a New Interlude of *Singing* and *Dancing*, by Beard, Miss Young, and others. With a *New Occasional Prologue*. Also DAMON AND PHILLIDA. As 23 Nov.
COMMENT. Mainpiece: With Alterations. Not acted for 20 years. [See 28 April 1747. Some slight alterations were made by Dr Hawksworth (Genest, IV, 478).] The songs of the Interlude will be printed and deliver'd gratis at the Doors. This Day Publish'd *Lilliput*, a Dramatic Entertainment as it is performed at Drury Lane. Printed for Paul Vaillant, facing Southampton St. in the Strand, 11. Receipts: £120 (Cross).

THE STRATAGEM. As 27 Nov., but Dorinda – Miss Condill, 1st time, and her third appearance on any stage. Also THE ENGLISHMAN RETURNED FROM PARIS. As 2 Nov. Wednesday 15
CG

DANCING. By Granier, Miss Hillyard, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for the British Lying-In Hospital for Married Women in Brownlow St. Tickets deliver'd out for *The Country Lasses* will be taken this night. Tickets and places to be had of Mr Crudge at the stage Door; Tickets may also be had at the Hospital in Brownlow St., Longacre.

[THE BUSY BODY]. The parts by Mr Cibber and his Assistants, Pupils, Etc., several of whom never appeared in public before. An occasional prologue. Also [THE MOCK DOCTOR]. ACAD

COMMENT. At Cibber's Histrionic Academy on the Bowling Green, A Public Rehearsal, gratis. With out Gain, Hire or Reward. The Rehearsal must begin punctually at 6 P.M. No Money will be taken, nor any Persons admitted without Pass Tickets, which will be given by Mr Cibber to particular Patrons, Friends and Customers. The Cephalick Snuff is to be had at the Above Academy, at the following Prices, viz., First sort 3s., second sort 2s., third sort 1s., none sold under. [Play not given. See *Public Advertiser*, 14 Dec. "Southwark. Some sudden Disappointments (as unexpected as unforeseen) compel me to defer opening my Histrionic Academy." Advance advertisement had also appeared in the *Daily Advertiser*, 6 Dec.]

AMPHITRYON. As 15 Dec. Also LILLIPUT. As 3 Dec. Thursday 16
DL

COMMENT. Receipts: £160 (Cross).

THE HUMOROUS LIEUTENANT. As 10 Dec. Also ORPHEUS AND EURYDICE. As 13 Oct. CG

DANCING. By Lucas, Miss Hillyard.

COMMENT. Mainpiece: By Particular Desire.

AMPHITRYON. As 15 Dec. Also LETHE. *Cast not listed*, but with the last New Character of Lord Chalkstone by Garrick. [See 12 May 1756.] Friday 17
DL

COMMENT. Mrs Cibber declared to me & desir'd I would tell y^e Managers she wou'd receive no more Salary 'till her health was establish'd & she cou'd do her business as she ought (Cross). Receipts: £170 (Cross).

THE MISER. As 24 Sept., but Lappet – Mrs Pitt. With a *New Prologue* spoken by Smith; a *Hornpipe* by Phillips; a *New Epilogue*, in the character of a Boatswain, by Shuter. Also THE CONTRIVANCES. As 24 Nov., but Argus – Collins. CG

DANCING. By Lucas, Miss Hilliard, &c.

COMMENT. Benefit for raising money towards cloathing Friendless and Deserted Boys for the Sea. [The Prologue and Epilogue were printed in the *Public Advertiser* the following day. The Prologue, written by Derrick, very Patriotic and anti-Gallic. In the Epilogue, written by Mr Lockman, Secretary of the Free British Fishery, Shuter as Boatswain followed by a "considerable number of the Boys" thanks the audience for its support, and ends with another ringing patriotic cry for Britain to maintain rule of the Waves. Finances for this evening appeared in the *Public Advertiser* on 24 Dec.]

Cash at the House	£185 4s.
Tickets	137 16s.
	£323
Deductions:	
Expense of Play	£84
Building on stage	3 13s. 6d.
Present to Treasurer	1 1s.
Prologue	2 2s.
Total	£90 16s. 6d.